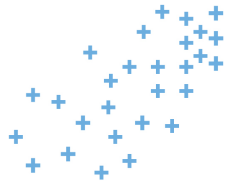




Annual Conference on New Frontiers in Poverty Research May 19, 2016 – New York City

Conference Agenda

- 12:30 – 1:00pm **Networking Lunch**
- 1:00 – 1:15pm **Welcome and Introductions**
Christopher Wimer, Co-Director, Center on Poverty and Social Policy, Columbia University
- 1:15 – 2:30pm **Session One: Harnessing the Robin Hood Poverty Tracker to Understand New Dimensions of Poverty in New York City**
Session Chair: Michael Weinstein, Robin Hood Foundation
- Panelists:
- The Robin Hood Poverty Tracker: What Do Two Years of Longitudinal Data Tell Us?”
Christopher Wimer, Columbia University
- “Why Don’t New Yorkers Facing Poverty and Hardship Seek Help for Problems”
Vicki Lens, Columbia University
- “Using the Poverty Tracker to Understand Intensity of Food Hardship in NYC Neighborhoods”
Lorenzo Almada, Columbia University
- “Global Measures of Wellbeing in New York City: Toward an Approach at Monetizing Factors that Contribute to Wellbeing”
Sophie Collyer, Columbia University
- 2:30 – 3:00pm **Break**



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2:45 – 4:00pm

Session Two: New Approaches in the Fight Against Child Poverty

Session Chair: Michael Laracy, The Annie E. Casey Foundation

Panelists:

“Conditional Cash Transfers and the Future of CCTs in Tackling Child Poverty in the United States”

James Riccio, MDRC

“Testing the Impact of Income Supplements for Families with Young Children”

Kim Noble, Columbia University

“Doing More for Our Children: The Role of Child Allowances and Expanded Child Tax Credits in Reducing Child Poverty”

Jane Waldfogel, Columbia University

“Room to Grow: An Innovative Model to Reduce Child Poverty Using a Mix of Parenting and Income Support”

Allyson Crawford, Room to Grow

4:00 - 4:15pm

Break

4:15 - 5:15pm

Keynote Discussion: Where to Go Next

A conversation with Christopher S. Jencks and Sheldon Danziger on big picture directions for future research and policy on the problem of poverty.

Moderator: Irwin Garfinkel, Co-Director, Center on Poverty and Social Policy, Columbia University

Speakers:

Sheldon Danziger, Russell Sage Foundation

Christopher S. Jencks, Harvard Kennedy School

5:15 - 6:30pm

Reception