Meeting Agenda

NIA-Sponsored Network on Life Course Health Dynamics and Disparities in 21st Century America

Gender Disparities

Saturday - Sunday
May 2-3, 2015
Hilton San Diego Bayfront

Saturday - May 2nd
Room Aqua 310

6:00 PM - Cocktails and Introductions

7:00 PM - Dinner

Sunday - May 3rd
Room Indigo 206

8:00 – 8:30: Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 9:15: Welcome and Introduction of Network
Jim House, Eileen Crimmins, Robert Hummer, Mark Hayward

9:15 - 10:30: Session 1: Gender Differences over Time
Hiram Beltrán-Sánchez, University of Wisconsin
A Cohort Perspective on the 20th Century Surge of Excess Adult Male Mortality

Anna Zajacova, University of Wyoming
Trends in US Women’s Health 1997-2014 by Educational Level

Vicki Freedman, University of Michigan
Population Disability and Mortality over 30 years: A Growing Gender Gap in the US

10:30 - 10:45: BREAK

10:45 - 11:35 Session 2: Gender Differences over Space

Neil Mehta, Emory University
Mikko Myrskylä, Max Planck Institute
Educational and Cross-National Differences in Women’s Health Expectancy

Jennifer Montez, Case Western University
Explaining Inequality in Women’s Mortality Between US States
11:35 - 12:25  Session 3:  Gender Differences within Cohorts
Lois Verbrugge University of Michigan
Disability Rises Gradually in an Elderly Cohort: Gender Comparisons

Sarah Burgard and Jim House, University of Michigan
Understanding Evolving Gender Differences in Health and Survival among U.S. Adults in the Americans’ Changing Lives Study

12:25 - 1:15  Lunch

1:15 - 2:10  Session 4: Gender and Cardiovascular Disease
Chloe Bird, RAND
Gender Gaps in Cardiovascular Disease

Jung Ki Kim, University of Southern California
Changes in Cardiovascular Risk among Women and Men in the United States

2:10 - 3:05  Session 5: Gender and Behavior and Relationships
Bob Hummer, University of Texas
Gender and the Health Behavior Profiles of US Young Adults

Deb Umberson, University of Texas
Gender, relationships and health in same sex couples.

3:05 - 3:20  BREAK

3:20 - 4:10: Session 6: Gender and Effects of Working
Tetyana Pudrovska, University of Texas
Drink Like a Boss: Women’s Job Authority and Alcohol Use Across Cohorts

Lauren Nicholas
Health and Disability Effects of Cumulative Exposure to Physical and Cognitive Job Demands.

4:10 - 5:00: General Group Discussion on Future of Network

5:00: ADJOURN MEETING

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