

Special Issue

Intersections Between Work–Life Balance and Gender Policies: Equality and Sustainability for Caring and Family Transition

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Sustainability (as greater well-being) and equity (gender and generational) policies have often been given little consideration in the face of the complexity of the needs of individuals and families and their increasing differentiation. Theoretical and/or empirical research papers, based on qualitative and quantitative methods, adopting comparative, as well as country-specific approaches to explore the following topics, are particularly welcomed:

- effectiveness in terms of welfare and sustainability of welfare services concerning work–life balance;
- the innovativeness of governance models of care and personal services in support of work–life balance and gender equality;
- the sustainability of work–life balance measures and services implemented by public, private or third-sector actors aimed at more significant equity between genders and generations;
- interpreting work–family balance from a gender perspective (e.g., diversity management; diversity–equality–inclusion; corporate social/family responsibility, etc.) involving a plurality of actors

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