



Joint Seminar IPR / OSC

Inequalities, Neighborhoods, and Institutions in the United States and France

June 21-22, 2012

Location: 98 rue de l'Université, Paris 7^e
Room: Annick Percheron

Day 1, Thursday, June 21

08:30-09:00 | **Welcome and Coffee**

09:00-09:30 | **Introduction**

Fay Cook (NU-IPR & HDSP), **Alain CHENU** (OSC)

09:30-11:10 | **Session 1**

Chair: **Fay Cook**

Marie DURU-BELLAT (OSC), **Élise TENRET** (OSC)
Inequalities and Meritocracy

Bart HIRSCH (NU-HDSP)
Promoting Successful School-to-Work Transitions among Low-Income, Minority Youth

Dawna GOENS (NU-Sociology)
High Expectations, High Support: How One Organization Prepares Young Adults for Career Advancement.

11:10-11:25 | **Coffee break**

11:25-13:05 | **Session 2**

Chair: **Alain Chenu**

Joe FERRIE (NU-IPR & Economics)
Socioeconomic Status and the Lead-IQ Link: Intergenerational Effects of the Environment on Intelligence

Agnès van ZANTEN (OSC)
The Role of Personal and Professional Networks in School Choice

David FIGLIO (NU-IPR & HDSP)
Information Shocks and the Takeup of Social Programs

13:05-14:15 | **Lunch**

14:15-15:55	Session 3 Chair: David Figlio Marco OBERTI (OSC), Clément RIVIÈRE (OSC) <i>The Impact of the School District Policy Reform: Urban Inequalities and the Feeling of Discrimination</i> Kelly BECKER (NU-IPR & Sociology) <i>High School Counselors and College Attendance</i> Annabelle ALLOUCH (OSC) <i>The Emergence of 'Potential' as an Alternative Category of Academic Judgement? Access Schemes and the Renewal of Paradigms on Excellence in French and English Elite Higher Education</i>
18:30-21:00	Dinner Cruise

Day 2, Friday, June 22

09:00-11:10	Session 4 Chair: Marie Duru-Bellat Jim ROSENBAUM (NU-IPR & HDSP) <i>How do Urban High Schools Help Low-income Students Prepare for College?</i> Jon GURYAN (NU-IPR & HDSP) <i>Reducing Juvenile Delinquency by Building Social-Cognitive Skills: Experimental Evidence</i> Mathieu ICHOU (OSC) <i>The Roots of Inequality: The Academic Achievement of Children of Immigrants in France</i> Noémie LE DONNÉ (OSC) <i>European Variations in Social Inequalities in Students' Cognitive Achievement: The Role of the Institutional Structure of the Educational System</i>
11:10-11:20	Coffee break
11:20-13:00	Session 5 Chair: Tom Cook Alain CHENU (OSC) <i>Voter Turnout and Social Disaffiliation in Contemporary Urban France: An Ecological Approach</i> Philippe COULANGEON (OSC), Ivaylo PETEV (CREST-INSEE) <i>Carbon Footprint and Lifestyles</i> Christine PERCHESKI (NU-IPR & Sociology) <i>Family Characteristics, Sources of Income, and Poverty among U.S. Adults Across Business Cycles, 1979-2011</i>
13:00-14:00	Lunch

14:00-15:40	Session 6 Chair: Marco Oberti Tom Cook (NU-IPR) <i>Housing Trade-Offs Facing Poor Families in the U.S.A</i> Hugues LAGRANGE (OSC), Lincoln QUILLIAN (NU-IPR & Sociology) <i>Comparative Analysis of Urban Segregation: Paris-Chicago</i> Antoine JARDIN (CEE) <i>Socio-Spatial Models of Electoral Behavior in European Deprived Neighborhoods</i>
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