

Call for Papers

CDS-III and TA New Results Workshop



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Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan

The Panel Study of Income Dynamics (PSID) will hold a two-day workshop in June 2010 to highlight new research using data from Wave III of the Child Development Supplement (CDS-III) and from the 2005 and 2007 waves of the Transition to Adulthood (TA) study. Data from CDS-I, CDS-II, CDS-III and TA-2005 are currently available on-line through the PSID Data Center. Data from TA-2007 will be available late 2009.

The PSID Child Development Supplement is a three-wave, nationally representative study of children in PSID families conducted in 1997, 2002/03, and 2007/08. The Transition to Adulthood Study is designed to collect information from all children who had participated in the CDS who had turned age 18 and completed high school. The TA study collects data on young adult developmental pathways and outcomes, filling a gap between the detailed information about development from early and middle childhood through adolescence (as measured in CDS-I, CDS-II, and CDS-III) and the detailed information on adulthood once these youth achieve economic independence by becoming core PSID respondents. More information about the study is available at <http://psidonline.isr.umich.edu/CDS/>.

We invite scholars in all disciplines to submit short abstracts (500 words) for research using the CDS-III and/or TA data for inclusion as either papers or posters in the workshop sessions.

Workshop Format: The workshop will be comprised of paper and poster sessions on any topics covered by CDS and TA, including child, adolescent, and young adult health, competence and achievement, time use, food and nutrition, psychosocial well-being, and other topics.

There will be 4 -- 5 paper sessions with 3 -- 4 papers each, and 3 -- 4 poster sessions with 5 -- 10 posters per session. These sessions will facilitate substantial interaction among scholars and promote targeted comments to each presenter. The workshop organizers will assign submissions to either the paper or poster session, although authors can indicate their preference as part of their submission.

Assistance with travel and lodging costs is available for participants on the basis of merit and need. Meals will be provided to all participants. The workshop will be held in Ann Arbor, MI.

Deadline for Submission of Abstracts: December 18, 2009

Notification of Acceptance: January 10, 2010

Please submit abstracts electronically (in Word or PDF form) to Patty Hall at pathall@isr.umich.edu and indicate whether you would like to be considered for travel and lodging assistance. Questions regarding the workshop should be directed by e-mail to Patty Hall.

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