Child Poverty Research, Public Policy and the Road Ahead: What We Have Learned and Where Should We Go Next?

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1130 K Street, Suite LL22, Sacramento, CA 95814
Tuesday, February 28, 2017

8:00 AM    Conference Registration
8:25 AM    Opening Remarks
            Ann Stevens, Director, Center for Poverty Research

8:30-9:10 AM    Poverty and Inequality in Educational Outcomes: Are Schools the Great Equalizers?
            Michal Kurlaender, Professor of Education
            
            Discussant:
            Elisa Wynne, Senate Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review

9:10-9:50 AM    Economic Segregation and Children’s Well-Being
            Jacob Hibbel, Associate Professor of Sociology
            
            Discussant:
            Sara Kimberlin, California Budget & Policy Center

9:50-10:00 AM    Break

10:00-10:40 AM    Why Poverty Predicts a Child’s Future — and What To Do About It?
            Ross Thompson, Professor of Psychology
            
            Discussant:
            Tracey Patterson, California Food Policy Advocates

10:40-11:20AM    Children of Undocumented Immigrants: Basic Facts, Research and Policy
            Erin Hamilton, Associate Professor of Sociology
            
            Discussant:
            Jennifer Hernandez, California Labor & Workforce Development Agency

11:20 AM–12:00 PM    Helping Kids: The Role of Government in Children’s Lives
            Marianne Bitler, Professor of Economics
            
            Discussant:
            Jessica Bartholow, Western Center on Law & Poverty