

Immigration and Poverty: Economic and Social Connections, Policy Approaches

May 17-18, 2012

UC Davis Activities and Recreation Center (ARC), Ballroom B

The mobility of people across national boundaries is an exceptional economic force and catalyst for social and cultural change, but it is also a source of significant policy challenges. This conference brings together scholars studying the connection between migration and the economic development of individuals, markets, and states in both sending and receiving countries.

Admission is free with preregistration. For more details and online conference registration, visit www.iga.ucdavis.edu/events/economy-justice-and-society-conference

May 17: Research & Discussion

Session 1: International Migration and Global Poverty (9:30am-12:00pm)

Filiz Garip, *Harvard University*

Kevin Thomas, *Pennsylvania State University*

Dean Yang, *University of Michigan*

J. Edward Taylor, *UC Davis (Moderator)*

Session 2: Immigration, Jobs and Wages (1:00pm-3:30pm)

David Card, *UC Berkeley*

Ethan Lewis, *Dartmouth College*

Arthur Sakamoto, *University of Texas, Austin*

Philip Martin, *UC Davis (Moderator)*

Session 3: Undocumented Immigrants and Their Assimilation (4:00pm-6:30pm)

Katharine Donato, *Vanderbilt University*

Magnus Loftstrom, *Public Policy Institute of California*

Cristina Morales, *University of Texas, El Paso*

David Kyle, *UC Davis (Moderator)*

Evening Presentation (7:30pm)

Doug Massey, *Princeton University*

May 18: Policy Panel

Immigration Policy: Current Limits and Potential for Reform (10:00am-12:00pm)

Frank Bean, *UC Irvine*

Kevin Johnson, *UC Davis School of Law*

Tamar Jacoby, *Journalist, Author, and President of ImmigrationWorks USA*

Pia Orrenius, *Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas*

Giovanni Peri, *UC Davis (Moderator)*

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