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Special Session (SS07) on: Territorial diversities of ageing

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The aim and scope:

The population of many European (and other) countries is ageing, but rural and urban territories will experience this differently. According to a recent European Commission report, the share of older people increases systematically the further away one gets from urban centres. However, there is no provision made to respond appropriately to this situation. This demographic gap will be particularly significant in Portugal and Spain, with an increase expected in the proportion of older people living in rural territories. This session aims to promote an interdisciplinary discussion focused on identifying policy, goods, and service opportunities created by territorial diversities of ageing.

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