Urban Affairs Association 37th Annual Meeting

Cities and Migration: Opportunities and Challenges

Seattle, Washington April 25–28, 2007



Urban Affairs Association

The **Urban Affairs Association (UAA)** is the international professional organization for urban scholars, researchers, and public service providers. UAA exists to:

- Encourage the dissemination of information about urbanism and urbanization
- Support the development of university education, research and service programs in urban affairs
- Provide leadership in fostering urban affairs as a professional and academic field

UAA includes institutional, individual, and student members from colleges and universities throughout North America, Europe, and Asia. Among its other activities, UAA sponsors the **Journal of Urban Affairs**, a refereed journal published five times a year by Blackwell Publishing, Inc. The **Journal** is a primary benefit to all UAA members and a well-respected outlet for manuscripts related to urban research and policy analysis.

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2007 UAA Annual Meeting Best Paper Award

Call for papers for the Journal of Urban Affairs

Deadline—July 25, 2007

Each year, an issue of the **Journal of Urban Affairs** is devoted to scholarship presented at the annual meeting of the Urban Affairs Association (UAA). As many as six papers presented at the 37th annual meeting of UAA in Seattle will be published in next year's special annual meeting issue. Additional papers from the annual meeting, if accepted, will appear in another issue of the **JUA**. Papers submitted from the annual meeting undergo the same peer review process as other manuscripts submitted to **JUA**.

<u>One</u> of the manuscripts submitted for the special annual meeting issue will receive the "Annual Meeting Best Paper Award." The recipient of the award is selected by an appointed committee and presented with the award at the next annual meeting. The paper selected for this award is featured as the lead article in the annual meeting issue.

To be considered for the annual meeting issue and the Annual Meeting Best Paper Award, your manuscript must be submitted to the **Journal of Urban Affairs** by **July 25, 2007**. You may email your paper to jua@uci.edu or send five paper copies to the editor at the address below. In either case, please clearly mark the paper as an annual meeting submission.

We look forward to reviewing your paper and thank you for participating in the 37th annual meeting of the Urban Affairs Association.

Sincerely,

Victoria Basolo, Editor

Journal of Urban Affairs Department of Planning, Policy & Design 202 Social Ecology Building I University of California Irvine, California 92697-7075

Wednesday, April 25

- 1:00p-8:00p Conference Registration (Grand Foyer)
- 1:00p-5:00p Governing Board Meeting I (Orcas)
- 6:30p-8:00p Opening Reception (Grand III)

Thursday, April 26

- 6:00a-6:45a UAA Fun Run (Open to all. Meet in hotel lobby area at 6:00a.)7:00a-6:00p Conference Registration (Grand Foyer)
- 7:00a-8:15a Breakfast and Roundtable Discussions (Grand III)
- 8:15a–5:45p Book Exhibit (Fifth Avenue Room)
- 8:15a–9:45a General Plenary Session (Grand III)

North American Perspectives on Cities and Migration: Which Way to a Workable Future

Moderator: Hilda J. Blanco, University of Washington Daniel Benjamin Abramson, University of Washington Mark Purcell, University of Washington Daniel Hiebert, University of British Columbia Elise M. Bright, Texas A&M University

(see biographies of plenary speakers on pages 54-55)

- 9:45a–10:00a Coffee and Conversation (Fifth Avenue Room)
- 10:00a-11:30a Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
- 11:30a-1:15p Luncheon with Speaker (Grand III)

Seattle Mayor Gregory J. Nickels

(see biography on page 54)

- 1:15p-2:00p Free Time
- 2:00p-3:30p Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
- 3:30p-4:00p Coffee and Conversation (Fifth Avenue Room)
- 5:30p-6:15p Annual Business Meeting of the Association (open to all) (Vashon II)
- 6:30p-8:00p Local Host Reception

The local host reception will be held at **Seattle's newly designed City Hall**, the symbolic heart of the Civic Center and an important public landmark that invites Seattle's citizens to participate in and celebrate their community.

(Directions to City Hall have been provided in your registration packet.)

Program Overview

Friday, April 27

7:00a-6:00p	Conference Registration (Grand Foyer)
7:00a-8:15 a	Breakfast and Roundtable Discussions (Grand III)
8:15a-5:45p	Book Exhibit (Fifth Avenue Room)
8:30a-10:00a	Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
10:00a-10:30a	Coffee and Conversation (Fifth Avenue Room)
10:30a-12:00p	Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
12:15p-1:45p	Luncheon (Grand III)
	(UAA awards, new/retiring board members announced)
2:00p-3:30p	Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
3:30p-4:00p	Coffee and Conversation (Fifth Avenue Room)
4:00p-5:30p	Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
5:30p-7:00p	Governing Board Meeting II (Grand Crescent Room)
6:30p-8:00p	Student Reception hosted by the UAA Governing Board (Fifth Avenue Room)
	(STUDENTS ONLY)

Saturday, April 28

7:00a-10:30a	Conference Registration (Grand Foyer)
7:00a-8:15a	Breakfast (Grand III)
7:45a-8:30a	JUA Editorial Board Meeting (Cascade I)
7:45a-8:30a	2008 Conference Committees Meeting (Glacier Peak)
8:15a-12:00p	Book Exhibit (Fifth Avenue Room)
8:30a-10:00a	Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
10:00a-10:30a	Coffee and Conversation (Fifth Avenue Room)
10:30a-12:00p	Concurrent Sessions (locations noted in detailed program listing)
1:00p-6:00p	Afternoon tours (please be in hotel lobby area by 12:40p)

Guidelines for Panel and Colloquy Moderators and Presenters

- Sessions are 90 minutes long. Do not wait for a crowd to form. Start promptly!
- Reserve at least 20 minutes for open discussion.
- Panelists have 12–15 minutes depending on size of panel. If a panel has five papers, each presenter has 12 minutes. If a panel has three or four papers, each presenter has 15 minutes. It is best to plan on 12 minutes regardless of the size of your panel since last minute changes in the panel could affect your allotted time. Reading of papers is not acceptable.
- Moderators are primarily responsible for introductions, keeping the time and alerting presenters of remaining minutes, and managing the open discussion period.
- If a moderator does not arrive, we ask that the first presenter take on this role.

Some Definitions

Colloquy—Formal discussion of an issue without papers. Presenters make prepared comments and engage in an open discussion with the audience.

Panel—Formal exploration of an issue through the presentation of papers followed by open discussion by presenters and the audience.

Roundtable—Informal discussion of an issue over breakfast. The discussion is open to anyone who wishes to join in and share his or her views.

Abstracts

Abstracts of papers presented at this meeting are available online at www.udel.edu/uaa.

Save the Date!

Join Us for the Urban Affairs Association's 39th Annual Meeting in

Chicago, Illinois Renaissance Chicago Hotel March 4-7, 2009

Thanks for a great proposal goes to: Robin Hambleton and his colleagues in the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs at the University of Illinois at Chicago

Session Themes

To make your task of time management easier during the conference, we have grouped panels into broad thematic areas. As we may have inadvertently omitted some relevant panels, please do not view this listing as exhaustive of all the possible group configurations. Each session is listed by its program panel number.

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- 61. The Role of "Culture" in Urban Development and Redevelopment
- 75. Dimensions of Vancouverism

Economic Development, Redevelopment, Tourism, Urban Economics, Urban Finance

BRT 6. Framework for Regional Economic Indicators

- 3. From Research to Action: A University-Funder Community Partnership
- 10. The "Baltimore Model" of Urban Regeneration: Taking Stock After 50 Years
- 13. Urban Development and Redevelopment in Comparative Perspective
- 14. Sustainability: Theory, Practice, and Policy
- 19. Local Authorities in Action: Municipal Finance and Annexation Policies
- 23. (Re)Growing Cities: Local and Neighborhood Economic Development
- BRT 12. Tax Increment Financing (TIF)
- 34. Urban Economic Development: From Micro to Mega Projects
- 37. Race, Ethnicity and Neighborhood Businesses
- 45. Sites of Reinvention in the Canadian Urban Scene
- 46. Redlining Goes Global: A Historical and Comparative Analysis of Unequal Access to Financial Services
- 53. Financial Institutions and Immigrant Neighborhood Development
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- 89. The Financialization of Urban Policy
- 96. Universities as Urban Developers: Experiences from Abroad

Education, Schools, Universities

BRT 3. Building Academic Value into International Study Tours

BRT 4. Going to Grad School in Urban Studies

12. Education Policy Impacts

Education, Schools, Universities (cont'd)

BRT 9. The Role of Urban Studies Programs Today

BRT 15. Immigrant Youth, Social Capital, and Education Programs: Issues for Research and Practice

79. Post-Katrina New Orleans (2)

96. Universities as Urban Developers: Experiences from Abroad

Environmental Issues, Sustainability, Urban Health, Technology, and Society

- BRT 5. Sustainability in U.S. Cities
- 2. Solutions for Risk Management and Local Sustainability
- 14. Sustainability: Theory, Practice, and Policy
- 28. New Perspectives on Oregon Planning
- 33. Prospects for Post-Katrina New Orleans
- BRT 14. New Urban Tragedies of the Commons
- 35. Sustaining Immigrant Communities Through Urban Gardening
- 39. Sustainability and the Re-scaling of Urban Places
- 50. Technologies of Control and Urban Spaces: Myth, Rhetoric, and Reality
- 57. Urban Environmental Sustainability
- 72. Betting on Tourism and Technology for Economic Development
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Globalization, International Urban Issues

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- BRT 7. Japanese Cities
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- 25. Issues and Strategies in the Social Integration of Immigrants
- 29. Governing Cities in a Global Era (1)
- 43. Governing Cities in a Global Era (2)
- 59. Urbanization Effects on Large and Small Cities
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- 86. Urban Reform Initiatives in the North and South: the Political Dimension
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Governance, Intergovernmental Relations, Regionalism, Urban Management

- 1. Regionalism Reconsidered I: Structure and Agency
- 13. Urban Development and Redevelopment in Comparative Perspective
- 19. Local Authorities in Action: Municipal Finance and Annexation Policies

27. Intergovernmental and Inter-sectoral Relations: Cases from Canada, Japan, Korea and the U.S.

- 29. Governing Cities in a Global Era (1)
- 31. Immigration Policies and Politics: From National to Local Conflicts
- 33. Prospects for Post-Katrina New Orleans
- 36. Affordable Housing: Local, State, and Federal Policy Initiatives
- 41. Municipal Actions to Reduce Poverty

Useful Information

Governance, Intergovernmental Relations, Regionalism, Urban Management (cont'd)

- 43. Governing Cities in a Global Era (2)
- 44. Regionalism Reconsidered II: Issues of Democracy, Scale, and Interlocal Conflict
- 54. Regionalism and Equity: The Case of Louisville
- 65. Governing Cities in a Global Era (3)
- 68. City-County Consolidation: A Comprehensive Assessment of Efficiency and Effectiveness
- 74. Community-based Nonprofits and The Provision of Services
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- 87. Is Regionalism a Path to Democracy?
- 93. Assessing Local Democracy: Survey-Based Studies
- 97. Metropolitan Governance with or without Metropolitan Government?

