Poverty and Inequality in the 21st Century

June 21-27, 2015
Stanford University

Tohoku University and Stanford University

Conference Site:
Center for Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity
450 Serra Mall, Building 360, Stanford, CA 94305

and

Center on Poverty and Inequality
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Sunday, June 21

Arrive at San Francisco International Airport
Check in at Hotel California (2431 Ash Street, Palo Alto, CA, 650-322-7666, confirmation #PE0621AC)

7:15pm    Meet David at hotel lobby; walk to welcome dinner at Terún (448 California Avenue, Palo Alto)

Monday, June 22

Breakfast available at Hotel California

8:45am    Meet Alice at hotel lobby (to take you to conference site via Stanford Marguerite, Line RP 8:58am at El Camino Real and California Ave)

9:25am    Welcome (David Grusky)

9:30am    Session #1: Poverty (Presider, Yoshimichi Sato)

Disparities in Temporary Housing, Keita Suzuki (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

Short Break

Ending Poverty in California ... Permanently, David Grusky (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

Short Break

The Impact of Government Benefits and Taxes on Chronic and Transient Poverty in the United States Using the Supplemental Poverty Measure, Sara Kimberlin (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

12 noon   Catered lunch

1pm       Session #2: Disasters (Presider, David Grusky)

How Have Disasters Affected Children? Reika Nomura (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

Short Break

Social Aspects of Disasters in History, Rumi Matsuzaki (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

2:30pm    Campus tour (walk to Visitor Center, tour starts at 3:15pm)

6:30pm    Dinner at Café Pro Bono (2437 Birch Street, Palo Alto)
Tuesday, June 23

Breakfast available at Hotel California

9:10am  Take Stanford Marguerite to Conference Site (Line RP 9:20am at El Camino Real and California Ave)

10:00am  Session #3: Economic Sociology and Inequality (Presider, Rumi Matsuzaki)

  Social Capital, Publicness, and Inequality, Yoshimichi Sato (20 mins.)
  Discussion (20 mins.)

  Short Break

  Market Norm Change to Social Norm: Special Focus on Incentives, Liang Su (20 mins.)
  Discussion (20 mins.)

  Short Break

  Suicide and Economic Problems, Tomoya Obase (20 mins.)
  Discussion (20 mins.)

12:00 noon  Catered lunch

1:00pm  Session #4: Social Mobility (Presider, Charles Varner)

  Intergenerational Reproduction: A New Mechanism of Occupational Gender Desegregation, Ling Zhu (20 mins.)
  Discussion (20 mins.)

  Short Break

  Reproducing Economic Inequality at the Top? Social Origin-based Stratification in Early Career Outcomes among U.S. College Graduates, Natassia Rodriguez (20 mins.)
  Discussion (20 mins.)

  Short Break

  How Predictable is the Transfer of Advantage Across Generations? Max Hell (20 mins.)
  Discussion (20 mins.)

6:30pm  Dinner at Anatolian Kitchen (2323 Birch Street, Palo Alto)
Wednesday, June 24

Breakfast available at Hotel California

8:10am   Take Stanford Marguerite to Conference Site (Line RP 8:20am at El Camino Real and California Ave)

9:00am   Session #5: Marriage and Family (Presider, Charles Varner)

Am I My Brother’s Keeper? Motivations for Kin Support from the Black Middle Class, Jasmine Hill (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

Short Break

Changing Marriage in Urban China, Chen Jia (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

Short Break

When Marriage Means More: Intermarriage and the Origins of Social Mobility Among Migrants in Japan, Tristan Ivory (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

11:00am   Walk to Art Museum for lunch, followed by public tour of museum at 12:30pm

6:30pm    Dinner at Reposado (236 Hamilton Avenue, Palo Alto)

Thursday, June 25

Breakfast available at Hotel California

10:00am   Meet Tristan Ivory at hotel lobby, walk to Caltrain Station (4 minutes, directions)

10:17am   Take Caltrain #237 to San Francisco

11:14am   Arrive San Francisco and meet Charles Varner at Caltrain station

12:45pm   Baseball Game: San Diego Padres vs. San Francisco Giants (AT&T Park)

After game  San Francisco / Dinner / Fun (Swethaa Ballakrishnen and Tristan Ivory)

Return to Hotel California:
Caltrains depart San Francisco at 8:40, 9:40, and 10:40.
Last Caltrain departs San Francisco at 12:01am.
Friday, June 26

Breakfast available at Hotel California

9:10am  Take Stanford Marguerite to Conference Site (Line RP 9:20am at El Camino Real and California Ave)

10:00am  Session #6: Inequality at the Top (Presider, David Grusky)

The Role of Multinational Corporations, Shota Akaotsu (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

Short Break

Do Millionaires Cluster on the Lower-Tax Sides of State Borders? Charles Varner (20 mins.)
Discussion (20 mins.)

11:30am  Lunch and Reception at Courtyard

1:00pm  Free time (Stanford Shopping Center, etc.)

6:30pm  Closing Dinner at Pampas (529 Alma Street, Palo Alto)

Saturday, June 27

Depart from San Francisco International Airport