Spring 2011 Brown Bag Seminars:

(Funding partially provided by the Berkeley Population Center and by CEDA)


January 26:  Mike Hout (Demography and Sociology, UC Berkeley), The Social and Economic Returns to a College Education.

February 2:  Robert Tamura (Economics, Clemson University), Black and White Fertility, Differential Baby Booms: The Value of Civil Rights. (.pdf attached)

February 9:  Mark Borgschulte (Economics, UC Berkeley), Retirement and Longevity.

February 16: Jennifer Johnson-Hanks (Demography, Sociology, UC Berkeley), Denominators and Absences.

February 23: Paul Gertler (Haas School of Business, UC Berkeley) How Alleviating Poverty in Mexico Affects Illegal Migration to the US. *CANCELED*

March 2:  Joshua Goldstein (Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research), Period Paramount or Cohort Key? A Cohort Perspective on Fertility Tempo Effects.

Pre-PAA Students Presentations:

Sarah Cowan (Sociology and Demography, UC Berkeley), Abortion Measures for the United States: An Application of an Old Technique Reveals New Findings.

Maggie Frye (Sociology and Demography, UC Berkeley), Sexual Relationship Scripts: Adapting a Card-Sort Technique for Use with a Semi-Literate Population in a Developing Country

Kehinde Ajayi (Economics), A Welfare Analysis of School Choice reforms in Ghana.

Sara Lopus (Demography, UC Berkeley), Poster Presentation: Factors associated with varying old-age dependency ratios in Sub-Saharan Africa.

March 16:  Paul Gertler (Haas School of Business, UC Berkeley) How Alleviating Poverty in Mexico Affects Illegal Migration to the US.

March 23:  ***No Brown Bag--SPRING BREAK***

March 30:  ***No Brown Bag--PAA MEETING***
April 6: Margaret Frye (Sociology and Demography, UC Berkeley), What the Future Holds: Cultural Models of the Future and Socioeconomic Disparities in Educational Attainment.

April 13: Piedad Urdinola (Statistics, Universidad Nacional de Colombia-Bogota), Long Term Consequences of Adolescent Fertility in Colombia Adolescent Pregnancy.

April 20: Carsten Ochsen (Max Planck Institute, Germany), Relative Cohort Size and Unemployment in the United States.

April 27: Edward Miguel (Economics, UC Berkeley), Worms at Work: Long-run Impacts of Child Health Gains.