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Poverty and Social Exclusion in Europe

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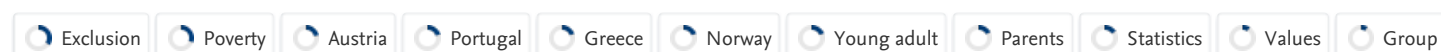
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Abstract

There are estimated to be almost 60 million people living in poverty throughout the European Union. This bleak statistic underlines the value of this important book which explores the nature and extent of poverty and social exclusion in six European countries, namely: Austria, Germany, Greece, Norway, Portugal and the UK. The book focuses on four 'life course' groups who might be considered particularly at risk: young adults, lone parents, the sick and disabled, and the retired.

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factors underlying social exclusion and poverty across Europe. Social exclusion is a term used to describe new forms of inequality (Copeland and Daly, 2012; Madanipour et al., 2003; Atkinson and Davoudi, 2000), from a multi-dimensional perspective. Undertaken by a European consortium of researchers, the TiPSE (Territorial. Dimension of Poverty and Social Exclusion in Europe) project, which was funded by the ESPON 2013. 2. programme, 1. aimed at extending and deepening the conceptual understanding and knowledge of the. territorial patterns of poverty and social exclusion across Europe (Copus, 2014). Among researchers and policy makers, there is growing concern that the social and economic.