Workshop
Migration during Economic Downturns: From the Great Depression to the Great Recession
April 4 - 5, 2014

Conveners:
Elisa Minoff (GHI),
Marc Rosenblum (Migration Policy Institute)

Friday, April 4
1:00 – 1:15pm   Opening Remarks and Welcome
Uwe Spiekermann (GHI)
Elisa Minoff
Marc Rosenblum

1:15 – 2:30 pm   Panel 1: Migration and the Great Depression
Brian Gratton (Arizona State University)

Christoph Rass (IMIS/University of Osnabrück)
*How Crisis Shapes Migration Regimes: The USA and Europe in the Interwar Years*
Comment: Uwe Spiekermann

2:30 – 2:45 pm  Coffee Break

2:45 – 4:00 pm  Panel 2: Race Discourse, and Policy

Almut Ebke (University of Mannheim)
_Bloody Brixton: Immigration, Race, and the Economy in Post-Imperial Britain, 1981_

Jimmy Patiño (University of Minnesota)
_Chicano Struggles for Immigrants’ Rights, the Dixon Arnett Bill, and the Anti-Immigrant Politics of Recession, 1970–1972_

Comment: Perla Guerrero (University of Maryland)

4:00 – 4:30 pm  Break

4:30 – 5:30 pm  Keynote

Demetrios Papademetriou (Migration Policy Institute)
_Migration and the Great Recession_

7:00 pm  Conference Dinner

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Saturday, April 5

9:00 –10:00 am  **Panel 3: Work, Welfare, and Immigrant Rights**

Cybelle Fox (University of California, Berkeley)
*An Arm of La Migra: Cooperation between Welfare, Health, and Immigration Officials in the 1970s*

Marc Rosenblum
*In the Shadow of 1996: How IIRIRA Shapes the Current Immigration Debate*

Comment: Elisa Minoff

10:00 –10:30 am  **Coffee Break**

10:30 am –12:00 pm  **Panel 4: State Level Policy**

Hidetaka Hirota (Columbia University)

Thomas K. Wong (University of California, San Diego)
*The Congressional Politics of Interior Immigration Enforcement*

Hiroshi Motomura (University of California, Los Angeles)
*The Strange Career of Immigration Federalism*

Comment: Muzaffar Chishti (Migration Policy Institute)

12:00 –1:30 pm  **Luncheon Address**

Jim Hollifield (Southern Methodist University)
*Beyond Exceptionalism: Immigration and Citizenship in the United States and Germany*

1:30 –2:30 pm  **Panel 5: Migration and the Great Recession: Policy Responses**
David T. Hsu (University of Pennsylvania)
*Raise or Resist? Explaining Barriers to Temporary Migration during the Great Recession*

Madeleine Sumption (Migration Policy Institute)
*Migration Policy in the Wake of the Great Recession*

Comment: Marc Rosenblum (Migration Policy Institute)

2:30 – 3:00 pm  **Coffee Break**

3:00 – 4:30 pm  **Panel 6: Migration and the Great Recession: Experiences**

Alexandra Tijerina García (University of Hamburg)
*Pathways to Integration: The Case of the New Spanish Migrants in Berlin-Neukölln*

Jobb Dixon Arnold (Queens University)
*Celtic Cowboys? Newfoundlander and Irish Immigration to Alberta’s Tar Sands*

Jessica Sperling (Graduate Center, City University of New York)
*The Impact of the Economic Recession on Immigrant-Origin Young Adults: An Internationally Comparative Perspective*

Comment: Denise Brennan (Georgetown University)

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