Inequality & Methods Workshop Series
Fall 2014
Fridays ~ 12:15–1:30pm ~ MPC Seminar Room, Willey Hall ~ Snacks Served ~ Everyone Welcome

September 5 - James Scanlan (Attorney, Washington, DC)
The Mismeasure of Association: The Unsoundness of the Rate Ratio and Other Measures That Are Affected by the Prevalence of an Outcome
[Joint Seminar with Division of Epidemiology & Community Health]

September 19 - Andrew Stokes (Global Health, Boston University)
Refining Estimates of the Obesity-Mortality Association Using Weight Histories
[Joint Seminar with Division of Epidemiology & Community Health]

September 26 - Joe Ritter (Applied Economics) & Kristine West (Economics, St. Catherine University)
Earnings Inequality among the Highly Educated

October 10 - Aaron Sojourner (Carlson School of Management) & Juan Chaparro (Applied Economics)
Early Production of Cognitive Skill: Evidence from Prenatal Investments and Randomly-Assigned Child-Care Prices

October 17 - Audrey Dorelien (Humphrey School of Public Affairs)
Effects of In-Utero Exposure to Seasonal Influenza on Fetal and Infant Outcomes in the U.S

October 24 - Liying Luo (Sociology)

October 31 - Christina Diaz (Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison)
The Effect(s) of Teenage Pregnancy: Reconciling Theory, Methods, and Findings
[Joint Seminar with Life Course Center]

November 7 - Jenny Trinitapoli (Sociology, Religious Studies, and Demography, Pennsylvania State University)
A Moveable Feast: The Flexibility of Fertility Preferences in a Transitioning Malawian Community

November 14 - Anne Kaduk (Sociology)
Back To the Daily Grind? How Women's Reasons for Labor Force Exit Affect Their Return to Work
[Joint Seminar with Life Course Center]

November 21 - Wendy Rahn (Political Science) & Eric Hilt (Economics, Wellesley)
Mobilizing Patriotism: Civil Society and the sale of Liberty Bonds during World War I

December 5 - Rob Warren (Sociology)
Education and Mortality: Evidence from a 34-Year Follow-Up of the High School & Beyond Sophomore Cohort
[Joint Seminar with Life Course Center]

December 12 - Evan Roberts (History) & Rob Warren (Sociology)
Are All The Children Above Average? Consequences and Correlates of Childhood Height and Weight in St. Paul, 1918-1940

Note: There will be no seminars on September 12, October 3, or November 28.
Questions? Contact Rob Warren (warre046@umn.edu)