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SEMINARS

CPP-Sponsored Seminars at Cornell
Martha Farnsworth-Riche, Center for the Study of Economic & Society, Cornell University
Demographic Diversity and Organizational Performance: How ‘Difference’ Matters
February 5, 2010, 12:00-1:00pm, 153 MVR Hall

Diane McLaughlin, Department of Agricultural Economics & Rural Sociology, Penn State
Life Choices: Rural Youth Balance Occupational, Educational, and Residential Aspirations
February 12, 2010, 12:00-1:00pm, 153 MVR Hall
(Co-sponsored by the Department of Development Sociology)

Yu Xie, Otis Dudley Duncan Distinguished University Professor of Sociology, University of Michigan
Population Heterogeneity and Causal Inference
February 17, 2010, 4:00 pm, 423 ILR Conference Center
(Co-sponsored by the Department of Statistical Science)
Note: There are opportunities to meet with Yu Xie. Please contact Carrie Chalmers.

Other Population-Relevant Seminars at Cornell
Chris Anderson, Poverty Team Member and Professor of Government, Cornell University
Why Poor People Don’t Vote: Income, Inequality, and Voter Turnout in Comparative Perspective
January 26, 2010, 12:00-1:30pm, ISS Conference Room, 146 Myron Taylor Hall

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February 9, 2010, 12:00-1:30pm, ISS Conference Room, 146 Myron Taylor Hall

CONFERENCES

2010 PAA Annual Meeting. April 15-17, 2010 at the Hyatt Regency Dallas, Texas. Some travel support is available to CPP graduate student affiliates.

WORKSHOPS
Moving Out of Poverty: The Economic and Environmental Impacts of Programs Aimed at Mitigating Spatial Mismatch. February 11, 2010 from 8:15am-5:00pm in 225 ILR Conference Center.

2010 Economic Demography Workshop, April 14, 2010 in Dallas, TX. The workshop takes place one day before the PAA Annual Meeting.

2010 Workshops on Advanced Spatial Analysis, The Population Research Institute at Pennsylvania State University and the Center for Spatially Integrated Social Science (CSISS) at UCSB invite applications from Ph.D. students, postdocs, and early-career faculty in demography and related fields to participate in the NICHD-supported Workshops on Advanced Spatial Analysis. This program features two 5-day-long workshops in summer 2010 that are intended for scholars who already make use of GIS and spatial statistics in their research. The scheduled workshops are 1) Geographically Weighted Regression, July 12-July 16, 2010, Santa Barbara, CA and 2) Spatial Pattern Analysis, July 19-July 23, 2010, Santa Barbara, CA.

CALLS FOR PAPERS

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
ISS Small Grants. The ISS small grant program supports social science research activities conducted by Cornell faculty. Our biannual grant competition provides funding of up to $15,000 to initiate research projects, collect data, run conferences, or travel to meet with collaborators. Deadline: February 2, 2010.

NCFMR Seeking RFPs for Pilot Data Collection and Small Grants Competition. The NCFMR is pleased to offer funding opportunities for researchers to field test new items using a large, web-based household sample of couples (Knowledge Networks panel). Application Deadline: February 17, 2010.

Settling Into Motion-The Bucerius Ph.D. Scholarships in Migration Studies. The Bucerius Ph.D. scholarship program in migration studies "Settling Into Motion" offers up to eight scholarships for Ph.D.theses addressing migration in changing societies. For 2010, research applications on “Migration, Diversity and the Future of Modern Societies” are especially welcome. Qualified Ph.D. students of social sciences can apply. Deadline: February 25, 2010.
BLCC Innovative Research Project Grants. Research funding is available from the BLCC Innovative Research Program. Cornell faculty are eligible to receive small grants of up to $10,000 in support of their research on life course related issues. Deadline: April 2, 2010.

Funding Opportunity for Obesity Policy research: Evaluation and Measures (R01/R03/R21). The National Cancer Institute is delighted to announce new obesity policy-related research funding opportunities, issued by NCI, NHLBI, NIDDK, NICHD, OBSSR, and CDC. Additional details are available by clicking the links. Note that standard receipt dates apply.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Junior Researcher in Social Demography. The Institut de recherche pour le développement (IRD, France) recruits two junior researchers in social demography. Deadline: January 28, 2010.

NIH Postdoctoral Fellowship at Princeton University. The Office of Population Research at Princeton University invites applications for an NIH postdoctoral fellowship. Candidates must have completed an MD or a PhD in demography, sociology, statistics, or other relevant field before appointment. Screening of applicants will start on February 1, 2010.

Researcher at INED. The Institut National d’Etudes Démographiques (INED) announces vacancies for two researchers in 2010 to work on the following themes: Socio-demography and economics of international migration; Public policy assessment; Health policies; Socio-demographic analysis of vulnerable populations; Gender issues in sexual and reproductive health. You can also apply for a position that focuses on other themes if you have in-depth knowledge and specific know-how in another discipline covered by INED. Application forms must be downloaded by February 10, 2010.

Assistant, Associate or Full Sociology Professor at Queens College. Queens College seeks an Assistant, Associate or Full Professor with expertise in Cyberinfrastructure as applied to population, demographic or epidemiological studies. This is one of a cluster of hires supported by the CUNY Central Office, as such, the incumbent will be expected to interact and cooperate in this initiative to enhance the use of Cyberinfrastructure in Research at CUNY. Appointment will be in the one of the following: Sociology, Computer Science, Urban Studies Departments or School of Earth and Environmental Sciences. Open until filled, application review will begin on February 12, 2010.

Dissertation Fellowship in Population, Reproductive Health, and Economic Development. The Hewlett/IIE Dissertation Fellowship in Population, Reproductive Health, and Economic Development will support up to 8 two-year fellowships starting August 2010, with awards announced in late April to early May. Fellowship recipients
are awarded $20,000 per year for two years to cover expenses incurred while working on their dissertation, including tuition, travel for research purposes, acquisition of data and research materials, and personal living expenses. Students currently enrolled full-time in Ph.D. programs in the United States and Canada are eligible to apply. Deadline for applying is February 26, 2010.

**Postdoctoral Research Associate at Princeton University.** The Office of Population Research at Princeton University is seeking a postdoctoral researcher to work on a project that examines the biological pathways linking social and economic factors to health among older cohorts in Taiwan. Applications will be considered starting March 15, 2010.