Interdisciplinary Conference on the Family
Schedule

Sunday, May 15

3:00 Meet for short hike
4:30-5:45 Reception, introductions and summaries of research
6:00 Dinner
7:00 Research Presentation: Sean Reardon (Stanford University) “The Widening Academic Achievement Gap between the Rich and the Poor: New Evidence and Possible Explanations”

Monday, May 16

7:30 Breakfast
8:30-11:00 Individual meeting time
11:00-12:00 Roundtable discussion: Jason Lindo (University of Oregon), Bhash Mazumder (Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago), Marianne Page (UC Davis) new Handbook of Labor Economics Chapter “Human Capital Development Before Age Five”
12:00 Lunch
1:00-4:00 Individual meeting time
4:00-4:45 Research Summary: Ann Stevens (UC Davis) “What We Know About How the Business Cycle Affects Individuals and Families”
4:45-6:00 Roundtable discussion: Mary Noonan (University of Iowa), Kim Shauman (UC Davis), Martha Bailey (University of Michigan) “Family Structure, Fertility and Female Labor Supply”
6:00 Dinner
7:00 Post dinner talk: Jessica Howell (College Board) and Tracy Gordon (University of Maryland) “Connections Between Research and Policy”

Tuesday, May 17

7:30 Breakfast
8:30-9:30 Research Presentation, Marianne Bitler (UC Irvine) and Hilary Hoynes (UC Davis) “Health Impacts of the Safety Net”
9:30-12:00 Individual meeting time
12:00 Lunch and wrap up