2011-2012 Seminar Series

FALL 2011

Elizabeth Frankenberg, Professor of Public Policy and Sociology, Duke University
*The Impact of Parental Death on Child Well-Being*
September 30, 2011, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Tyler VanderWeele, Depts. of Epidemiology and Statistics, Harvard University
*Sensitivity Analysis for Contagion Effects in Social Networks*
October 5, 2011, 4:30pm, 253 Malott Hall
(Co-sponsored with Statistical Science)

Nancy M. Gordon, Associate Director for Strategic Planning and Innovation, U.S. Census Bureau
*The American Community Survey: from the Beginning …*
October 14, 2011, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

T. Paul Schultz, Professor Emeritus of Economics, Yale University
*Fertility and Women’s Coordinated Behavior as Adults: Evidence from Ghana*
October 21, 2011, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Bongoh Kye, Frank H.T. Rhodes Postdoctoral Fellow, Cornell Population Center, Cornell University
*Education and Elderly Health in South Korea: A Demographic Approach*
November 11, 2011, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Writing NIH Proposals: Lessons for Success
Panelists
Rachel Dunifon, Associate Professor, PAM and Associate Director, Bronfenbrenner Center for Translational Research;
Don Kenkel, Professor, PAM and Co-Director, Institute on Health Economics, Health Behaviors and Disparities;
Dean Lillard, Senior Research Associate, PAM; and Sharon Sassler, Associate Professor, PAM
Moderator
Dan Lichter, Professor, PAM, and Director, Cornell Population Center
November 18, 2011, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Martin Gaynor, E.J. Barone Professor of Economics and Public Policy, Carnegie Mellon University
*Free to Choose? Reform and Demand Response in the British National Health Service*
November 30, 2011, 1:15-2:45pm, 153 MVR Hall
(Co-sponsored with Policy Analysis and Management)

Jennifer Barber, Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan; Research Professor, Institute for Social Research (Population Studies Center and Survey Research Center), University of Michigan
*Dynamics and Pregnancy: Seriousness, Instability, and Partner Change*
December 14, 2011, 1:15-2:45pm, 153 MVR Hall
(Co-sponsored with Policy Analysis and Management)
SPRING 2012

John M. Abowd, Edmund Ezra Day Professor of Economics, Cornell University
A (Sophisticated) User’s Guide to Public-Use Census Data from the Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics Program
February 3, 2012, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Joe D. Francis, Associate Professor, Department of Development Sociology; Director, Program on Applied Demographics; Cornell University
Strategies for Mapping ACS Estimates and MOE
February 10, 2012, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Douglas A. Wolf, Gerald B. Cramer Professor of Aging Studies, Syracuse University
What can we say about the health consequences of being an informal caregiver?
March 2, 2012, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Daniel Rees, Professor, Department of Economics, University of Colorado, Denver
Medical Marijuana Laws, Traffic Fatalities, and Alcohol Consumption
March 7, 2012, 1:15-2:45pm, 153 MVR Hall
(Co-sponsored with Policy Analysis and Management)

Hyunjoon Park, Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania
Productivity and Equity of Single-Sex Schools for Students’ STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) Outcomes: Random Assignment in Korean High Schools
March 9, 2012, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Margot Jackson, Assistant Professor of Sociology, Brown University
The Intragenerational Dynamics of Health and Academic Achievement: Child Health as a Source of Cumulative Disadvantage?
March 30, 2012, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Douglas Heckathorn, Professor, Department of Sociology, Cornell University
Extensions of Social Homophily Theory: Segmentation versus Stratification
April 13, 2012, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall

Robert L. Wagmiller, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University at Buffalo
How Do the Residential Experiences of Recent Cohorts of Blacks and Whites Differ from Past Cohorts?: A Cohort-Based Approach to Studying Change in Racial Residential Integration
April 20, 2012, 12:00-1:15pm, G87 MVR Hall