Indigenous Well-Being Amid Socioeconomic Transformation

Broom Demography Center Workshop

Mosher Alumni Center
University of California, Santa Barbara
Friday March 14, 2014

Organizer: Michael Gurven (Anthropology, UCSB)

Agenda

8:00-8:45 Breakfast

8:45-9:00 Introduction (Michael Gurven)

9:00-9:40 Gillette Hall (Georgetown), “Starting from Zero: Tackling the Indigenous Human Development Gap”

9:40-10:20 Lillian Tom-Orme (U. of Utah), “Indigenous health: how do we protect the 7th generation today?”

10:20-10:50 Morning break

10:50-11:30 Josh Snodgrass (U. of Oregon), “Health of indigenous circumpolar populations”


12:10-1:10 Lunch


2:10-2:50 Claudia Valeggia (U. of Penn), “Biosocial perspectives on current health status of Toba and Wichi populations in northern Argentina”

2:50-3:20 Afternoon break

3:20-4:00 Barbara Piperata (Ohio State), “Bolsa familia in Amazonia: Poverty and health among Brazil’s invisible indigenous peasants”

4:00-4:40 Jonathan Stieglitz (U. of New Mexico), “Location, location, location: opposing effects of modernization on mental and physical health among Tsimane adults of lowland Bolivia”

4:40-5:00 Closing statements + discussion

5:15 Vans depart for Opal Restaurant

6:00 Conference dinner at Opal Restaurant (1325 State St., near the Arlington Theater in downtown Santa Barbara; use parking lot on the corner of Chapala and Victoria)