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MEETING:

Ageing in Developing Countries: Building Bridges for Integrated Research Agendas

Santiago, Chile, 23-24 April, 2007

ORGANIZERS

This seminar is organized by the IUSSP Scientific Panel on Ageing in Developing Countries, the Latin American Demography Center (CELADE), Network for Research on Aging in Latin America and the Caribbean (REALCE), Network of Researchers on Aging in Developing Countries (University of Michigan), with the financial support of the NIA (National Institute of Aging), CELADE and UNFPA.

PROGRAMME

Monday, April 23

08:45 – 09:00 Registration and distribution of documents

09:00 – 09:15 **Opening Session:**

Dirk Jaspers Faijer, Director, CELADE-Population Division, ECLAC

Alberto Palloni, University of Wisconsin - Madison.

09:15 – 09:25 **General remarks by organizers:**

Rebeca Wong and José Miguel Guzmán

Session 1: Aging around the world: unique features

09:25 – 09:45 Featured Speaker: *Kevin Kinsella*

09:45 – 10:00 *Jiehua Lu* **Demographic Transition, Population Aging, and Policy Implications in China**

10:00 – 10:15 *Alberto Palloni*. **The elderly in Latin America and the Caribbean**

10:15 – 10:30 *Moneer Alam* **Ageing in South Asia: A profile and emerging issues for future research**

10:30 – 10:45 *Steve Tollman* **Advancing Aging: Harnessing the INDEPTH Network to extend the field (REMOTE)**

10:45 – 11:00 **Discussant:** *Richard Suzman*

11:00 – 11:15 Discussion

11:15 – 11:25 **Coffee Break**

Session 2: Health inequalities

11:25 – 11:40 Featured speaker: *James Smith*

11:40 – 11:55 *Zachary Zimmer*, **Poverty, wealth inequality and health among older adults living in rural Cambodia (REMOTE)**

- 11:55 – 12:10 *Li Yi*, **The Social Stratification of Health: the case of older Chinese**
- 12:10 – 12:25 *Francois Beland*, **Health differences in later life: gender perspective on health and function in LAC urban elderly**
- 12:25 – 12:40 **Discussant:** *Samuel Preston*
- 12:40 – 12:55 Discussion
- 11:55 – 14:30 **Lunch Break**

Session 3: Life course influences on later life health

- 14:30-14:40 Featured speaker: *Alberto Palloni*
- 14:40 – 14:55 *Daniel Eid*, **Development, aging and the life course of infectious diseases among Tsimane' Native South Americans in Bolivia.**
- 14:55 – 15:10 *Cecilia Albala*, **Nutrition supplement and exercise interventions in Chile**
- 15:10 – 15:25 *Kenya Noronha*, **Effect of Early Conditions on Functional Status among Elderly in Latin-America and the Caribbean**
- 15:25 – 15:40 *Katherine Yount*, **Resources across the Life Course and Cognitive Functioning among Older Women and Men in Egypt (REMOTE)**
- 15:40– 15:55 *Chris Kuzawa*, **Early environments and cardiovascular risk in the Philippines**
- 15:55 – 16:10 **Discussants:** *Mary McEniry and Michael Gurven*
- 16:10 – 16:20 Discussion
- 16:20 – 16:40 **Coffee Break**

Session 4: Health expectancy and use of health services

- 16:40 – 17:00 Featured speaker: *Jean Marie Robine*
- 17:00 – 17:15 *Madelín Gómez León*, **Disability and Healthy Life Expectancy: comparison among Italy, Bulgaria, Canada, and Latin America**
- 17:15 – 17:30 *Flavia Andrade*, **Healthy Life Expectancy in Older People With and Without Diabetes in Latin America and the Caribbean**
- 17:30 – 17:45 *Jennifer Tovar*, **The Rural Urban Divide: Healthcare Services Use among Older Mexicans in Mexico**
- 17:45 – 18:00 *Mary Beth Ofstedal*, **Trends and Determinants of Old-Age Disability in Asia: An Overview**
- 18:00 – 18:15 **Discussant:** *Kyriakos Markides*
- 18:15 – 18:30 Discussion
- 18:30 – 19:30 **Cocktail**

Tuesday, April 24

Session 5: What should we be measuring to test theories about health and mortality? Biomarkers//self-reports//Anthropometric

- 09:00 – 09:20 Featured Speaker: *Richard Cooper*
- 09:20 – 09:35 *Luis Rosero*, **Collecting, validating and using data on biomarkers and diet. The CRELES experience**
- 09:35 – 09:50 *Maxinne Weinstein*, **The Taiwan Biomarker Project**

- 09:50 – 10:05 *Somnath Chatterjee*, **Cross-population comparability of self-reported health data - issues and possible solutions**
- 10:05 – 10:20 *Zeng Yi*, **Having a daughter may be beneficial at oldest-old ages – lessons learned from the Chinese Longitudinal Healthy Longevity Study**
- 10:20 – 10:40 **Discussant:** *Chris Kuzawa*
- 10:40 – 10:55 Discussion
- 10:55 – 11:15 **Coffee Break**

Session 6: On intergenerational transfers

- 11:15 – 11:35 Featured Speaker: *Hillard Kaplan*
- 11:35 – 11:50 *J. Bravo*, **Economic significance of inter-age reallocations in Chile, 1997**
- 11:50 – 12:05 *Luis Rosero*, **Determinants of support among older people: A comparative study of Costa Rica, Spain and England**
- 12:05 – 12:25 **Discussant:** *Roberto Ham-Chande*
- 12:25 – 12:40 Discussion
- 12:40 – 14:30 **Lunch Break**

Session 7: On intrafamily exchanges and residential arrangements

- 14:30 – 14:50 Featured Speaker: *Jose Miguel Guzmán*
- 14:50 – 15:05 *Leticia Marteleto*, **Demographic change and the living arrangements of the elderly: the case of Brazil**
- 15:05 – 15:20 *Leila Nawar*, **Living arrangements and informal support to older adults in Egypt**
- 15:20 – 15:35 *Soumitra Ghosh*, **Living arrangements among elderly women in India (REMOTE)**
- 15:35 – 15:50 **Discussant:** *Gilbert Brenes*
- 15:50 – 16:05 Discussion
- 16:05 – 16:25 **Coffee Break**

Session 8: Study designs we should pursue to increase comparability of results

- 16:25 – 16:45 Featured Speaker: *Richard Suzman*
- 16:45 – 17:00 *Axel Boersch-Supan*, **SHARE: structure, methodology and first results**
- 17:00 – 17:15 *Jinkook Lee*, **Korean Longitudinal Study of Aging: overview and early results**
- 17:15 – 17:30 *Somnath Chatterjee*, **WHO's Study on Global Ageing and Adult Health: objectives, methods, preliminary results**
- 17:30 – 17:50 **Discussant:** *Jean Marie Robine*
- 17:50 – 18:05 Discussion
- 18:05 – 18:15 **Wrap up of meeting:**
Alberto Palloni and Rebeca Wong
- 18:15 – 18:20 **Closing**