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## Social Sciences and Socio-economic Impact

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## A collaboration between:

- European Social Survey (ESS ERIC)
- Survey of Health, Ageing and Retirement in Europe (SHARE ERIC)
- Consortium of European Social Science Data Archives (CESSDA AS)
- Generations and Gender Programme (GGP)
- European Values Study
- WageIndicator Survey



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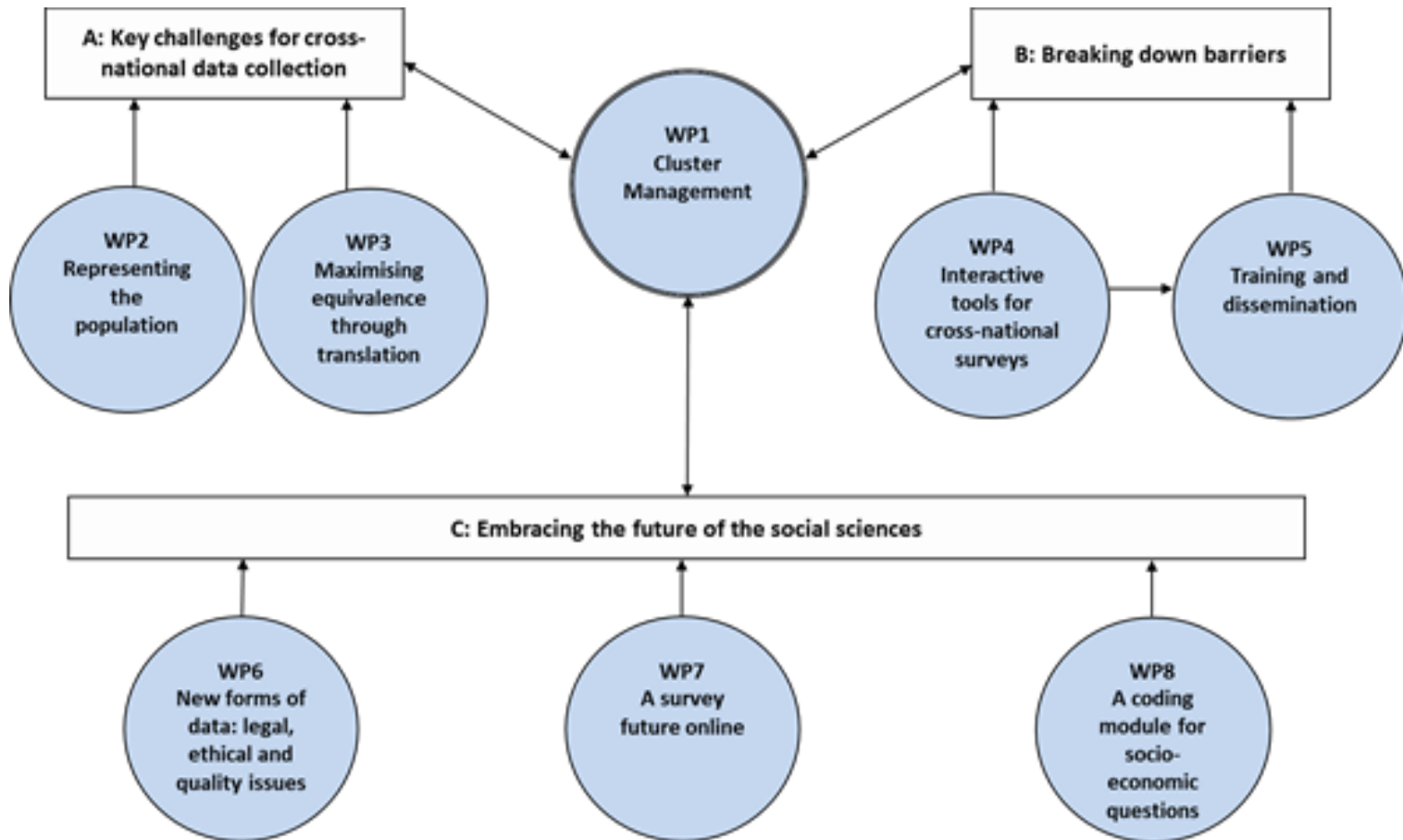
European *Values* Study



