The Delayed Acceptance of Female Research in Economics

This document presents the files used in the article "The Delayed Acceptance of Female Research in Economics" by Bruns et al. 2025. There are two data files: (1) a file containing the article level data (**Article Level Data.dta**), and (2) a file containing the estimate level data (**Estimate Level Data.dta**).

The file **Article Level Data.dta** is our main data file. This file contains the data to construct the tables reported in the main article and in the Online Appendix. The file **Estimate Level Data.dta** contains the individual estimates (i.e, the 'raw' data). We average these at the individual article level to construct the file **Article Level Data.dta**.

To run the **do** files you will need to install **reghdfe** (https://scorreia.com/software/reghdfe/).

Description of files

Stata **data** files:	Content	Data file used
Estimate Level Data.dta	Contains the individual estimates for each study in each meta-analysis	
Article Level Data.dta	Contains article level averaged data that is used for all the analysis	
Stata **command** files:	Used to produce:	
Table 2.do	Table 2	**Article Level Data.dta**
Table 3.do	Table 3	**Article Level Data.dta**
Table 4.do	Table 4	**Article Level Data.dta**
Table 5.do	Table 5	**Article Level Data.dta**
Table 6.do	Table 6	**Article Level Data.dta**
Table 7.do	Table 7	**Article Level Data.dta**
Table 8.do	Table 8	**Article Level Data.dta**
Table 9.do	Table 9	**Estimate Level Data.dta**
Table 10.do	Table 10	**Article Level Data.dta**
Online Appendix.do	Tables S1-S5 of the Online Appendix	**Article Level Data.dta**
Online Appendix.do	Table S10 of the Online Appendix	**Estimate Level Data.dta**

Intermediate data files

Most meta-analyses came to us, or we collected them, as individual Excel files. We use a Python script to combine these into one file. The Python script is also used to correct the spelling of journal and author names. The result of this script is the data in **Estimate Level Data.dta.** We then use the **Convert.do** file to construct the **Article Level Data.dta** file**.**