Housing, Neighborhoods, Community Development

- 5. Community and Neighborhood Development I
- 6. Innovative Strategies for Addressing the Needs of Changing Communities
- 7. Where Are the Original Residents of HOPE VI? New Findings on Mobility
- and Neighborhood Outcomes
- 8. Advances in Data Analysis of Housing Dynamics
- 9. Mixed Income and Mixed Race Community Contexts
- 11. Urban Simulation and Policy Analysis
- 16. Homelessness, Substance Abuse, and the Politics of Service Delivery
- 17. Urban Places and Faith-based Institutions
- 21. Urban Neighborhood Change: Gentrification and More
- 23. (Re)Growing Cities: Local and Neighborhood Economic Development
- 32. The Incidence and Spatial Distribution of Poverty and Affluence
- 33. Prospects for Post-Katrina New Orleans
- BRT 8. Cultural Vitality in Communities: Interpretation and Indicators
- BRT 10. Creating Livable Communities: Perspectives from Academia

BRT 11. The Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) program: Addressing Suburban and Urban Housing Affordability Needs

- 36. Affordable Housing: Local, State, and Federal Policy Initiatives
- 38. Expanding the Capacity and Effectiveness of CDCs
- 45. Sites of Reinvention in the Canadian Urban Scene

46. Redlining Goes Global: A Historical and Comparative Analysis of Unequal Access to Financial Services

- 47. Black Gentrification: Minimizing Displacement and Maximizing Equitable Growth
- 48. Social Class and Mobility in Urban Spaces
- 51. Immigration: Impacts on Housing and Neighborhoods
- 52. Residential Preferences: Self-Segregation v. Discrimination
- 53. Financial Institutions and Immigrant Neighborhood Development
- 60. Recent Findings from HOPE VI: Public Housing Redevelopment in the U.S.
- 62. Urban Communities and Predatory Institutions
- 64. Housing Tenure, Mobility, and Race
- 66. Equity and Recovery in Post-Katrina New Orleans
- 69. Re-framing Our Understanding of Neighborhood Change
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- 84. Housing, Poverty, and Immigration
- 85. Inclusionary and Fair Share Housing
- 91. Urban Housing Market Patterns and Perspectives
- 92. Challenges to Social Cohesion in Urban Places
- 95. Immigration and Suburbia

Immigration, Population, and Demographic Trends

- 18. Urban Migration Patterns and Impacts
- 25. Issues and Strategies in the Social Integration of Immigrants
- 31. Immigration Policies and Politics: From National to Local Conflicts

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- 84. Housing, Poverty, and Immigration
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- 94. Youth Migration and Opportunity Structures
- 95. Immigration and Suburbia

Infrastructure, Capital Projects, Networks, Transport, Urban Services

- 10. The "Baltimore Model" of Urban Regeneration: Taking Stock After 50 Years
- 20. Urban Mobility: Highways and Transport Options
- 24. Beyond Rush Hour: Transit Issues and Alternatives
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- 79. Post-Katrina New Orleans (2)

Labor, Employment, Wages, Training

- 15. The Marginalization of Employment and Earnings in Urban Places
- 73. Immigrants in the Informal Economy: U.S. Urban Experiences

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Land Use, Growth Management, Space and Place, Urban Design, Urban Development, Urban Planning

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- 83. Designing Urban Space
- 88. A Comparative and Historical Perspective on City Politics
- 90. Identity and 'Otherness' in Urban Contexts
- 98. Urban Planning and Democracy

Poverty, Welfare, Social Services, Income Inequality, Social Equity

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- 63. The Safety Net in the 21st Century: The Impact of Social and Economic Policies on Women and Their Families
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Race, Ethnicity, Gender, Diversity

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Professional Issues/Field of Urban Affairs

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- **BRT 2. Redevelopment Politics in the Global South** Ryan Centner, *University of California, Berkeley*
- **BRT 3. Building Academic Value into International Study Tours** Avis C. Vidal, *Wayne State University*
- **BRT 4. Going to Grad School in Urban Studies** Greg Andranovich, *California State University, Los Angeles* Eva Rios-Alvarado, *California State University, Los Angeles*

BRT 5. Sustainability in US Cities

Lester King, *Texas Southern University* Shanna Eller, *Portland State University* Kent Hurst, *University of Texas at Arlington*

- **BRT 6. Framework for Regional Economic Indicators** Ziona Austrian, *Cleveland State University*
- BRT 7. Japanese Cities Justin Jacobson, University of Minnesota

8:15A-9:45A GENERAL PLENARY SESSION (Grand III) (See page 3 for details.)

9:45A-10:00A COFFEE AND CONVERSATION (Fifth Avenue Room)

10:00A-11:30A CONCURRENT SESSIONS

1. Regionalism Reconsidered I: Structure and Agency

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: John Hall, Arizona State University

- Promise versus Performance: The Louisville-Jefferson County Merger Hank V. Savitch, University of Louisville Lin Ye, Roosevelt University Ron Vogel, University of Louisville
- Municipal Mergers in Quebec : Evidence of Voter Preferences Georges A. Tanguay, *Université du Québec à Montréal*
- A County's Role in Urban Improvements Judith A. Martin, *University of Minnesota* Justin Jacobson, *University of Minnesota*
- Capital Accumulation: The principal inducement for rescaling in a global economy Ismaila Odogba, *University of Louisville*
- Global city, local politics: debating governance in post-amalgamation Toronto Martin G. Horak, *University of Western Ontario*

2. Solutions for Risk Management and Local Sustainability

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Rebecca Kauten, Black Hawk Soil & Water Conservation District

- Brownfield Redevelopments: Risk Management for Residential Reuse Kristen R. Yount, Northern Kentucky University
- Stormwater Utility: Financing Clean Water in Small but Expanding Phase II Communities

Rebecca L. Kauten, Black Hawk Soil & Water Conservation District

- Sustainability through Disaster Resistance: Resiliency, the Fourth Indicator Allison F. Houlihan, *University of Louisville*
- Assessing the Costs and Benefits of Remediating Lead Poisoning in Urban Areas Lyke Thompson, *Wayne State University* Marjorie Sarbaugh-Thompson, *Wayne State University* Tsivia Finman, *Wayne State University*

3. Colloquy: From Research to Action: A University-Funder-Community Partnership

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Barbara Ferman, Temple University David W. Bartelt, Temple University Barbara Ferman, Temple University David Elesh, Temple University Carolyn T. Adams, Temple University

4. Culture, Identity and Place

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Nico Larco, University of Oregon

- Planning and Cultural Diversity in White Center, WA Michelle C. Kondo, *University of Washington*
- Both/And: Local and Global Place in False Creek North, Vancouver Nico Larco, *University of Oregon*
- The Expression of Ethnic Cultural Difference Within the Built Form Yasminah Beebeejaun, University of the West of England, Bristol
- A Place of Many Cultures Allen B. Brierly, *University of Northern Iowa*

5. Community and Neighborhood Development I

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Michael Rich, Emory University

• Civic Regionalism: Community Workforce Agreements and Federal Transportation Law

Todd Swanstrom, *Saint Louis University* Brian Banks, *Banks Consulting*

• Dynamic Neighborhood Development: Linking Schools, Families, and Housing in Portland, OR

Melissa J. Peterson, *Enterprise Community Partners* Timothy J. Peterson, *Messiah College*

- The Impact of Human Capital Development on Achievement of Savings Goals in IDAs: Four Cases in Arkansas and Mississippi Mukesh Kumar, Jackson State University Angela Gobar, Jackson State University
- Meeting the Needs of Dynamic Chicago Communities: Learning from the New Communities Program
 David Greenberg, MDRC, New York City
 Nandita Verma, MDRC, New York City
- Gentrification and Neighborhood Change: Lessons from Atlanta Michael J. Rich, *Emory University* Kelly Hill, *Emory University* Michael L. Owens, *Emory University*

6. Innovative Strategies for Addressing The Needs of Changing Communities

Room: Adams

Moderator: Kristine B. Miranne, Wayne State University

• Early Learning Opportunities and Community-Based Development: Lessons from Southwest Detroit

Kristine B. Miranne, *Wayne State University* Amber Daniels, *Southwest Solutions* Linda Stone, *Wayne State University*

- Continuity and Change in Community Response to Immigration Marcia Bok, University of Connecticut Louise Simmons, University of Connecticut
- Hmong Household in Public Housing: Fit or Fantasy? Marilyn J. Bruin, *University of Minnesota* Sarah Bellefuil, *University of Minnesota*
- Housing Hardship and Food Insecurity: Understanding the Experiences of Latinos in Small Midwestern Towns

Christine C. Cook, *Iowa State University* Kimberly A. Greder, *Iowa State University* Steven Garasky, *Iowa State University* Yoshie Sano, *Oregon State University* Bruce C. Randall, *Iowa State University*

• Setting the Table: the Formation of the Seattle-King County Food Policy Council Branden M. Born, *University of Washington*

7. Colloquy: Where Are the Original Residents of HOPE VI?: New Findings on Mobility and Neighborhood Outcomes

Room: Olympic

Moderator: Rachel G. Kleit, University of Washington Jennifer T. Comey, The Urban Institute Elizabeth Cove, The Urban Institute Larry Buron, Abt Associates Diane Levy, The Urban Institute Rachel G. Kleit, University of Washington Debi McInnis, Abt Associates

8. Advances in Data Analysis of Housing Dynamics

Room: Stuart

Moderator: Heather I. MacDonald, University of Iowa

- Measuring Housing Impacts with Spatial Hedonic Models Julia Koschinsky, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- The Meaning of HMDA: The Link Between Urban Data and Urban Change Heather I. MacDonald, *University of Iowa*
- The Impacts of State Growth Management Programs on Housing Markets in the 1990s Ming Yin, *University of Louisville*
- Property Tax and Large-lot Zoning: Are There Fiscal Incentives in Local Governments' Land Use Decisions?

