ICES PROJECT: Urban Platform Economies

Transformations of labour and intersectional inequalities in care services (TICS)



The research project examines the structural conditions of care platforms and socio-spatial dynamics of care work with case studies in Hamburg, Vienna, and Zürich. The objective is to contribute to the theorising of the new phe-nomenon of platform urbanism.

For analysing socio-spatial effects of platform economies, mobile digital ethnographies are being used.

Research question: How does the rise of the digitally mediated care services in the platform economy transform everyday lives and inequalities in European cities?

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