

# EUROCARERS ERWG

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# DETCAREMIX

- Exploring and understanding welfare state determinants of care provision for older people in the community in Slovenia and Austria
- ARRS J5-8235 (C)
- Period        1.6.2017 - 31.05.2020

# WP4- Qualitative analysis

- Work package 4 (Qualitative analysis) will address RQ3, RQ4 and RQ5 and will aim to understand **how dependent older people and their families select a given combination of care mix and care tasks** and to what extent they are influenced by such factors as **personal preferences, social benefits and regulations** that impact intergenerational exchanges within the household in the **context of care and/or cultural values**.
- 55 face-to-face semistructured interviews with 55 older people who are receiving care in the community and are residing with a spouse and/or their children, or who have children but live alone. Focus on CARE MIXES (informal AND formal).

# TWO PHD projects

- After completing the project and finalizing the cross-national analysis answering RQ, we have continued to explore and re-analyse SI data focusing on IC.
- Miriam Hurtado Monarres: The Process of Transitioning into the Long-term Care of Old People through the Perspective of Informal carers
  - focusing on experiences of IC and their older family members needing LCT, during the process of transition into informal and (later) formal care at home.
  - Choices of IC and family are examined from perspective of IC applying theory of grief and emotional work.
  - **The topic was approved by FSS and is awaiting approval at UL**

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- Tjaša Potočnik: PAID WORK AND FAMILY CARE RECONCILIATION AMONG EMPLOYED FAMILY CAREGIVERS
  - focusing on experiences of IC who are active on labour market.
  - What strategies are applied by IC to reconcile paid work and care? How is this shaped by micro and mezzo context (family and workplace)?
  - How do IC perceive the reconciliation strategies with reference to workplace?
  - How the reconciliation strategies impact on QOL of IC?
  - The topic is being developed 😊!