Jian Sun, University of Louisville

• Job Change, Job Distance, Commute Time and Household Movement David W. Chapman, Old Dominion University John R. Lombard, Old Dominion University

9. Mixed Income and Mixed Race Community Contexts

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Laura Pangallozzi, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

- Early Resident Experiences at a New Mixed-Income Development in Chicago Mark Joseph, *Case Western Reserve University*
- Destination Neighborhoods of Multi-Move Families in the Moving to Opportunity Demonstration

Tom Kingsley, *The Urban Institute* Kathryn Pettit, *The Urban Institute*

- Maintaining Diversity in Santa Monica's Pico Neighborhood Deirdre A. Pfeiffer, *University of California Los Angeles*
- Integration Management and The New Suburban History Laura Pangallozzi, *Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey*

10. The "Baltimore Model" of Urban Regeneration: Taking Stock After 50 Years

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Heywood T. Sanders, University of Texas at San Antonio Heywood T. Sanders, University of Texas at San Antonio Donald F. Norris, University of Maryland, Baltimore County Marc V. Levine, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

11. Urban Simulation and Policy Analysis

Room: Baker

Moderator: Paul Waddell, University of Washington

• Dynamic Urban Simulation for Policy Analysis: An Assessment in Eugene-Springfield Oregon

Paul Waddell, University of Washington John Gliebe, Portland State University Joel Franklin, University of Washington Jesse Ayers, University of Washington

• Growth Targets for Urban Centers: the Location of Business Births in the Central Puget Sound Region

Hyungtai Kim, University of Washington

- Housing Choice and Accessibility Brian H. Lee, University of Washington David Layton, University of Washington Paul Waddell, University of Washington
- Housing Prices and Household Location Choices Liming Wang, University of Washington Paul Waddell, University of Washington
- Quality of Life Indicators and Neighborhood Revitalization Andrew Harrell, *University of Alberta* David L. Odynak, *University of Alberta* Jennifer A. Boisvert, *University of Alberta*
- Examining the Effects of Local Land Cover on Residential Property Prices in the Central Puget Sound Region Andrew Bjorn, University of Washington Paul Waddell, University of Washington

11:30A-1:15P LUNCH (Grand III)

1:15P-2:00P FREE TIME

2:00P-3:30P CONCURRENT SESSIONS

12. Education Policy Impacts

Room: Baker

Moderator: Andrew D. Baxter, University of North Carolina-Charlotte

• Deil S. Wright and the No Child Left Behind Act: Implications for the State of Wisconsin.

Jeffrey A. Guse, University Wisconsin-Milwaukee

- State Investment in Pre-kindergarten Programs Elaine R. Weiss, *The George Washington University*
- Philadelphia's Paradigm for Small High Schools: How Does It Fit With the Research? Tracey A. Hartmann, *Research for Action* Rebecca Reumann-Moore, *Research for Action*
- Choosing Homes and Choosing Schools in Charlotte, NC: Lessons from School Choice Andrew D. Baxter, University of North Carolina at Charlotte Dustin C. Read, University of North Carolina at Charlotte Huili Hao, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- Urban School District Fiscal Stability Amidst Enrollment Fluctuations Marguerite F. Roza, University of Washington

13. Urban Development and Redevelopment in Comparative Perspective

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Greg Andranovich, California State University, Los Angeles

- Urban Governance in An Era of Globalisation: A Comparative Perspective Adolphe Lawson, *Södertörn University College* Scarlett Cornelissen, *University of Stellenbosch*
- Structural Adjustment and Comparative Urban Redevelopment: Entrepreneurialism in Argentina, 1989-2004 Ryan Centner, *University of California, Berkeley*
- The Americanization of World Urban Policy Myron A. Levine, *Wright State University*
- Capital mobility, Urban Politics, and Wal-Mart: Confronting urban development conflicts in the US and Mexico Mark Pendras, University of Washington, Tacoma
- The Roots and Future of Historic Preservation: A Comparison of the United States with England and Australia Richard W. Jelier, *Grand Valley State University*

14. Sustainability: Theory, Practice and Policy

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Ana I. Baptista, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

- Just Policies? A Multiple Case Study of State Environmental Justice Policies Ana I. Baptista, *Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey*
- Economic Development and Environmental Quality: Towards Sustainable Metropolitan Regions

Chang-shik Song, Cleveland State University

- Are the 3 E's Enough to Sustain Sustainability? Joyce N. Levine, *Florida Atlantic University*
- Modeling Material Flows for Sustainable Industrial Systems in Urban Regions Nancey Green Leigh, *Georgia Tech*
- State Level Regime Politics of Sustainable Development in Oregon 1995-2002 Alex Welsch, *Portland State University*

15. The Marginalization of Employment and Earnings in Urban Places

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Greg Schrock, University of Illinois at Chicago

- What Happens After Manufacturing Jobs Disappear? Nancy Y. Augustine, *George Washington Institute of Public Policy*
- The Effect of Social Capital on the Earnings of Resettled Refugees Ryan P. Allen, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology*
- Pathways or Better Jobs? Discursive Alternatives to Problems of Job Quality in Low-Wage Service Work

Greg Schrock, University of Illinois at Chicago

• Location, Duration and Employment Accessibility: An Analysis of Immigrant Workers' Commutes

Cathy Yang Liu, University of Southern California

• Race and Urban Poor Job Isolation Over the 1990s Kenya L. Covington, *California State University, Northridge*

16. Homelessness, Substance Abuse, and the Politics of Service Delivery

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Brian L. Coffey, University of Washington

- Homelessness in San Francisco: The Competing Imperatives of the Spectacular and Liberal Cities Stacey Murphy, University of California at Berkeley
- Sustaining Environments and Adaptation: Place-dependent Experiences of Homelessness in Los Angeles Geoffrey DeVerteuil, University of Manitoba Matt Marr, University of California at Los Angeles David Snow, University of California at Irvine
- Holding onto One's Dignity: Homelessness and Support Services Brian L. Coffey, *University of Washington* Lisa Hoffman, *University of Washington*
- Addiction Treatment on Demand: A Community Responsibility Model Daniel P. LeClair, *Boston University*

17. Urban Places and Faith-based Institutions

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Harvey Newman, Georgia State University

- The Catholic Parish in the Post-Industrial City Bethany J. Welch, *University of Delaware*
- Congregations and Neighborhoods: The Link Between Worship and Place Mark T. Mulder, *Calvin College*

- Congregations and Neighborhoods: Race and Connections to Place Gail Gunst Heffner, *Calvin College*
- Faith Based Organizations: A Case Study of Intermediary Organizations in Philadelphia
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Pamela Leland, *University of Delaware* Harvey Newman, *Georgia State University*

18. Urban Migration Patterns and Impacts

Room: Adams

Moderator: Terry Gaouette, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

• An Overview of Migration to Urban Areas in Developing Nations and its Negative Impacts

Vijay Neekhra, *University of Tokyo* Takashi Onishi, *University of Tokyo* Tetsuo Kidokoro, *University of Tokyo*

- Declining Geographic Mobility in Urban America Brett Theodos, *The Urban Institute*
- Changing Patterms in Mobility and the Impact on Civic Capacity in Metropolitan Areas Terry A. Gaouette, *University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee*

19. Local Authorities in Action: Municipal Finance and Annexation Policies

Room: Olympic

Moderator: Rex Facer, Brigham Young University

- Internal Migration and Fiscal Performance of Local Authorities Asher Vaturi, *Tel-Aviv University*
- Residential Tax Abatements and Buyers' Choices: Do Incentives Bring People To Center Cities?

Mark S. Rosentraub, *Cleveland State University* Brian Mikelbank, *Cleveland State University*

- Does Size Matter? Privatization and Local Communities Brian D. Cherry, Northern Michigan University Douglas Ihrke, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- The Impact of Tax Increment Financing on Residential Housing Price and Neighborhood Characteristics Hongwung Wang, Indiana University
- Municipal Annexation: Exploring the Effects of Tax and Other Structures Rex L. Facer, *Brigham Young University*

20. Urban Mobility: Highways and Transport Options

Room: Stuart

Moderator: Jason B. Greenberg, Sullivan University

- Landscapes of Concrete. Highway Planning and Metropolitan Development in Montréal Claire Poitras, Institut National de la Recherche Scientifique
- Turning Brownfields Into Light Rail Transit-Oriented Developments: An Assessment Jason B. Greenberg, *Sullivan University*

• "Evaluating the Strategies Used to Increase Disadvantaged Business Participation on the Marquette Interchange Project"

Ruben L. Anthony, *University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee* Douglas M. Ihrke, *University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee*

- Spatial Development Patterns, Land Use, and Travel Behavior in Germany and the US Ralph Buehler, *Rutgers University*
- Linear Urban History: The Challenge of Urban Roads As Scenic and Historic Highways David L. Ames, *University of Delaware*

21. Urban Neighborhood Change: Gentrification and More

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Karen J. Gibson, Portland State University

- The Meanings of Public Spaces in Gentrifying Neighborhoods Hélène Bélanger, Université du Québec à Montréal
- From Urban Renewal to Gentrification: An Assessment of Public and Private Strategies

Pierre Hamel, Université de Montréal Claire Poitras, Institut National de la Recherche Scientifique

- Condominium Conversion: Impact on Affordable Housing in Portland's Oregon's Historic Structures Tanya L. March, *Portland State University* Irina V. Sharkova, *Portland State University*
- Disinvestment and Gentrification in Northeast Portland: Exploring the Linkages Leanne Serbulo, *Portland State University* Karen J. Gibson, *Portland State University*

22. Positioning Place in Urban Theory

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Judith Garber, University of Alberta

- Custodians of Place: Trusteeship Governance and the City Corporate Paul G. Lewis, *Arizona State University* Max Neiman, *Public Policy Institute of California*
- Do Canadians and Americans Have Different Perspectives of the City? Urban Policy, Space, and Collective Memory
 A Lapobe, Fact Carolina, University

A. J. Jacobs, East Carolina University

- Place and Technology: Theorizing the Augmented City Julia R. Nevarez, *Kean University*
- What Do We Know about Neighborhood Attachment and Mobilization? A Review of Converging Literature Streams
 R. Allen Hays, University of Northern Iowa
 Alexandra M. Kogl, University of Northern Iowa
- **Postmodernism or Neo-Modernism** Marc A. South, *University of Louisville*

3:30P-4:00P COFFEE AND CONVERSATION (Fifth Avenue Room)

4:00P-5:30P CONCURRENT SESSIONS

23. (Re)Growing Cities: Local and Neighborhood Economic Development

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Claudia Isaac, University of New Mexico

- Cultural Authenticity: A New Strategy for Urban Economic Development Lisa J. Servon, *Milano the New School for Management and Urban Policy* James Carr, *Fannie Mae Foundation*
- Local Economic Development Policies in Texas Cities: Which are Perceived as Effective?

Rod Hissong, University of Texas at Arlington

• Neighborhood Change and Local Business Bankruptcy in Chicago Nancy Hudspeth, University of Illinois at Chicago

24. Beyond Rush Hour: Transit Issues and Alternatives

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Russ Lopez, Boston University

- Commuting Stress: A Pilot Study Russ Lopez, Boston University
- Traffic Revolution and POLI-CAR Corrado Poli, Johns Hopkins University and Università di Bergamo (Italy)
- Comparing Biking Systems in Three Urban Counties Garry Young, *George Washington University* Katherine Coventry, *George Washington University* Royce Hanson, *George Washington University*
- Perceptions of Proximity to Urban Businesses/Facilities and Measurement Issues Kevin J. Krizek, *University of Minnesota* Ahmed El-Geneidy, *University of Minnesota*
- The Shadow Cost of Parking on Campus: A Case Study P. Anthony Brinkman, *Wayne State University* Laura S. Nall, *Wayne State University*

25. Issues and Strategies in the Social Integration of Immigrants

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Stacy A. Harwood, University of Illinois

- Insurgent Practices in Land-Use Planning: Putting Difference on the Municipal Agenda Stacy A. Harwood, University of Illinois
- Incorporating in their Adopted Cities: Mexican Immigrant Politics in Chicago, New York, Los Angeles, and Dallas Miryam Hazan, *Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey*
- Generational Effects: An Assessment of Mexican American Student Achievement Stephanie Potochnick, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

• Immigration and Integration in The United States, the United Kingdom, and Sweden: An Institutional and Structural Assessment

Ali Modarres, *California State University, Los Angeles* Ali Madanipour, *University of Newcastle, UK* Göran Cars, *Royal Institute of Technology*

• Voces de la Frontera: Immigrant Workers Respond to Globalization and Transform Urban Politics.

