

Inequality Seminar

Spring 2016 Schedule

Thursdays 12:00-1:30 in Seashore Hall W113

January 21: No Seminar

January 28: Rene Rocha (Political Science) “The Irony of US Immigration Policy”

February 4: Aislinn Conrad-Hiebner (Social Work) “Hungry, Stressed, and Depressed: The Indirect and Direct Effects of Economic Hardship on Family Risk Factors and Child Physical Abuse.”

February 11: Nic Ziebarth (Economics) “Wage Inequality During the Great Depression”

February 18: Clarissa Rile Hayward (Washington University in St. Louis) “Responsibility and Ignorance: On Dismantling Structural Injustice”

February 25: No Seminar

March 3: Bill Carbonaro (University of Notre Dame) “Are Schools Equalizers or Stratifiers? Comparing Calendar and School Year Gains in Indiana”

March 10: Sarah Halpern-Meekin (University of Wisconsin, Madison) “It’s Not Like I’m Poor: How Working Families Make Ends Meet in a Post-Welfare World”

March 17: No Seminar – Spring Break

March 24: Melissa Wooten (University of Massachusetts, Amherst) “In the Face of Inequality: How Black Colleges Adapt”

March 31: No Seminar

April 7: No Seminar

April 14: Jake Rosenfeld (Washington University in St. Louis) “Information Sharing and Inequality in the Modern Workplace”

April 21: Mesay Tegegne (Sociology) “Distributional Inequities in Social Capital: the Role of Race and Gender in Immigrants’ Access to Bonding and Bridging Social Capital”

April 28: Mike Sauder (Sociology) TBA

May 5: Jessica Welburn (Sociology) TBA

BOLD = outsider speaker