Call for Modules

for the

AUTNES Online Panel Study
(Wave 11, August 2019 & Wave 12, October 2019)

Deadline:
1 June 2019

The Vienna Center for Electoral Research (VieCER) and the project team of the Austrian Cooperative Infrastructure for Electoral Research (ACIER) invite researchers to submit proposals for modules to be included in the questionnaire of the eleventh and twelfth wave (August/October 2019) of the AUTNES Online Panel Study.

The AUTNES Online Panel Study (doi:10.11587/l7QIYJ) started during the run-up to the 2017 Austrian Parliamentary Elections and will be continued in 2019. Participants of the previous waves, alongside a sample of fresh respondents, will be re-interviewed in August and October 2019 (ca. 3000 respondents in total, mean duration of interviews: ca. 15-25 minutes). Apart from the accepted modules, the study will contain a core questionnaire in order to ensure comparability over time.

Proposals should be no longer than five pages in total and must contain:
- A working title and short abstract summarizing the proposal
- An outline of the research questions, the theoretical foundations of the proposal as well as the context-specific relevance (e.g. why Austria/month)
- The wording of the questions to be included in Wave 11 or 12 (max. 2-3 minutes)
- An outline of planned publication activities
- Consent that data will be made available to the scientific community by the Austrian Social Science Data Archive (AUSSDA)

The proposals will be evaluated by members of the ACIER project team. The evaluation criteria include the theoretical relevance for the study of political behavior, the originality of the proposal as well as the context-specific relevance. Acceptance of modules/questions may be made conditional to a revision of the proposal. Overall, a maximum of three proposals will be accepted.

Proposals for modules must be submitted electronically to viecer@univie.ac.at no later than 1 June 2019. Acceptance notifications will be sent out in July 2019. The final version of instruments will be required in early August. Multiple submissions are possible. Module proposals can be submitted from researchers outside Austria.

For further questions, please contact: viecer@univie.ac.at