Michael D. Rosen, Milwaukee Area Technical College

26. Dissent, Protest, and Insurgency in Cities

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Mark Purcell, University of Washington

- Neoliberal Governance and Democratic Resistance: Seattle's Duwamish River Cleanup Mark Purcell, University of Washington
- Social Movements Raising Environmental and Social Justice Issues: How is the City Taken Into Account?

Richard Morin, Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM) Eric Shragge, Concordia University Jean-Marc Fontan, Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM) Pierre Hamel, Université de Montréal

• Politics is Not Enough: Re-examining Racial and Economic Conditions for Protest in American Cities

Todd C. Shaw, *University of South Carolina* Robert A. Brown, *Emory University*

27. Intergovernmental and Inter-sectoral Relations: Cases from Canada, Japan, Korea and the U.S.

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Bob Kerstein, University of Tampa

- Civil Society-Municipal Government Linkages in Local Policy Making: Policy Convergences Across Policy Fields? Guy Chiasson, Université du Québec en Outaouais Caroline Andrew, University of Ottawa
- Rethinking Urban Development Coalitions: Intergovernmental Triads and Policy Communities in Postindustrial Chicago James M. Smith, University of Illinois at Chicago
- The Politics of Urban Drug Policy: Intergovernmental Relations, and Place-Based Innovation

Eugene J. McCann, *Simon Fraser University* Stephanie A. Campbell, *Simon Fraser University*

- Negotiating Inter-Local Police Dispatch Agreements: Examining the Role of Economics and Social Networks Eric S. Zeemering, Indiana University
- Urban Leadership and Partnerships: A Framework for Future Research Doug Hess, *George Washington University* Meghan Salas, *George Washington Institute of Public Policy* Pamela Blumenthal, *George Washington Institute of Public Policy*

28. New Perspectives on Oregon Planning

Room: Stuart

Moderator: Hilda J. Blanco, University of Washington

- Imagining Portland's Urban Growth Boundary Carl Abbott, Portland State University
- "Windfalls and Wipeouts" in the Implementation of Statewide Land Use Planning in Oregon, 1973 to 2004

John L. Hall, Portland State University

- What is Driving Measure 37 Claims in Oregon? Sheila A. Martin, *Portland State University* Meg Merrick, *Portland State University*
- **1000 Friends of Oregon and the Oregon Planning System** Sy Adler, *Portland State University*

29. Governing Cities in a Global Era (1)

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Robin Hambleton, University of Illinois at Chicago

• Leadership, Management, Diversity – Exploring the Triangular Governance Challenge for the Modern City

Robin Hambleton, University of Illinois at Chicago

- The Tides of City Government Reform in Germany: Political Leadership, Managerialism, and the Rediscovery of Citizenship Eckhard Schroeter, *Zeppelin University*
- Are Global "Good Practices" Good? A Metacentric Analysis of German Community Governance

Janice L. Bockmeyer, City University of New York- John Jay College

30. Gender, Work and Well-being

Room: Olympic

Moderator: Heike Mayer, Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University

- Gender Violence in the Context of Economic Policy and Practice: Implication and Findings from Mexico and Russia Elizabeth Sweet, University of Illinois Urbana Champaign
- Do Compact and Mixed Neighborhoods Work for Single-Mother Headed Households? Yizhao Yang, University of Oregon Dehui Wei, University of Oregon
- Diversity, Entrepreneurship and Urban Environment Darrene Hackler, *George Mason University* Heike Mayer, *Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University*
- Immigrant Women in the New Economy : An Overview of the Montreal Situation. Sylvie Paré, *Université du Québec à Montréal*

31. Immigration Policies and Politics: From National to Local Conflicts

Room: Adams

Moderator: Richard E. Martinez, The University of Minnesota

- Buried Cities: Anti-immigration Rhetoric and the Myth of Modernity Sharon M. Meagher, *University of Scranton*
- Remaking the "Giddy Multitude": Twenty-first Century Immigration and the Politics of Fear

Philip C. DiMare, California State University, Sacramento

- The Metropolitan Dimensions of U.S. Immigration Policy Nicole G. Toussaint, *Portland State University*
- National Immigration Reform in the United States and Unintended Consequences at the Local Level

Richard E. Martinez, The University of Minnesota

• Settling the Unsettled: Migrants, Municipalities and Multilevel Governance in British Columbia

Warren Magnusson, *University of Victoria* Serena Kataoka, *University of Victoria*

32. The Incidence and Spatial Distribution of Poverty and Affluence

Room: Baker

Moderator: Ross Gittell, University of New Hampshire

- Did a Strong Economy in the 1990s Affect Poverty in US Metro Areas? Ross Gittell, *University of New Hampshire* Edinaldo Tebaldi, *University of New Hampshire*
- Methods Matter: A Recount of Concentrated Poverty Using a Relative Definition Robert W. Ryan, Saint Louis University Katy Stigers, Saint Louis University
- Low Income Families and Their Exposure to Other Income Groups Jason C. Booza, *Wayne State University*
- Patterns of Urban Affluence and Poverty Susan F. Bennett, DePaul University
- Neighbourhood Social Polarization in Canadian Cities Under Globalization, Neoliberalism, and Economic Restructuring Alan Walks, *University of Toronto* Larry S. Bourne, University of Toronto Richard Maaranen, *University of Toronto*

33. Colloquy: Prospects for Post-Katrina New Orleans

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Susan Saegert, *City University of New York Graduate Center* Susan Saegert, *City University of New York Graduate Center* Rebekah Green, *Earth Institute of Columbia University* Namkyung Oh, *University of Pittsburgh* Carey Shea, *The Rockefeller Foundation* Ronald Shiffman, *Pratt Graduate Center for Planning and the Environment*

5:30P-6:15P ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING (Vashon II)(open to all)

6:30P-8:00P LOCAL HOST RECEPTION (Seattle City Hall) (Directions in registration packet)

Friday, April 27

7:00A-8:15A BREAKFAST AND ROUNDTABLES (Grand III)

- **BRT 8.** Cultural Vitality in Communities: Interpretation and Indicators Maria Rosario Jackson, *The Urban Institute* Joaquin Herranz, *University of Washington*
- BRT 9. The Role of Urban Studies Programs Today Judith A. Martin, University of Minnesota
- **BRT 10. Creating Livable Communities: Perspectives From Academia** Fritz Wagner, *University of Washington* Jane Brooks, *University of New Orleans*
- BRT 11. The Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) program: Addressing Suburban and Urban Housing Affordability Needs David P. Varady, University of Cincinnati

Mark Flynn, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Al Levine, Seattle Housing Authority Stephen Norman, King County Housing Authority Arthur Sullivan, ARCH (A Regional Coalition for Housing)

- BRT 12. Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Fitzgerald C. Scott, University of Illinois, Chicago
- **BRT 13.** Publishing in the Journal of Urban Affairs-The Editor's Perspective Victoria Basolo, University of California at Irvine
- BRT 14. New Urban Tragedies of the Commons: Dilemmas at the Interface Between New Technologies, Individual and Public Choices Sanda Kaufman, Cleveland State University
- BRT 15. Immigrant Youth, Social Capital, and Education Programs: Issues for Research and Practice Kira Krenichyn, ActKnowledge

Lymari Benitez, ActKnowledge

8:30A-10:00A CONCURRENT SESSIONS

34. Urban Economic Development: From Micro to Mega Projects

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Daniel Schulgasser, City of Newark, New Jersey

• Intra-metropolitan Preferences of Property Developers in Greater Toronto's Office Market

Igal Charney, University of Haifa

• Public Opinion, Economic Development, and Policy Impact: Riverboat Casinos in Gary, Indiana

Neil Kraus, University of Wisconsin, River Falls

- Urban Renaissance Mega-Projects: Does the Advent of the Network Society Encourage a Return to "Grand Urban Schemes"? Deike Peters, *Technical University Berlin*
- The Homegrown Designer Clothing Industry in Portland, Oregon: Charles Heying, Portland State University Shanna Eller, Portland State University Marianne Ryder, Portland State University

35. Colloquy: Sustaining Immigrant Communities Through Urban Gardening

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Jeffrey Hou, University of Washington Daniel M. Winterbottom, University of Washington Julie M. Johnson, University of Washington Jeffrey Hou, University of Washington Vanessa N. Lee, University of Washington

36. Affordable Housing: Local, State and Federal Policy Initiatives

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Joanna D. Duke, Arizona State University

- Governance and Diversity: Strategies for Promoting Economic, Racial and Social Integration in Metropolitan Phoenix Joanna D. Duke, *Arizona State University*
- Innovation and Entrenchment among Public Housing Authorities: Housing the Poorest of the Poor in the Northwest Rachel G. Kleit, *University of Washington* Stephen B. Page, *University of Washington*
- States, Housing, and Policy Innovation: The Role of State Housing Finance Agencies Corianne P. Scally, *Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey*
- City Housing Conditions, Strategies, and Types: Results of a Survey of City Housing Directors

Christopher W. Hoene, *National League of Cities* Christiana McFarland, *National League of Cities*

• Can States and Cities House the Poor Without Federal Subsidies? Alex Schwartz, *Milano The New School for Management and Urban Policy* Elizabeth J. Mueller, *University of Texas at Austin*

37. Race, Ethnicity and Neighborhood Businesses

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Ward F. Thomas, California State University, Northridge

- Camionetas in the US: Informal Transit Companies as Minority-Owned Businesses Lisa A. Schweitzer, Virginia Tech Abel Valenzuela, Virginia Tech Adriele Robles, Virginia Tech
- Korean American Hostess Bars in the Los Angeles South Bay: Externalities of Korean Corporate Relocation

Lily K. Song, University of California, Los Angeles

• Immigrant Entrepreneurs and Community Development: Korean Dry Cleaners in Los Angeles

Ward F. Thomas, California State University, Northridge

• Merchant Effects: Inner-City Small Businesses as Agents of Neighborhood Revitalization Stacey A. Sutton, *Columbia University*

38. Expanding the Capacity and Effectiveness of CDCs

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Sarah L. Coffin, Saint Louis University

