10th Annual
BGSU/OSU Graduate Student Conference on Population
October 28, 2016
Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH
228 Bowen-Thompson Student Union

Sponsored by the Center for Family and Demographic Research (BGSU) and Institute for Population Research (OSU)
Conference Organizers: Gwendolyn Zugarek (BGSU), Kasey Eickmeyer (BGSU), and Rachel Brown (OSU)

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9:40am-10:00am  Check In

10:00am-10:15am  Welcoming Remarks
    Michael Ogawa, Dean of the Graduate College and Vice President for Research and Economic Development

10:15am-11:25am  Session I: Health Disparities
    Chair: Kasey Eickmeyer, Bowling Green State University
    Age at First Sex and Its Consequences for Mental Health in Nicaragua
        Jake Hays, The Ohio State University
    Lean on me: The impact of Marriage on Racial Discrimination and Health
        Korrie Johnson, The Ohio State University
    Neighborhood Composition, Immigrant Status, and the Risk of Low Birthweight among Black Women in Ohio
        Mary McKay, The Ohio State University
    Discussant: Alex Kissling, The Ohio State University

11:25am-11:35am  Break

11:35am-12:30pm  Session II: Crime, Violence, & the Life Course
    Chair: Rachel Brown, The Ohio State University
    Lifetime of Imprisonment: The Detrimental Effects of Skin Color and a Criminal Record on Employment Prospects
        Marissa Landeis, Bowling Green State University
    Criminal Justice Involvement and Intimate Partner Violence in Young Adulthood
        Mallory D. Minter, Bowling Green State University
    Discussant: Jessica Grace Finkeldey, Bowling Green State University
12:30pm-1:30pm  Lunch – 228 Bowen-Thompson Student Union

1:30pm-2:40pm  Session III: Fertility Behaviors & Intentions
Chair: Lindsey Ibanez, The Ohio State University

Utilizing Uncertainty: Prevailing optimism and the pursuit of fertility goals among couples in rural Malawi
Sarah Garver, The Ohio State University

Changing Gender Roles and Spousal Agreement on Fertility Intentions: A Case of Pakistan
Saima Bashir, Bowling Green State University

Self-concept as Possible Pathway Linking Socioeconomic Background and the Risk of Nonmarital Childbearing
Anna Muraveva, The Ohio State University

Discussant: Anna Marie Hammersmith, Bowling Green State University

2:40pm-2:55pm  Break

2:55pm-3:50pm  Session IV: Family, Education, & the Life Course
Chair: Gwendolyn Zugarek, Bowling Green State University

Racial Achievement Gaps and U.S. Schools
Aimee Yoon, The Ohio State University

Sibling Relationships in Early Adulthood: The Associations between Life Event Statuses and Sibling Ties
Lindsey Aldrich, Bowling Green State University

Discussant: Siqi Han, The Ohio State University

4:00pm  Social Gathering
Please join us at the Black Swamp Pub, located on the first floor of the Bowen-Thompson Student Union