

I am, I'll be celebrates its 20th anniversary!

Did you know that 20 years have passed since the first steps leading to the *I am, I'll be* study were taken? The whole team is preparing an event to mark this important anniversary! It will be celebrated as part of the next symposium of the *Association francophone pour le savoir*, where several speakers will explain many of the results obtained using data from *I am, I'll be*. This is all thanks to you and your family!

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End of the special collection round

Some of you have been approached to participate in a special hair and saliva collection. That collection is now over: thanks to all those who participated! Do not hesitate to share your comments with us about your experience at: <u>iam illbe@stat.gouv.qc.ca</u>.

Did you know that...

- > Throughout the world, there are many longitudinal birth surveys similar to *I am, I'll be*?
- Since we want to stay up to date on best practices, we keep a complete list of these surveys. Just in Canada, there are about 50 such surveys. *I am, I'll be* is the largest birth cohort in Québec!
- > Whether small or large, based in one city or spanning the whole country, these surveys are aimed at better understanding child and youth development. In some cases, this is accomplished by addressing a specific subject, and in other cases, by drawing a broader portrait, as in the *I am, I'll be* survey.
- > All respondents in these surveys, including all of you, help to better understand youth all over the world. You can be proud of yourself!

Vox pop

More and more full-time students aged 15 to 24 have a job during their studies. This proportion rose from 30% at the end of the 1990s to slightly more than 40% in 2012. These students work an average of 15 hours per week. Are you in this situation? The *Centre d'étude des conditions de vie et des besoins de la population* has created an <u>online questionnaire</u> that allows you to compare your situation regarding work-study balance with that of other young Quebecers. Simply go to: jeconcilie.com (in French only).