• Uses of Data, Maps, and GIS for Community Empowerment: Successes, Failures, and Challenges

Meg Merrick, Portland State University

• Role of CDCs in Urban Community Development: The Success Story of Papakolea CDC in Honolulu, Hawaii

Muthusami Kumaran, University of Hawaii-Manoa

 Learning to Walk the Walk AND Talk the Talk: Using Technology to Increase CDC Brownfield Redevelopment Capacity
Sarah L. Coffin, Saint Louis University
Mark Tranel, University of Missouri - St Louis
Barbara Holmes, Saint Louis University
Ruth Sergenian, Saint Louis University
Will Winter, University of Missouri - St Louis
Joe Decepida, Saint Louis University

39. Sustainability and the Re-scaling of Urban Places

Room: Baker

Moderator: Isabelle A. Maret, University of New Orleans

- The Reorganization of New Orleans' Urban Region: How Disasters Can Impact Migrations at the Regional Level? Isabelle A. Maret, *University of New Orleans*
- **Process Tools for Sustainable Community Planning:** Efraim Ben-Zadok, *Florida Atlantic University*
- Sustainable Urbanism for the Next Century: Envisioning Seattle's Green Future Nancy D. Rottle, *University of Washington*
- Analytical Approaches to Social Equity Applicable in Urban Planning Donald H. Miller, *University of Washington*

40. Multiracial Politics

Room: Adams

Moderator: Deborah E. Ward, Seton Hall University

- Explaining African American Attitudes toward Immigration Maruice Mangum, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville
- Immigration and Local Policies in Spanish Cities: Legalization, Integration and the "Call Effect"

Jose Manuel Rodriguez Alvarez, Autonomous University of Madrid

- Immigrants and Race: Possibilities and Pitfalls for Multiracial Politics Ron Hayduk, Borough of Manhattan Community College, CUNY
- Urban Voting Patterns and Female Minority Representation Deborah E. Ward, Seton Hall University
- The impact of Caribbean Immigration on Ethnic Politics in Hartford, Connecticut Francois Pierre-Louis, *Queens College, CUNY*

41. Colloquy: Municipal Actions to Reduce Poverty

Room: Olympic

Moderator: Christopher W. Hoene, *National League of Cities* Christopher W. Hoene, *National League of Cities* Phyllis Furdell, *National League of Cities* Susan E. Clarke, *University of Colorado at Boulder* Hannah McKinney, *Kalamazoo College* Kiran Cunningham, *Kalamazoo College*

42. Framing Political and Social Realities: The Role of the Media

Room: Stuart

Moderator: Danilo Yanich, University of Delaware

• Ebb & Flow: The Representation of Future Urban Population Shifts in Contemporary Cinema

William J. Fasano, Arizona State University

- How Local is Local?: The FCC & Media Ownership Danilo Yanich, *University of Delaware*
- Local Television News, Health Information and Persons in Poverty Judi T. Haberkorn, *University of Delaware*
- Renegotiating Democracy in Public Space Anna Livia Brand, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- **Migrating Visions: 'The Image of the City' and the Filmic Imaginary** Nicole Huber, *University of Washington*

43. Governing Cities in a Global Era (2)

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Jill Simone Gross, Hunter College of the City University of New York

- Looking at Universities as Promoters of Local Governance: Analysing the Project Pro-Regiones in Atoyac, Guerrero Mexico Arturo Flores, National Autonomous University of Mexico
- Public Authorities and the New Ecology of Urban Governance James M. Smith, *University of Illinois at Chicago* Dennis R. Judd, *University of Illinois at Chicago*
- Diversity and the Democratic Challenge: Governing World Cities Jill Simone Gross, Hunter College of the City University of New York
- Against 'Partnership': Toward a Local Challenge to Global Neoliberalism Jonathan S. Davies, *University of Warwick*

44. Regionalism Reconsidered II: Issues of Democracy, Scale, and Interlocal Conflict

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Kimberly M. James, Georgia State University

- **Political Dynamics of Incorporation in the Atlanta Metropolitan Area** Kimberly M. James, *Georgia State University*
- Race, Land, and Power: Unpacking Racial Conflict in Regional Affairs Laura E. Evans, University of Washington
- Central City and Suburban Participation in Interlocal Cooperation Lynette Rawlings, *The Urban Institute*
- Urban Governance, the 'Virtual Region' and Policy Making: Moving Towards 'Integrated' City-Regionalism? Tassilo Herrschel, University of Westminster
- Emerging Megacities and Neighborhood Control: a Unique Opportunity? Elise M. Bright, *Texas A&M University*

10:00A-10:30A COFFEE AND CONVERSATION (Fifth Avenue Room)

10:30A-12:00P CONCURRENT SESSIONS

45. Sites of Reinvention in the Canadian Urban Scene

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Tyler R. Pearce, University of British Columbia

- The Reinvention of Ethnic Districts into Sites for Tourism, Leisure and Consumption: The Case of Chinatown, 1900-2007. Francois L. Bertrand, *University of British Columbia*
- The Homeownership Prospects of Newcomers in Toronto Pablo Mendez, University of British Columbia
- The Sweet S(m)ell of Nostalgia: The Role of Place Marketing in the Production of the 'New Urbanesque' Nicholas A. Lynch, University of British Columbia

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• Research, Race and Reinvention: Geographical Imaginaries on Winnipeg's Main Street Strip

Tyler R. Pearce, University of British Columbia

46. Redlining Goes Global: A Historical and Comparative Analysis of Unequal Access to Financial Services

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Gregory D. Squires, George Washington University

- Is There Redlining Outside Northern America?: The Case of the Netherlands Manuel B. Aalbers, *University of Amsterdam*
- From Redlining to Reinvestment: The Role of Organizing and Advocacy Gregory D. Squires, *George Washington University* Jan Chadwick, *George Washington University*

• An Evolutionary Model of Credit-Market Redlining and Discrimination, with a US Case Study

Gary A. Dymski, *University of California* Melody Y. Chiong, *University of California, San Diego*

• Reconsidering the Origins of Redlining and the Role of HOLC Kristen Crossney, National Center for Neighborhood and Brownfields Redevelopment David Bartelt, Temple University

47. Black Gentrification: Minimizing Displacement and Maximizing Equitable Growth

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Derek S. Hyra, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

- Black Gentrification: Minimizing Displacement and Maximizing Equitable Growth Derek S. Hyra, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
- White Power/Black Brokers Mary E. Pattillo, Northwestern University
- Racial Uplift in the Ghetto Kesha S. Moore, *Drew University*

48. Social Class and Mobility in Urban Spaces

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Louise Jezierski, Michigan State University

- The Problem of Place for the Middle Class in Cities and Suburbs Louise Jezierski, *Michigan State University*
- Reshaping the Urban Civic Fabric? Middle Class Practices of In- and Exclusion in Rotterdam, The Netherlands and New Haven, US Marco van der Land, OTB Research Institute for Housing, Urban and Mobility Studies Talja Blokland, OTB Research Institute for Housing, Urban and Mobility Studies
- Public Housing and Creating Inclusive Communities through Balancing Social Mix in Korea

Seong-Kyu Ha, Chung-Ang University

• (Re)thinking the Quality of Urban Life: Mobility and Environment as Two Faces of the Same Context

Catarina S. Oliveira, Instituto Superior de Ciências do Trabalho e da Empresa

49. Colloquy: Author Meets Critics – "Electoral Politics Is Not Enough: Racial and Ethnic Minorities and Urban Politics"

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Michael L. Owens, Emory University Michael L. Owens, Emory University Mara S. Sidney, Rutgers University-Newark Robert A. Brown, Emory University Peter Burns, Loyola University New Orleans

50. Technologies of Control and Urban Spaces: Myth, Rhetoric, and Reality

Room: Baker

Moderator: Robert Warren, University of Delaware

• Protecting Our Cities from Nefarious Voices: Low Power Radio and the FCC in Urban Spaces.

Stacy Warren, Eastern Washington University

- "From Burglar Alarms to Precision Missiles: The Use of Technology to Control Access to and Behavior in Urban Space Robert Warren, University of Delaware
- Feigning Control of the Uncontrollable? Money Laundering, Information-Communication Technologies, and the Proliferation of Surveillance in the Wars on Drugs and Terrorism Peter Shields, *Eastern Washington University*

51. Immigration: Impacts on Housing and Neighborhoods

Room: Adams

Moderator: Gordana Rabrenovic, Northeastern University

- **Do Immigrants Contribute to Urban Violence?** Gordana Rabrenovic, *Northeastern University* Daniela Methe, *Northeastern University*
- Gated Communities and Social Change: Impact of Gating and Latino Immigration on American Cities

Elena Vesselinov, University of South Carolina

- Immigration, Neighbourhood Change and Housing Values: The Vancouver Experience Markus Moos, University of British Columbia
- When High Education Meets High Poverty: a Case of Russian-Speaking America. Irina V. Sharkova, *Portland State University*

52. Residential Preferences: Self-Segregation v. Discrimination

Room: Olympic

Moderator: Nancy Kleniewski, Bridgewater Sate College

• Minority Homeownership in Texas: Residential Advantage vs. Social-economic Disadvantage

Yoonhwan Park, The University of Texas at Dallas

• Testing an Empirical Model of Neighborhood Transformation in Detroit from 1940-1960

Theodore C. Jurkiewicz, Youth Leadership Institute

 Better or Worse, Together or Apart? Locational Choice and Neighborhood Conditions of Immigrants using Housing Vouchers Victoria Baselo, University of California at Invine

Victoria Basolo, University of California at Irvine

53. Financial Institutions and Immigrant Neighborhood Development

Room: Stuart

- Ethnic Banking in Asian American Neighborhoods: Looking at Ten Metropolitan Areas Michela M. Zonta, *Virginia Commonwealth University*
- The Transformation of New York's Chinatown Post-9/11: Financial and Professional Concentration

Andrew Mondschein, University of California, Los Angeles

- Complex Transactions: Race, Relationships and Lending in Community Development Financial Institutions R. Varisa Patraporn, University of California, Los Angeles
- Ethnic Banks and Immigrant Neighborhood Development Tarry Hum, *Queens College, CUNY*

54. Regionalism and Equity: The Case of Louisville

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Ronald K. Vogel, University of Louisville

- Regionalism and Equity: The Case of Louisville Ronald K. Vogel, *University of Louisville*
- **Tipping the Scales: Justice, Democracy, and Consolidation in Louisville** Derek M. Ruez, *Earlham College*
- Division and Power in Louisville's New Metropolitan Council Maria A. Scheitz, *University of Louisville/ University of Cincinnati*
- Regionalism and Equity: The Case of Louisville and Living Wage Nicholas J. Lutz, *University of Louisville*
- New Regionalist Mobility Strategies: An Empirical Analysis Natalie E. Weis, *University of Louisville*

55. The Politics of Urban Development

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Judith Garber, University of Alberta

