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FINAL PROGRAM

Sixth Annual Meeting of the Southern Regional Demographic Group: Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel, Atlanta, Georgia, October 15-17, 1975

Wednesday, October 15

Registration, Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel (5:00-8:00 p.m.)

Reception, Cash Bar (8:00 p.m. onward)

Thursday, October 16

Registration, Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel (8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon)

Session 1: Historical Demography (9:00-10:30)

Session 2: Planning for the 1980 Census (9:30-12:00)

Session 3: Perspectives on the State Government Role in Demographic Activities (10:45-12:15)

Session 4: Fertility (10:45-12:15)

Session 5: Demographic Methodology and the Use of Data (1:30-3:15)

Session 6: Migration and Mobility (1:30-3:15)

Session 7: Major Presentation: Jacob S. Siegel, Bureau of the Census, (3:30-5:30)

Reception, Cash Bar (5:45-7:00)

Friday, October 17

Session 8: A reconsideration of the Measurement and Concept of Economic Dependency (9:00-10:30)

Session 9: Policy Interactions of Demography and Human Ecology (9:00-10:30)

Session 10: Annual Business and SRDG Activity Meeting (10:45-12:00)

Session 11: Is There a Demography of the South? (1:30-3:15)

Session 12: Labor Force: Demographic and Ecological Perspectives (1:30-3:15)

Session 13: The Teaching of Undergraduate Demography (3:30-5:00)

Session 14: A Demographic and Sociological Potpourri (3:30-5:00)

PROGRAM COMMITTEE: Dudley L. Poston, Jr., The University of Texas At Austin, (Chairman); Leon Bouvier, Population Reference Bureau; Robert Weller, Florida State University

LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS CHAIRMAN: William W. Pendleton, Emory University

SESSION 1: HISTORICAL DEMOGRAPHY (October 16, 1975, 9:00-10:30)

Session Organizer: Everett S. Lee, University of Georgia

Presider: John Reid, Atlanta University

Papers: / Jane Wilkie, University of Connecticut: Black Urban Population of the Pre-Civil War South

Leon Bouvier, Population Reference Bureau: Historical Development of Literacy and Education Among Southern Blacks

/ Edward Cahill, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga: Black Migration Over a Century

Discussant: Anne S. Lee, Medical College of Georgia

SESSION 2: PLANNING FOR THE 1980 CENSUS (October 16, 1975, 9:30-12:00)

Presider: Dudley L. Poston, Jr., The University of Texas at Austin

Presenter: Marshall Turner, United States Bureau of the Census

SESSION 3: PERSPECTIVES ON THE STATE GOVERNMENT ROLE IN DEMOGRAPHIC ACTIVITIES (October 16, 1975, 10:45-12:15)

Session Organizer and Presider: Harry M. Rosenberg, Carolina Population Center, University of North Carolina

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Papers: William J. Serow, Tayloe Murphy Institute, University of Virginia: Issues in Relating to Local Government

Forrest H. Pollard, College of Business Administration, University of Arkansas: Issues in Relating to State and Federal Agencies

Thomas P. Evans, Division of Research and Statistical Services, South Carolina Budget Control Board: The Perspective of State Government

Frederick J. Cavanaugh, United States Bureau of the Census: The Perspective of the Federal Government

Discussion

SESSION 4: FERTILITY (October 16, 1975, 10:45-12:15)

Presider: William S. Little, Georgia State University

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Papers: S. Mitra, Emory University: Influence of Instantaneous Fertility Decline to Replacement Level on Population Growth: An Alternative Model

William S. Little, Georgia State University: The Effect of Family and Peer Relationship on Ideal Family Size of High School Students

Anne Wheeler, Georgia Department of Human Resources: Demographic Characteristics of Women Bearing Premature Infants

B. Krishna Singh, Texas Christian University; Linda G. Erickson, Catholic University; and J. Sherwood Williams, Virginia Commonwealth University: Religiosity, Fertility Values, and Abortion: Some Recent Evidence

James M. Hosler, Florida State University: The Conditional Relationship Between Socioeconomic Status and the Fertility of Metropolitan Residents

SESSION 5: DEMOGRAPHIC METHODOLOGY AND THE USE OF DATA (October 16, 1975, 1:30-3:15)

President: Keith R. Billingsley, University of Georgia

Papers: Ann D. Watts, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University: Does the Appalachian Regional Commission Really Represent a Region

John E. Anderson, Center for Disease Control, Atlanta: Estimation of Unwanted Births Based on Results of the 1970 National Fertility Survey and Recent Vital Statistics Data

Paul Hagle, Oklahoma State University: A Commentary on Some Racial-Ethnic Data Problems: Observations from the Choctaw Census Project, 1975

E. Walter Terrie, Florida State University: Existing Families of Model Life Tables and Post-1959 Mortality Patterns

Earl L. Mahfuz, Georgia State University: On the Accuracy of Death Certification

Keith R. Billingsley, University of Georgia: Evaluation of Voter Registration Lists: The Relation of Social Characteristics and Error Rates

Edward G. Stockwell, Bowling Green State University; Harold F. Goldsmith, National Institute of Mental Health; Beatrice M. Rosen, National Institute of Mental Health; J. Philip Shambaugh, Claritas Corporation; Charles D. Windle, National Institute of Mental Health; Socioeconomic Status Variations Among Counties

SESSION 6: MIGRATION AND MOBILITY (October 16, 1975, 1:30-3:15)

