

Generational Perspectives on Economic Crisis: Discussant Notes

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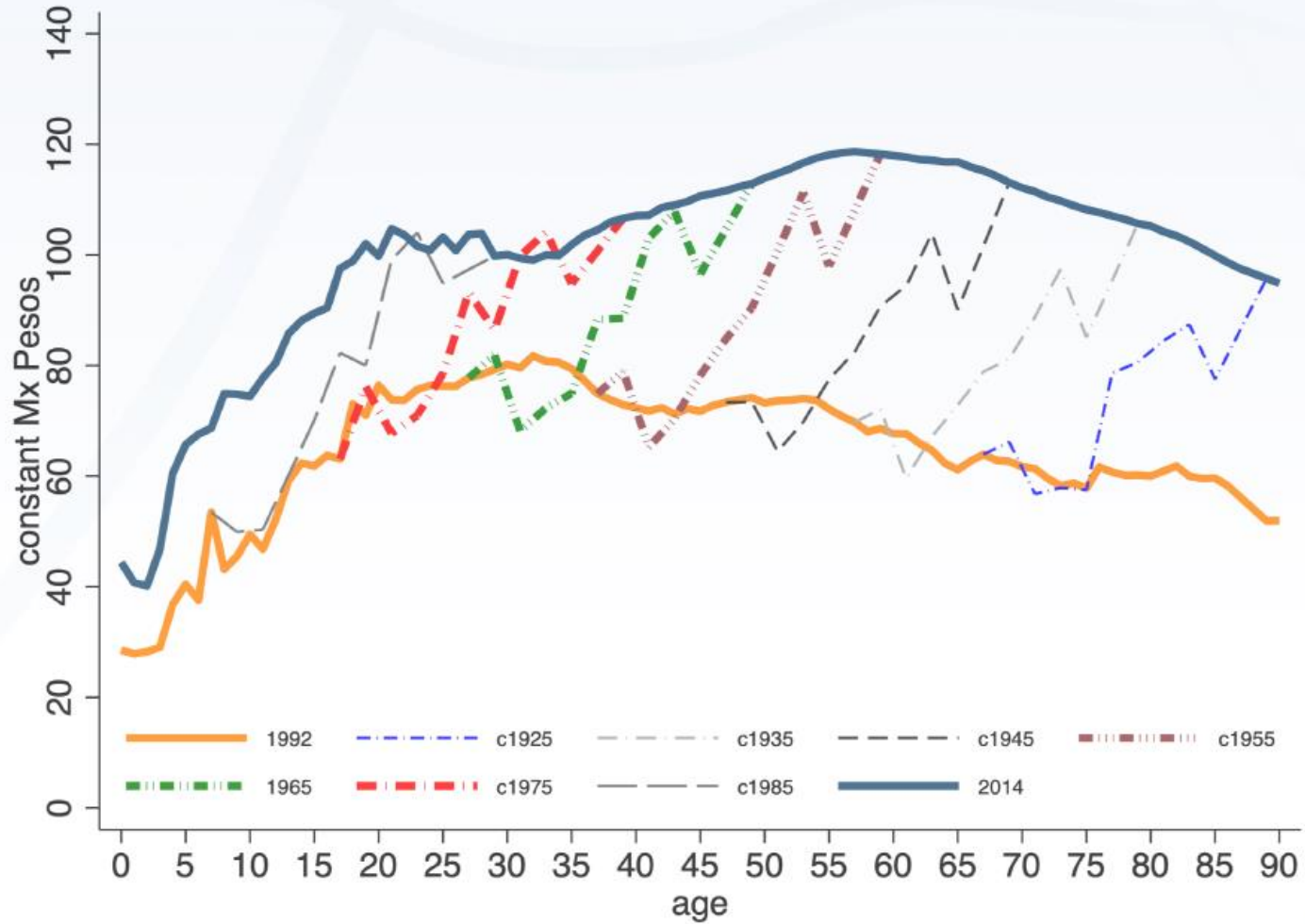
Intergenerational differences and inequalities and age-cohort-period methods

ACP methods are used to explore intergenerational inequality by a number of NTA teams (eg, Austria and France), as well as Mexico