• Urban Redevelopment and Machine Building in Postwar Chicago: An Institutionalist Perspective

Joel Rast, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

- Rethinking the Politics of Downtown Development Elizabeth Strom, University of South Florida
- Shifting Values, Novel Practices, and New Alliances: The Cultural Impetus for Regime Change in Philadelphia
 - Steve McGovern, Haverford College
- Beyond Market and Regime: A Context Variable for Political Change in Urban Political Analysis

Kate W. Sears, Arizona State University

12:15P—1:45P LUNCH (Grand III)

2:00P-3:30P CONCURRENT SESSIONS

56. Urban Growth and Land Use Issues

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Robert A. Collins, Dillard University

- Suburb to Center: Reinventing the New England Town Robert G. Amey, *Bridgewater State College*
- Applications of Green Belt Strategies to Manage Urban Growth Amal K. Ali, *Salisbury University*
- Catalysts, Costs and Preventative Negotiations for Encroachment on Military Bases by Urban Communities

Erika R. Chavez-Graziano, University of Louisville

57. Urban Environmental Sustainability:

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Noah J. Toly, Wheaton College

- Cities in Global Environmental Politics Noah J. Toly, Wheaton College
- Smart Growth for Whom? Local, State and Regional Growth Regimes Margaret Killmer, *Center for Community Planning Education*
- Building Capacity to Respond to Climate Change Hilda J. Blanco, University of Washington
- Cities and Climate Change: Adaptive Solutions through Scenario Building Marina Alberti, University of Washington
- Evaluating the Relative Potential of Alternative Approaches Toward Local Environmental Sustainability Shanna N. Eller, *Portland State University* Stephen J. Shackman, *Portland State University*

58. Colloquy: Progressive Cities Revisited: Challenges of 21st Century Progressive Urban Politics and Governance

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Louise Simmons, University of Connecticut Louise Simmons, University of Connecticut Peter Dreier, Occidental College Wilbur Rich, Wellesley College Pierre Clavel, Cornell University
59. Urbanization Effects on Large and Small Cities

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Michael Timberlake, University of Utah

- The Rise of Shanghai in the Chinese City System, 1990-Present Michael Timberlake, *University of Utah* Xiulian Ma, *University of Utah*
- Urban Concentration Versus Urban Primacy: A Discussion on the Need to Distinguish Between These Two Concepts Abdelaziz El Jaouhari, United Arab Emirates University
- Urban Transformations on India's West Coast Neema Kudva, *Cornell University*

60. Recent Findings from HOPE VI: Public Housing Redevelopment in the U.S.

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Edward G. Goetz, University of Minnesota

- Implications of Poor Health for Employment Among Public Housing Residents Diane K. Levy, *The Urban Institute* Mark Woolley, *The Urban Institute*
- Findings from HOPE VI Evaluations in Memphis Laura E. Harris, *University of Memphis*
- Creating Geographies of HOPE and Decline Jim C. Fraser, University of North Carolina
- The Relocation of the Columbia Villa Community: Views from Residents Karen J. Gibson, *Portland State University*

61. The Role of "Culture" in Urban Development and Redevelopment

Room: Baker

Moderator: Gary R. Rassel, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

- Tel Aviv: Jewish Immigration and the Cultural Make-up of the First Hebrew City Arnon Golan, *University of Haifa* Maoz Azaryahu, *University of Haifa*
- Innovations in Funding Municipal Art and Culture Facilities Gary R. Rassel, *University of North Carolina at Charlotte*
- The Racial Politics of Urban Celebrations: A Comparative Study Annis J. Whitlow, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology*
- The Cultural Strategies of Redevelopment Agencies: Influences on the Arts in Central Cities

Carl Grodach, University of Texas at Arlington

62. Urban Communities and Predatory Institutions

Room: Adams

Moderator: Gregory D. Squires, George Washington University

- Effects of Anti-Predatory Lending Laws: An Initial Assessment Tonya D. Zimmerman, *University of Maryland, Baltimore County*
- Are Home and Auto Insurance Policies Excessively Priced in Cities? George Galster, Wayne State University Jason Booza, Wayne State University
- Redlining or Risk? A Spatial Analysis of Auto Insurance Rates in Los Angeles Michael A. Stoll, University of California, Los Angeles Paul Ong, University of California, Los Angeles
- Mortgage Fraud: A Risk and Protective Factor Analysis Andrew T. Carswell, University of Georgia Ron Malega, University of Georgia Douglas C. Bachtel, University of Georgia
- Social Capital and Public Policy: Increasing Access to Credit in Urban Communities Colleen L. Casey, *Saint Louis University*

63. The Safety Net in the 21st Century: The Impact of Social and Economic Policies on Women and their Families

Room: Olympic

Moderator: Kristine B. Miranne, Wayne State University

• The Anti-Poverty Push: Progressive Welfare Reform, Human Rights, and Economic Justice

Ivory Copeland, University of Connecticut

- TANF REDUX: What We Have Not Learned from the First 10 Years of Welfare Reform Karen A. Curtis, *University of Delaware*
- **Permanent Housing Programs for Abused Women and their Families** Hilary Botein, *University of Connecticut* Andrea Hetling, *University of Connecticut*
- Migration, Elderly Concentration, and Old-Age Support Nicole Ruggiano, *University of Delaware*

64. Housing Tenure, Mobility, and Race

Room: Stuart

Moderator: Mary Wenning, Wright State University

- Why Do They Leave? Attrition in Homeownership Counseling Programs Anna M. Santiago, *Wayne State University* George C. Galster, *Wayne State University*
- What Moves Movers? Mobility and Exit from Homeownership among Affordable Mortgage Borrowers.

Jonathan S. Spader, *University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill* Roberto G. Quercia, *University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill*

• Understanding Racial Inequality in Homeownership: A Dynamic Approach Vanesa Estrada, University of California, Los Angeles

- Examining Mobility Expectations Among Homeowners in Dayton, Ohio Mary Wenning, *Wright State University*
- Race, Class, and Homeownership: Achieving the American Dream in the City of Angels Matt A. Barreto, University of Washington Stephen Nuno, University of California Mara Marks, Loyola Marymount University

65. Governing Cities in a Global Era (3)

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Richard Stren, University of Toronto

• Local Governance Challenges in Developing Countries: Fiscal and Informal Sector Issues

Richard Stren, University of Toronto

- Globalization and Informalization of the Latin American City: A Hypothesis John J. Betancur, University of Illinois at Chicago
- Theoretical Concepts of Urban Politics Reexamined: Studying urban governance through governing arrangements Masha Djordjevic, Open Society Institute, Budapest
- Israel's Local Government Reform Agenda in an Era of Globalization: Neoliberalism, Managerialism and the Role of the Central State Eran Razin, *The Hebrew University of Jerusalem*

66. Equity and Recovery in Post-Katrina New Orleans

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Jacob Wagner, University of Missouri-Kansas City

- **Predicting Neighborhood Recovery in Post-Katrina New Orleans** Michael Frisch, *University of Missouri-Kansas City*
- Equity Implications of Trail-Oriented Development: The Lafitte Corridor Case Jacob A. Wagner, University of Missouri-Kansas City Willard Fields, Rails-to-Trails Conservancy
- Social Networks and Community Power in Post-Katrina New Orleans Sarah Lewis, *University of New Orleans* Kimberly Pratt, *University of New Orleans*
- Equity in a Divided City: Evaluating Louisiana's Housing Recovery Programs Renia Ehrenfeucht, University of New Orleans
- Neighborhood Renaissance: Planning for the Architectural and Cultural Rebirth of New Orleans Post-Katrina Jane S. Brooks, *University of New Orleans*

3:30P-4:00P COFFEE AND CONVERSATION (Fifth Avenue Room)

4:00P-5:30P CONCURRENT SESSIONS

67. Sports in Urban Economic Development

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Heywood T. Sanders, University of Texas at San Antonio

• Narrowing the Playing Field: The Economic Impact of Sports Stadiums at the City Level

Charles A. Santo, The University of Memphis

- Newspaper Rhetoric and Stadium Development Ernest A. Buist, *University of Alberta* Daniel S. Mason, *University of Alberta*
- Urban Policy, Urban Scholarship, and the Irrelevance of Analysis Heywood T. Sanders, *University of Texas at San Antonio*
- Teaching Economic Development: Lessons from the Dallas Cowboys David Swindell, University of North Carolina at Charlotte Mark Rosentraub, Cleveland State University
- Finding the Winning Frame: Regimes, Agendas, and Strategic Rhetoric in Seattle's Sports Stadium Debates Joshua Sapotichne, University of Washington

68. City-County Consolidation: A Comprehensive Assessment of Efficiency & Effectiveness

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Kurt Thurmaier, Northern Illinois University

- **Promises Made, Promises Kept?: An Analysis of Ten Comparative Cases** Suzanne M. Leland, *University of North Carolina at Charlotte* Kurt Thurmaier, *Northern Illinois University*
- Western Style Consolidation: The Case of Butte and Bozeman, MT Susan Keim, University of Kansas Justin Marlowe, University of Kansas
- City-County Consolidation: A Comprehensive Assessment of Efficiency and Effectiveness Kurt Thurmaier, Northern Illinois University
- Does Consolidation Make A Difference? A Case Study of Richmond and Virginia Beach, VA

Nicholas J. Swartz, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

• Improving the Efficiency of Service Delivery in Local Government: An Assessment of City-County Consolidation in Wyandott Suzanne M. Leland, University of North Carolina at Charlotte Curtis Wood, Northern Illinois University

69. Re-framing Our Understanding of Neighborhood Change

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Larry S. Bourne, University of Toronto

• Deconstructing Neighbourhood Transitions: The Contribution of Migration and Housing Tenure

Larry S. Bourne, University of Toronto

- A New Framework for Understanding Neighborhood Change Andree Tremoulet, *Portland State University*
- Gentrification, Markets, and Policy: An Examination of Media Accounts Robert V. Grantham, *University of Massachusetts-Lowell* Thomas Krebs, *Model Cities*
- Downtown Housing Southern Style: Georgia, Mississippi, South Carolina Joan M. Wesley, Jackson State University

70. The State of Inner-Ring Suburbs in Metropolitan America

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Thomas J. Vicino, University of Texas at Arlington

- The Political Realities of Confronting Suburban Decline Thomas J. Vicino, *University of Texas at Arlington*
- The Geography of Suburban Decline: Comparing Old and New Suburbs in Metropolitan America

Bernadette Hanlon, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

- The Suburban Gothic: Transformation and Decline in the Suburbs John R. Short, *University of Maryland, Baltimore County*
- Metropolitan Growth Policies and Inner-Ring Suburban Decline Sugie Lee, *Cleveland State University*

71. Colloquy: A Right to Housing: A Roundtable Discussion

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Alex Schwartz, Milano The New School for Management and Urban Policy Alex Schwartz, Milano The New School for Management and Urban Policy R. Allen Hays, University of Iowa W. Dennis Keating, Levin College of Urban Affairs, Cleveland State University Peter Drier, Occidental College Rachel G. Bratt, Tufts University Susan Saegert, City University of New York Graduate School

