

TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGE AND ITS IMPACT ON INEQUALITIES AMONG YOUTH

Transportation is considered as one of the fundamental factors in human life, which impacts access to functions and services. However, inappropriate transportation options, i.e. limited or hindered mobility and accessibility for certain group of people could be a factor leading to transportation disadvantage, and therefore, to inequalities. Not only social groups, but certain spaces (both urban and rural) may also be transportation disadvantaged (e.g. due to low public transportation frequency, inadequate roads, lack of sidewalks, etc.).

Youth are often considered transport disadvantaged part of the society with great impact of transportation on their everyday life. The aim of this seminar is to reveal the theoretical background of transportation disadvantage and to show its impact on school and extracurricular activities and evening outings of secondary school students of the City of Zagreb, Croatia. The presentation is based on the research which was conducted using quantitative and qualitative methods. The data were obtained through the survey of 826 secondary school students of secondary schools of the City of Zagreb and eight focus groups. It will highlight many inequalities found among youth (from the aspects of academic success, school absence, inability to participate in extracurricular activities and evening outings, gender differences, etc.).

Faculty students will be invited to interactively participate in this seminar by questions, discussions, etc.

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