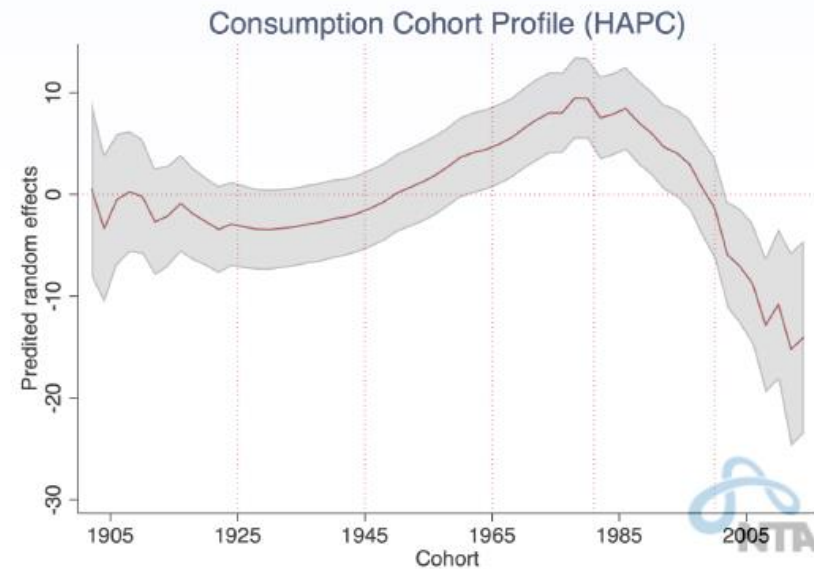
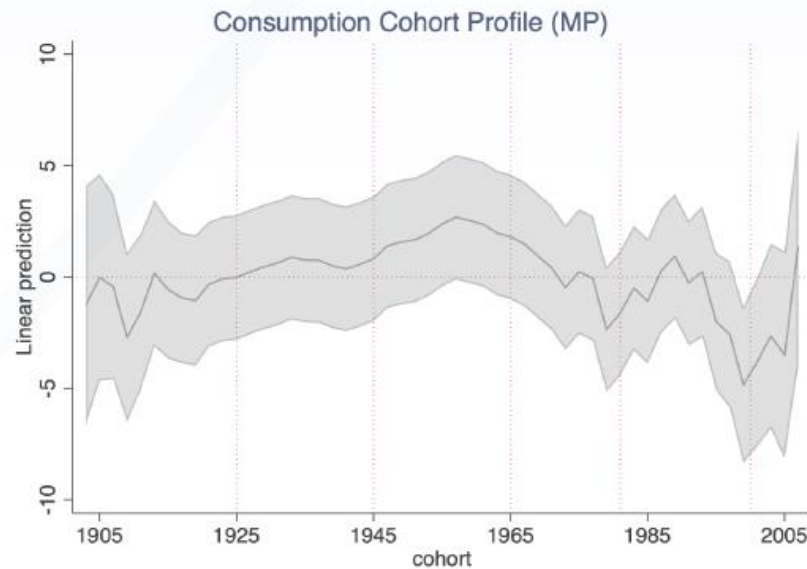
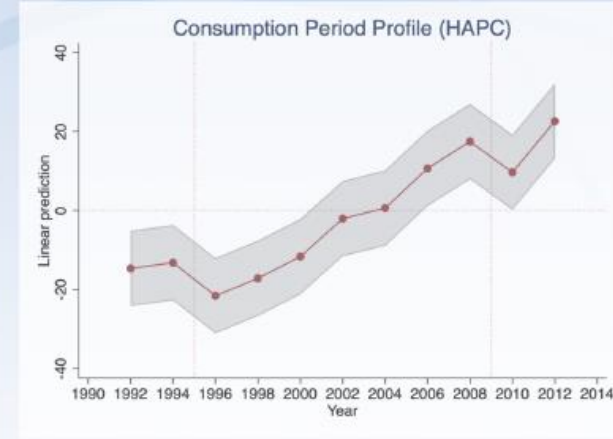
Intergenerational inequalities are indicated by cohort effects, controlling for period effects

In my own work, I have used an indicator (the IGI index) that does not control for period effects

Total Consumption: Age-Cohort



Consumption: APC Profiles



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Gender inequality in income

- Gender gap in mean income
- Gender effect in a multivariate model
 - $\text{Income} = \text{Gender} + \text{Responsibility for child care}$

The coefficients in multivariate models can be important for understanding the processes that generate inequality between groups

They are not necessarily good indicators of overall inequality between groups