72. Betting on Tourism and Technology for Economic Development

Moderator: Peter V. Hall, Simon Fraser University

Room: Baker

• Urban Growth Strategies in Tourism Economies: A Comparison Between Cities in Hawaii and Jamaica Karl W. Besel, Indiana University Kokomo

Muthusami Kumaran, University of Hawaii at Manoa

• Differences in Hi-Tech Immigrant Wages and Earnings Across Canadian Cities Peter V. Hall, Simon Fraser University Amir J. Khan, Social Policy and Development Centre

- Inner City Restructuring and the Politics of the High-Tech Economic Development: Evidence from Barcelona (Spain) Antonia Casellas, The University of Utah Montserrat Pallares, Universitat Autonoma Barcelona
- Tourism and the Internet: An Analysis of Official (Government) Tourism Websites for Countries in West Africa

Abena A. Aidoo, University of Delaware

• The Urban Geography of Tourism and Health Services in the United States of America David Gladstone, *University of New Orleans*

73. Immigrants in the Informal Economy: U.S. Urban Experiences

Room: Adams

Moderator: Michelle Camou, College of Wooster

• Migrant Worker Centers: Contending with Downgrading in the Low-Wage Labor Market

Nina Martin, University of Illinois at Chicago Sandra Morales, University of Illinois at Chicago Nik Theodore, University of Illinois at Chicago

- Organizing Day Laborers toward Worker Centers: Lessons from Denver Michelle Camou, *College of Wooster*
- Day Labor Worker Centers: Protecting Labor Standards in the Informal Economy Nik Theodore, University of Illinois at Chicago Abel Valenzuela, University of California, Los Angeles
- Working on the Street: Migration, Neighborhood Characteristics and Day Labor Sites in the Phoenix Metropolitan Area Francisco Lara-Valencia, Arizona State University Jacob Fisher, Arizona State University

74. Community-based Nonprofits and The Provision of Services

Room: Olympic

Moderator: David Swindell, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

• The Effect of Economic Downturn and Fiscal Retrenchment on Nonprofit Revenue Sources

Dale E. Thomson, University of Michigan-Dearborn

- Is There a Role in Service Delivery for Neighborhood-based Organizations? David Swindell, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- Government in Translation: The Local Politics of Immigrants' Equal Access to Government Services in Oakland and San Francisco Els de Graauw, University of California, Berkeley
- Policy Innovations from the Ground Up Heidi S. Swarts, *Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey*

75. Dimensions of Vancouverism

Room: Stuart

Moderator: Meg Holden, Simon Fraser University

- Measuring the Oil Vulnerability of Greater Vancouver Regional District Ruby Socorro M. Arico, *Simon Fraser University*
- Amenity Bonuses: Bridging Cultural Production and Consumption in Vancouver's City Center

Dan R. Cupa, Simon Fraser University

- Planning in the Post-Modern City Tom Walker, Simon Fraser University
- Vancouver the Ethical City Nickola Selby, Simon Fraser University Larry Berglund, City of Vancouver

76. Issues of Structure and Agency in Chicago's Urban Development

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Costas Spirou, National-Louis University

• Road to Revival: Downtown Redevelopment Policy of Chicago's Satellite Industrial Cities

Costas Spirou, National-Louis University

- Community Power Applied: Chicago's Engagement with 21st Century Globalization Larry Bennett, *DePaul University*
- The Color of Inequality: Race and Neighborhood Inequality in the Chicago Metropolitan Region

Juan Onesimo Sandoval, Northwestern University

77. In Katrina's Wake: Recapturing History, Constructing a Future

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Jocelyn D. Taliaferro, North Carolina State University

- Making it on Broken Pieces: An Examination of the Experiences of Hurricane Katrina Evacuees in Slidell, Louisiana Jocelyn D. Taliaferro, North Carolina State University Monica T. Leach, North Carolina State University Cheryl Waites, North Carolina State University Jessica DeCuir-Gunby, North Carolina State University
- **Political Development in New Orleans** Matthew O. Thomas, *California State University, Chico* Peter F. Burns, *Loyola University, New Orleans*
- Rebuilding Lives Post Katrina: An Examination of the Choices and Challenges Facing Low Income Women In Public Housing
 Richard L. Cole, University of Texas at Arlington
 Lori Moon, University of Texas at Arlington
 Nadine Jarmon, University of Texas at Arlington
 Robert Whelan, University of Texas at Arlington

6:30P-8:00P STUDENT RECEPTION (Fifth Avenue Room) (STUDENTS ONLY)

Saturday, April 28

7:00A-8:15A BREAKFAST (Grand III)

8:30A-10:00A CONCURRENT SESSIONS

78. Betting on Urban Communities: Investment vs. Disinvestment

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Julia S. Rubin, Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Policy, Rutgers University

Private Ownership of Public School Facilities: Transferring the Risk of Demographic Shifts and Functional Obsolescence

Dustin C. Dead. University of North Coroling. Charlette

Dustin C. Read, University of North Carolina-Charlotte

Understanding "Weak Market Cities"

Pamela Blumenthal, *George Washington University* Kimberly Furdell, *George Washington Institute of Public Policy* Hal Wolman, *George Washington Institute of Public Policy* Edward W. Hill, *Cleveland State University* Nancy Augustine, *George Washington Institute of Public Policy* Jennifer Vey, *The Brookings Institution*

- **Community Development Venture Capital: Past, Present and Future** Julia S. Rubin, *Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Policy, Rutgers University*
- Neighborhood Abandonment: An Exploration of Impacts of Housing Demolition in Buffalo, New York Beverly McLean, University at Buffalo
- Economic Growth in Disadvantaged Communities: An Assessment of Underserved Markets and Neighborhood Characteristics Annette Steinacker, *Claremont Graduate University*

79. Post-Katrina New Orleans (2)

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Edith J. Barrett, The University of Texas at Arlington

- Climbing the Ladder of Participation in New Orleans Lisa K. Bates, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
- The Role of Local Schools in the Well-Being of Katrina Relocated Youth Edith J. Barrett, The University of Texas at Arlington Maria Martinez-Cosio, The University of Texas at Arlington Carrie Y. Ausbrooks, The University of Texas at Arlington
- Reviving New Orleans' Health Care System: Service Delivery, Economic Development and Downtown Revitalization Marla K. Nelson, *University of New Orleans*

Robert Habans, University of New Orleans

• A Unified New Orleans? Neighborhood Organizations, Factionalism and Rebuilding After Katrina.

Ray S. Mikell, University of New Orleans

80. Voting Dynamics in Urban and Metropolitan Politics

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Corey Cook, University of San Francisco

- The Transition to Vote-by-Mail: Challenges and Opportunities in King County, WA Matt A. Barreto, University of Washington Barry Pump, University of Washington
- Building a Political Machine in a Reform City: Mayoral Power in San Francisco Corey Cook, University of San Francisco Francis Neely, San Francisco State University
- Revitalizing Urban Political Communities: Impact of Resident Migration on Voting Trends

Edward M. Proctor, Logan Institute

• The New Metro Politics: Interpreting Recent Presidential Elections Using a County-Based Regional Typology Thomas W. Sanchez, Virginia Tech

Robert E. Lang, Virginia Tech

• The Political Implications of The Growth of Gated Communities Alan Walks, University of Toronto

81. Constructing Social Capital in Urban Communities

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Michael G. Barndt, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

- The Acquisition of Social Capital Assets Among Public Housing Residents Porsche VanBrocklin-Fischer, *Wayne State University* Anna M. Santiago, *Wayne State University*
- Social Capital in Plains and Northwest US Communities Daniel J. Monti, *Boston University*
- Making Contact: Networking Strategies of Immigrant Male Sex Workers in Montreal Matthew Gore, *Concordia University*
- Mobility of a Highly Networked Community—Hmong Americans in Milwaukee Michael G. Barndt, *University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee*
- Asian Immigrants Supporting the City: Social Capital Dynamics with Urban Policy Makers

Jo Anne Schneider, George Washington University

82. Immigrant Geographies: Places, Networks, and Community

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Cathy J. Tashiro, University of Washington-Tacoma

- Chinatown: Engaging Immigrant Communities in the Preservation of Historic Places Daniel B. Abramson, *University of Washington*
- The Intersection of Place, Cultural Identity and Social Ties Among Immigrant Residents of a HOPE VI Public Housing Site Lynne C. Manzo, University of Washington
- Re-Centering Latinos: Community Organizing and the Search for Cultural Citizenship in Tacoma

Monica C. DeHart, University of Puget Sound

• Tacoma's Japanese Language School: Preserving Histories and Understanding Belonging in Pre-WWII Urban America Lisa Hoffman, University of Washington-Tacoma

83. Designing Urban Space

Room: Baker

Moderator: Lynn Weigand, Portland State University

• Active Recreation in Parks: Can Park Design and Facilities Promote Use and Physical Activity?

Lynn Weigand, Portland State University

- Metropolitan Design and Form: Does It Exist? David C. Prosperi, *Florida Atlantic University*
- The Nashville Street Life Project: Using ixed methods and an interdisciplinary research team to assess urban public spaces
 John W. Vick, Peabody College, Vanderbilt University
 Jill Robinson, Peabody College, Vanderbilt University
 Randy Morgan, Nashville Metropolitan Planning Department
 Douglas D. Perkins, Peabody College, Vanderbilt University
- A Puget Sound Regional Design Strategy Dennis M. Ryan, University of Washington

84. Housing, Poverty, and Immigration

Room: Adams

Moderator: Paul A. Jargowsky, University of Texas at Dallas

• Supply and Demand for Affordable Housing in Small-Town Texas: Obstacles and Opportunities

Shannon S. Van Zandt, Texas A&M University

- Assimilation or Stagnation? Immigrants and Neighborhoods of Concentrated Poverty Paul A. Jargowsky, *University of Texas at Dallas*
- Micro Credit for House Improvement in Low Icome Communities Cecilia H. Giusti, *Texas A&M University*

85. Inclusionary and Fair Share Housing

Room: Olympic

Moderator: Dennis Keating, Cleveland State University

- New Jersey's Fair Share Housing Saga: 35 years Dennis Keating, *Clevleand State University*
- Fair Share Redux? Meeting Regional Housing Needs in the Twin Cities, 2010-2020 Edward G. Goetz, *University of Minnesota*
- Inclusionary Zoning and Massachusetts Chapters 40B, R and S: A mixture of Carrots and Sticks for Developers and Towns Rachel G. Bratt, *Tufts University*
- Inclusionary Housing in the U.S. and Europe: A Comparative Analysis Nico Calavita, San Diego State University