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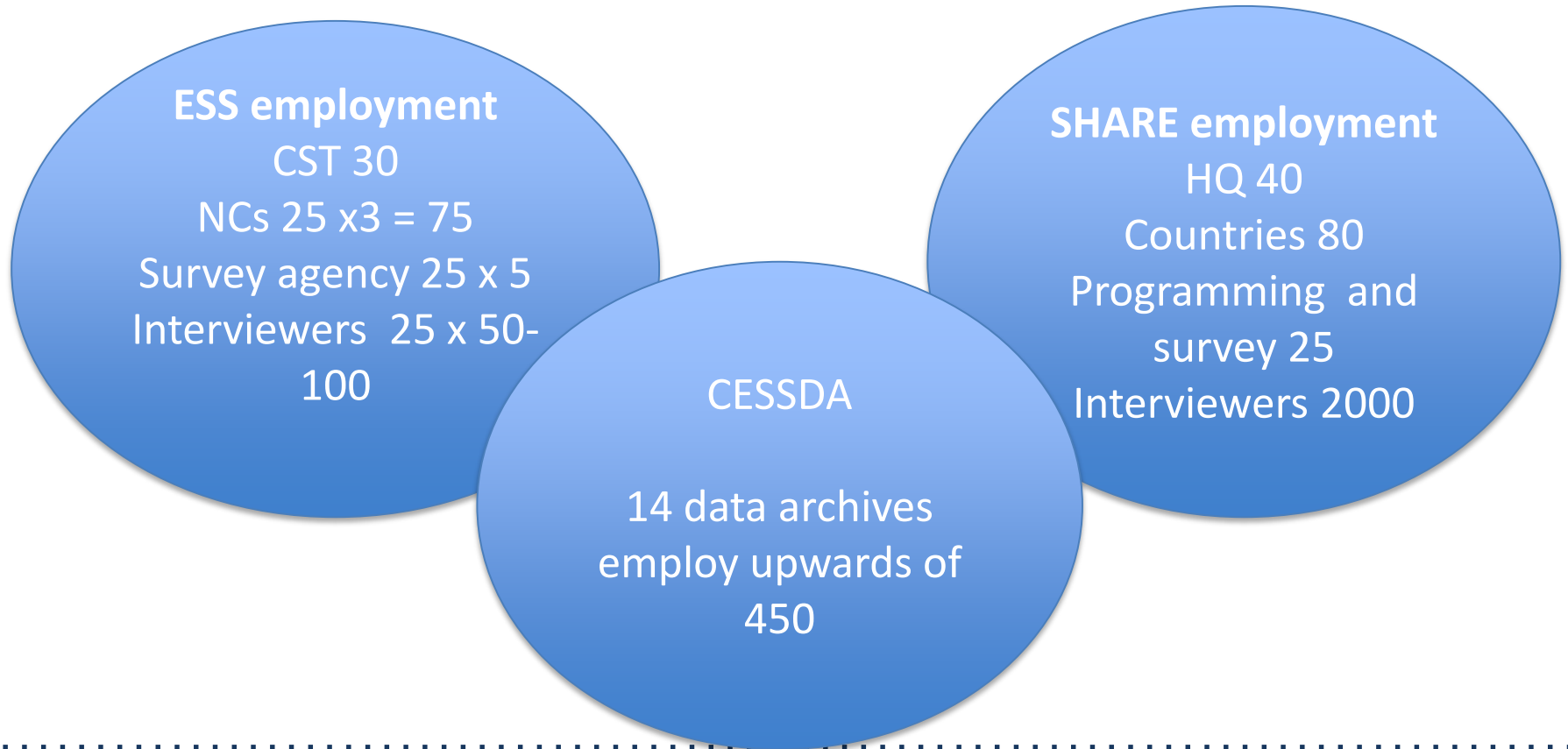
## The Impact of Outputs

- Landmark research infrastructures with track records of policy engagement:
- ESS data helped develop EU indicators of public confidence in justice
- SHARE used by multiple DGs for policy development and expenditure prediction
- CESSDA influences national data strategies and sets the benchmarks for cross-national data use





## And The Impact of Inputs...





## In other words...

- In the region of 5000 persons – per round
- And because of labour turnover much higher number of individuals
- Then add in academics and students on courses using ESS/SHARE or any CESSDA-archived data
- 89,000 registered users of ESS alone





## A Final Thought

- In social sciences, people are the data...
- Add ESS interviewees (350k)
- + SHARE panel (123k)
  
- Close to half a million Europeans touched by social science ERICs

