Saturday, September 10, 2005

**Architecture River Cruise**

3:45 p.m.  
**Bus Leaves Hotel**  
- Participants must meet in lobby of hotel by 3:35 p.m. in order to leave on time.

4:15 p.m.  
**Architecture River Cruise**  
- 90 minute narrated river cruise by the Chicago Architecture Foundation

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**CONFERENCE ON IMMIGRATION**

**TRENDS, CONSEQUENCES AND PROSPECTS FOR THE UNITED STATES**

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SEPTEMBER 9-10, 2005
Friday, September 9, 2005

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. WELCOME COMMENTS
Barry R. Chiswick, Conference Organizer
Stefanie Lenway, Dean

10:00 a.m. – NOON SESSION I — IMMIGRATION FLOWS
Room 613 SCE
Chair: Barry R. Chiswick
University of Illinois at Chicago and IZA

David Reimers, New York University
“Immigrants and Non-Immigrants Since 1986: Resident Aliens, Undocumented Aliens and Temporary Workers.”
Discussant: Joseph Ferrie, Northwestern University

Jeffrey Passel, Pew Hispanic Center
“Unauthorized Migrants: Numbers and Characteristics.”
Discussant: Stephen J. Trejo, University of Texas at Austin

12:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. LUNCH – Room 605 SCE
Speaker: Margaret Strobel, Director
Jane Addams Hull-House Museum

2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. SESSION II — IMMIGRANT QUALITY
Room 613 SCE
Chair: Sherrie Kossoudji
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Harriet Duleep, Urban Institute
“The Immigrant “Quality” Debate–Revisited.”
Discussant: Deborah Cobb-Clark, Australian National University

Barry R. Chiswick, University of Illinois at Chicago and IZA and Paul W. Miller, University of Western Australia
“The Language of Immigrants.”
Discussant: Robert LaLonde, University of Chicago

Ira Gang, Rutgers University and Myeong-Su Yun, Tulane University
“Amnesty Struggles and the Global Economy.”
Discussant: David Ribar, George Washington University

6:00 p.m. DINNER
* Presenter(s): 40 minutes; Discussant: 10 minutes; Floor Discussions: 10 minutes

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8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9:00 a.m. – NOON SESSION III — IMMIGRANT ADJUSTMENT AND LOCATION
Room 613 SCE
Chair: Charles Beach
Queen’s University

David A. Jaeger, College of William and Mary
“Local Labor Markets, Admission Categories and Immigrant Location Choice.”

Discussant: Seth Sanders, University of Maryland

Sherrie Kossoudji, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
“Immigrant and Native Asset Accumulation in Housing: Asset Choices and Urban Housing Markets.”

Discussant: John Iceland, University of Maryland

Arthur Sweetman, Queens University (Kingston) and Abdurrahmann Aydemir, Statistics Canada

Discussant: Carmel U. Chiswick, University of Illinois at Chicago

NOON – 1:00 p.m. LUNCH – Room 605 SCE

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. SESSION IV — IMMIGRATION POLICY
Room 613 SCE
Chair: Jeffery Passel
Pew Hispanic Center

Robert Kaestner, University of Illinois at Chicago and Neeraj Kaushal, Columbia University
“Welfare Reform and Immigration.”

Discussant: Cordelia Reimers, Hunter College

Charles Beach and Alan Green, Queen’s University (Kingston) and Christopher Worswick, Carleton University
“The Impact of the Point System and Immigrant Class on the Characteristics of Immigrant Flows: The Experience of Canada and Australia.”

Discussant: Paul W. Miller, University of Western Australia

3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. CONFERENCE WRAP-UP
Room 613 SCE
Barry R. Chiswick

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