86. Urban Reform Initiatives in the North and South: the Political Dimension

Room: Stuart

Moderator: Richard Stren, University of Toronto

- South African Local Government: The Limits of Institutional Reform Robert Cameron, University of Cape Town
- Cities at Risk: Implications for Governance Patricia L. McCarney, University of Toronto
- Urban Regime-building as a Strategy of Intergovernmental Reform: Explaining Toronto's Role in Immigrant Settlement Kristin Good, Dalhousie University
- Urban Policy in Developing Countries: How useful are the lessons from developed cities? Mila Freire, *The World Bank*

87. Colloquy: Is Regionalism a Path to Democracy?

Room: St. Helens

Moderator: Todd Swanstrom, Saint Louis University David L. Imbroscio, University of Louisville Loren A. King, Wilfrid Laurier University Warren Magnusson, University of Victoria Todd Swanstrom, Saint Louis University

88. A Comparative and Historical Perspective on City Politics

Room: Grand Crescent

Moderator: Clarence N. Stone, George Washington University

- A Comparative and Historical Perspective on City Politics Clarence N. Stone, *George Washington University*
- From Political Ethos to the Diagnosis of the Metropolitan Order Clarence N. Stone, *George Washington University* Robert K. Whelan, *University of Texas at Arlington*
- New Perspectives on Urban Regimes Julien van Ostaaijen, *Tilburg School of Politics and Public Administration*
- Changing Preferences in Rotterdam Pieter Tops, *Tilburg University*
- Governing coalitions and urban planning. The case of harbour redevelopment in Swedish cities

Ingemar Elander, Örebro University Åsa von Sydow, Royal Institute of Technology

10:00A-10:30A COFFEE AND CONVERSATION (Fifth Avenue Room)

10:30A-12:00P CONCURRENT SESSIONS

89. The Financialization of Urban Policy

Room: Whidbey

Moderator: Philip Ashton, University of Illinois at Chicago

- Financialization and Inner City Investment Philip Ashton, University of Illinois at Chicago
- Capital and the City: Federal Monetary Policy, Financial Regulation and Urban Governance

Kathe Newman, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

• The City as Venture Capitalist: Value Spreads, Junk Bonds and Tax Increment Financing

Rachel Weber, University of Illinois at Chicago

• Measurement and Mobilization: Mapping the Institutional and Legal Spaces of Predatory Mortgage Capital

Elvin K. Wyly, University of British Columbia Tyler Pearce, University of British Columbia Markus Moos, University of British Columbia Holly Foxcroft, University of British Columbia

90. Identity and "Otherness" in Urban Contexts

Room: Orcas

Moderator: Kerstin W. Shands, Södertörn University College

- Places and Stages: Walking and Narrating the City in Milan, Italy Cristina Moretti, *Simon Fraser University*
- Resignation or Re-signification of Urban Space? Women and Veiling Kerstin W. Shands, *Södertörn University College*
- The Uncounted Minority: Migration Patterns of the Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Population Anna R. Ball, *California State University, Chico*

91. Urban Housing Market Patterns and Perspectives

Room: Blakely

Moderator: Winnie Frohn, University of Québec in Montréal

• Toronto's Rental Housing Sector: A Model of Success, or a Classic Case of Market Failure?

David Hulchanski, University of Toronto

- Analysis of Housing Burden for U.S. Metropolitan Counties Timothy F. Kobie, *Cleveland State University* Sugie Lee, *Cleveland State University*
- Constraints and Incentives Affecting Workforce Housing in Kansas City Abigail M. York, *University of Missouri-Kansas City* Brennan Crawford, *University of Missouri-Kansas City*
- Social Housing Needs, Policy and Strategies: Lessons from Two Montréal Boroughs Winnie Frohn, University of Québec in Montréal

92. Challenges to Social Cohesion in Urban Places

Room: Vashon I

Moderator: Ronan Paddison, University of Glasgow

- **Tbilisi, Georgia: Migration, Identities, and Their Theories** Kristof A. Van Assche, *Minnesota State Universities, St. Cloud State* Martijn Duineveld, *Wageningen University*
- The Influence of Citizen Participation and Social Cohesion on the Perceived Quality of Life in Dutch Early-Post-WWII areas

Erik Van Marissing, Urban and Regional Research Centre Utrecht, Utrecht University, The Netherlands

Ronald Van Kempen, Urban and Regional Research Centre Utrecht, Utrecht University, The Netherlands

Gideon Bolt, Urban and Regional Research Centre Utrecht, Utrecht University, The Netherlands

• Democratic Practices, the Negotiation of Inter-ethnic Dialogue and the Making of Public Spaces

Ronan Paddison, University of Glasgow

93. Assessing Local Democracy: Survey-Based Studies

Room: Vashon II

Moderator: Douglas M. Ihrke, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

- Evaluating Support for Municipal Government Term Limits: Where is the Love? Douglas M. Ihrke, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Nathan Grasse, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- Electronic Democracy at the American Grassroots: Results of a Nationwide Survey Donald F. Norris, *University of Maryland Baltimore County*
- Effective Strategic Planning: Evidence from Michigan Municipalities Nathan J. Grasse, *University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee* Tara A. Blanc, *Arizona State University*

94. Youth Migration and Opportunity Structures

Room: Baker

Moderator: Stephane Tonnelat, CUNY College of Staten Island

- The Internal Distribution of Migratory Intentions among Youth in Saguenay Martin Simard, *l'Université du Québec à Chicoutimi*
- Youth Civic Engagement: Diversifying Neighborhood Councils in Los Angeles Haco Hoang, California Lutheran University Jose Marichal, California Lutheran University
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- Immigrant Spatial Assimilation: Suburban Koreans in Bergen County, New Jersey Sookhee Oh, *Brown University*

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- Gesturing Towards the Beyond: 'Posty' Urban Political Theory Serena Kataoka, University of Victoria
- **Poverty, Inequality and Social Exclusion** Mara S. Sidney, *Rutgers University-Newark*
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Thursday Lunch, April 26, 12:15P-1:45P

Mayor Gregory J. Nickels

On January 1, 2002, Greg Nickels became the 51st Mayor of the City of Seattle. He has earned a national reputation for innovative leadership in transportation, public safety, jobs, climate disruption and other challenges facing the City.

Under his leadership, City government focused on delivering reliable, high quality basic services, being accountable to the public, and solving problems. This work positioned the City to seize historic opportunities to improve transportation and economic opportunity for all.

Greg's priorities as Mayor are:

- Get Seattle moving
- Keep our neighborhoods safe
- Create jobs and opportunity for all
- Build strong families and healthy communities

Greg is a nationally-recognized advocate for transportation. He was a key leader in pushing for a light rail system to serve Seattle; that system broke ground in the fall of 2003. He led a coalition to raise public awareness and win state funding for replacement of the deteriorating Alaskan Way Viaduct. On Feb. 16, 2005, the Kyoto Protocol took effect in the 141 countries that ratified it. That day, Greg challenged mayors across the country to join Seattle in taking local action to reduce global warming pollution.

Greg began his public service career at age 19 with the City of Seattle.

His many public service accomplishments include working to make government more efficient by forming Metro, protecting children from tobacco advertising, and preserving more green space.

Thursday Plenary Session, April 26, 8:30A-10:00A

Dan Abramson is Assistant Professor of Urban Design and Planning, and also of China Studies and Canadian Studies, at the University of Washington. Before beginning work at the UW in 2001, he taught and conducted research as a Killam Postdoctoral Fellow at the Centre for Human Settlements, University of British Columbia. He holds professional masters degrees in architecture and city planning from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and a doctorate in urban planning from Tsinghua University, Beijing, where he participated in redevelopment and preservation planning projects from 1992 through 1997. He has continued to consult and research on urban affairs and planning in China, and lead international field studios to China with students and faculty from the PRC, Taiwan, Canada and the US. Among these activities, he played a central role in a 5-year project supported by the Ford Foundation in China to explore community-based planning techniques in the city of Quanzhou (pronounced like "Chwen-Jo"), Fujian Province. His publications on this experience have appeared in Journal of the American Planning Association and Journal of Planning Education and Research. Currently, he is researching the impact of diasporic relations on urban form and vernacular architecture in Quanzhou, which is the origin of a large transnational community of migrants. On the other end of the migration stream, in North America, Dan also researches intercultural planning in Vancouver's Chinatown and Seattle's Chinatown-International District, and facilitates exchanges between the two communities on common issues in neighborhood preservation and cultural identity.

Mark Purcell is an Associate Professor in the Department of Urban Design and Planning at the University of Washington. He received his Ph.D. in Geography from UCLA in 1998. His research interests include urban politics and democracy, especially as they relate to political and economic changes associated with neoliberal globalization. His current project involves developing a new model for radical urban democracy.

His work has appeared in various journals including *Urban Studies*, *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, *Journal of Urban Affairs*, *Journal of Planning Education and Research*, *Political Geography*, *Review of International Political Economy*, and *Environment and Planning*.

Daniel Hiebert is Professor of Geography at the University of British Columbia and Co-Director of the Vancouver Centre of Excellence for Research on Immigration and Integration in the Metropolis. He specializes in research on migration and urban change and recently participated in a review of Australian skilled immigration policy conducted by the Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs.

In Canada, he has worked extensively with emerging sources of information, such as the Longitudinal Immigration Database, and the Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants to Canada, to study the economic integration of newcomers. He is a member of the Joint Federal Provincial Immigration Advisory Council (for BC), and the City of Vancouver Mayor's Working Group on Immigration. He has recently completed a study of immigration and homelessness in Greater Vancouver, conducted in partnership with MOSAIC, a local NGO, as well as a large study of immigration and housing in Canadian metropolitan areas. He is currently working on a project that forecasts the landscapes of immigration in Greater Vancouver.

Elise M. Bright is program coordinator of master of urban planning program at Texas A&M University where she teaches courses in the department of landscape architecture and urban planning.

She works in a variety of planning and design positions for state, federal, regional and local government. Teaching and research specializations are land suitability analysis, site planning and design; urban revitalization, planning for low income neighborhoods, economic development; international planning; environmental planning, impact assessment and policy analysis; zoning, design and subdivision regulations. Elected by ACSP member schools, Dr. Bright is South-Central Regional representative to the ACSP governing board. Furthermore, she also received AICP designation, 2004 of Charter member, APA. Dr. Bright has also been invited to be lecturer in many events.

Dr. Bright's current research focuses on the effects of property tax over-appraisal in low income neighborhoods and the importance of regional containment in central city health. Her other areas of expertise include economic development, zoning, environmental planning, and impact assessment.

She has written or co-authored several books including Redevelopment American Style APA Planners Press, 2004; Reviving America's Forgotten Neighborhoods: An Investigation of Inner City Revitalization Efforts, 2003; Reviving America's Forgotten Neighborhoods: An Investigation of Inner City Revitalization Efforts. 2000. Winner, Paul Davidoff Award, ACSP, 2001.

Dr. Bright received her Ph.D. (Environmental Design), Texas A&M University, 1980; M.S., (City Planning), Harvard, 1975; B.S., (Government & Spanish), University of Arizona, 1972.

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