President: Jeanne C. Biggar, University of Virginia continued--

*Handwritten notes:*  
Highest: NW teenagers  
all w/ o-9 yrs  
ad. reg. rates  
of age  
older NW - HS  
older NW HS

SESSION 6 Continued

- Papers: ✓ John F. Long and Celia M. Boertlein, Bureau of the Census: Trends in Migration by Occupation
- ✓ James H. Gundlach and Alden Roberts, Auburn University: Native American Indian Migration and Relocation: Success or Failure
- ✓ Nancy Rytina, Duke University: Differences Between Male and Female Short-Run Work-Life Mobility and Migration: 1965-1970
- ✓ William A. Rabiege, David F. Sly, and John M. LaRocque, Florida State University: Characteristics, Origin and Destination of Florida Migrants
- ✓ Clyde B. McCoy, University of Miami; and James S. Brown, University of Kentucky: Migration Streams to South Florida
- Julia H. Martin and Jeanne C. Biggar, University of Virginia: Census Tract SES Level and Mobility: Preliminary Results
- ✓ Richard A. Engels, Southern Regional Education Board, Atlanta, Higher Education Supply-Demand Projections for States: The Influence of Occupational and Geographic Mobility
- CC Quarterly  
Technical Migration  
1974 Series*
- Comparative  
Occupational  
Preferences  
Choice*

SESSION 7: MAJOR PRESENTATION (October 16, 1975, 3:30-5:30)

- President: George C. Myers, Duke University
- Presenter: Jacob S. Siegel, Bureau of the Census: Coverage of the Population in the 1970 Census and Some Implications for Public Programs
- Discussants: Charles B. Nam, Florida State University  
Everett S. Lee, University of Georgia

SESSION 8: A RECONSIDERATION OF THE MEASUREMENT AND CONCEPT OF ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY (October 17, 1975, 9:00-10:30)

Session Organizer and President: Allen C. Kelley, Duke University

- Papers: Richard E. Bilsborrow, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill: A Critical Review of the Concept and Measurement of Economic Dependency
- Susan Hill Cochrane, University of South Carolina: The Influence of Family Size and Structure on the Allocation of Time
- Allen C. Kelley and Bruce Bolnick, Duke University: Economic Dependency and the Level and Allocation of Government Spending and Taxation

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SESSION 9: POLICY INTERACTIONS OF DEMOGRAPHY AND HUMAN ECOLOGY (October 17, 1975, 9:00-10:30)

Presider: William J. Serow, University of Virginia

Papers: Larry Long and Lynne Heltman, Bureau of the Census: Relative Economic Success of Southern Blacks in the North and West

Thomas J. Espenshade, Florida State University: Zero Population Growth and the Composition of Consumer Demand

Michael Micklin, Battelle Human Research Centers, Seattle: Energy and the American Future: An Agenda for Research in Human Ecology

Isaac W. Eberstein and W. Parker Frisbie, The University of Texas at Austin: The Effects of Education and Age at First Marriage on Marital Instability Among Mexican Americans, Blacks and Anglos

William J. Serow, University of Virginia: The Role of the Military in Net Migration for States, 1965-1970

SESSION 10: ANNUAL BUSINESS AND SRDG ACTIVITY MEETING (October 17, 1975, 10:45-12:00)

Presider: George C. Myers, Duke University

SESSION 11: IS THERE A DEMOGRAPHY OF THE SOUTH (October 17, 1975, 1:30-3:15)

Session Organizer: Robert H. Weller, Florida State University

Presider: Thomas R. Ford, University of Kentucky

Panel Members: Robert L. Carroll, University of Cincinnati;  
David F. Sly, Florida State University  
Joel Smith, Duke University

SESSION 12: LABOR FORCE: DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES (October 17, 1975, 1:30-3:15)

Presider: Teresa A. Sullivan, The University of Texas at Austin

Papers: George L. Wilbur, University of Kentucky: Color-Sex Inequalities in Labor Force Recruitment

Joachim Singelmann, Vanderbilt University: Intersector Changes of Employment

Gordon Johnson, Memphis State University: An Ecological Explanation of Professional Differentiation by Sex in Metropolitan Areas

SESSION 12 Continued

Teresa A. Sullivan, The University of Texas at Austin:  
Demographic Patterns in Underemployment: Who's Got Those  
Working-at-the-Carwash Blues?

Discussant: George C. Myers, Duke University

SESSION 13: THE TEACHING OF UNDERGRADUATE DEMOGRAPHY (October 17, 1975,  
3:30-5:00)

Presider: Leon Bouvier, Population Reference Bureau, Washington, D.C.

Presenter: Dudley L. Poston, Jr., The University of Texas at Austin  
Crucial Issues in Teaching Undergraduate Demography

Discussants: Leon Bouvier, Population Reference Bureau  
Edward Cahill, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga  
Robert Weller, Florida State University

SESSION 14: A DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIOLOGICAL POTPOURRI (October 17, 1975,  
3:30-5:00)

Presider: Ken Shin, University of South Carolina

Papers: Paul J. Brantingham, Florida State University: The Southern-  
ness Index: Crime and Cultural Diffusion

Thales Parker, Clemson University: Perceived Quality of  
Life in Ten Counties of Three Southern States

Edward Bosanac, West Virginia Regional Medical Program:  
Geographic Access to Primary Care Physicians in West  
Virginia

Louis Schneider, Georgia State University: A Demographic  
Profile of the Female Population in Atlanta Metropolitan  
Area