NPC Poverty Research Workshop

Kerwin Charles and Mary Corcoran

Monday, June 14, 2004
9:00-11:30 Introductions and Lecture: The Measurement of Poverty, Poverty Dynamics, Trends in Poverty” (Charles)


1:00-3:00 Group Discussions

3:30-5:00 Symposium, Michigan Union Kuenzel Room

Qualitative Research on Urban Poverty

Elijah Anderson, Charles and William L. Day Distinguished Professor of the Social Sciences, Professor of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania. Christina Gibson, Assistant Professor of Public Policy Studies, Center for Child and Family Policy, Terry Sanford Institute of Public Policy, Duke University.

Moderator: Alford A. Young, Jr., Associate Professor of Sociology and CAAS (Center for Afro-American and African Studies), University of Michigan.

Tuesday, June 15, 2004
9:00-11:30 Lecture: Poverty Theories (Corcoran)

J. Patterson. America’s Struggle Against Poverty. 1900-1985, Chapter 7.


1:00-3:00 Group Discussions

3:30-5:00 Michigan Union Kuenzel Room.
Immigration and Poverty: Research and Policy Issues


Moderator: Ann Chih Lin, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science and Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy

Wednesday, June 16, 2004
9:00-11:30 Lecture: Race, Sex, and Labor Markets (Charles)


1:00-3:00 Group Discussions

3:30-5:00 Symposium, Michigan Union Kuenzel Room
After Welfare Reform: Policy and Research Issues

Kristin S. Seefeldt, Research Investigator, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy. Douglas J. Besharov, Joseph J. and Violet Jacobs Scholar in Social Welfare Studies, American Enterprise Institute and Professor of Public Affairs, University of Maryland.
Thursday, June 17, 2004
9:00-11:30 Lecture: Mobility, Inequality and Poverty (Corcoran)


Mary Corcoran. 2001. “Chapter 4: Mobility, Persistence…” in Danziger and Haveman, Understanding Poverty, pages 96-126.


1:00-4:00 Lecture/Discussion: Developing Reading Lists and Assignments for Poverty-Related Courses.

Friday, June 18, 2004
9:00-11:30 Discussion Group on Poverty Policy Research - Developing a Topic, Obtaining Data, Grant Sources, and Getting Published