

Advancing Interdisciplinary Research and Action on Health and Education Disparities

Symposium Agenda

- 9:00 - 9:15 – Welcome, Logistics and Introduction of Dr. Farley
Dean John Finnegan, PhD, MA
J Michael Oakes, PhD
Mary Hearst, PhD, MPH
University of Minnesota, School of Public Health
- 9:15 - 10:15 – Changing Racial Compositions: Minneapolis-St. Paul
Reynolds Farley, PhD
University of Michigan, Population Studies Center
- 10:30 - 10:55 – Racial Disparities in the American Indian Population
Melanie Peterson-Hickey, PhD
Minnesota Department of Health, Health Statistics
- 10:55 - 11:20 – Health Disparities in the Twin Cities
Kola Okuyemi, MD, MPH
University of Minnesota, School of Medicine
- 11:20 - 11:45 – Wealth and African Americans
Rose Brewer, PhD, MA
University of Minnesota, Department of African American and African Studies
- 11:45 - 12:05 – Twin Cities Neighborhoods
William Craig, PhD, MA
University of Minnesota, Center for Urban and Regional Affairs
- 12:15 - 1:00 – Lunch (provided)
- 1:00 - 1:25 – Infant mortality, segregation and structural confounding
Mary Hearst, PhD, MPH
University of Minnesota, Division of Epidemiology
- 1:25 - 1:50 – Spatial analysis for land use, health, and population dynamics
Steve Manson, PhD
University of Minnesota, Department of Geography
- 1:50 - 2:15 – Early Childhood Development and Life Chances
Scott McConnell, PhD
University of Minnesota, Educational Psychology

2:15 -2:40 – School and neighborhood segregation: graduation, achievement, health, credit and incarceration

Myron Orfield, JD

University of Minnesota, Law School and Institute on Race and Poverty

3:00 - 3:25 – SHAPE Data

Sheldon Swaney, BA and Tim Zimmerman, BA

Hennepin County Human Services and Public Health Department

3:25 -3:50 – Neighborhood Effects Interventions

Stefanie DeLuca, PhD

Johns Hopkins University, Department of Sociology

3:50 - 4:30 – Closing Remarks and Evaluation

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4:30 - 6:00 – Wine and Appetizer Reception