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BSPS Annual Conference 2010

13-15 September 2010, The University of Exeter

CALL FOR PAPERS: DEADLINE 30 April 2010.

The 2010 BSPS Conference will be held at the University of Exeter from 13-15 September. The University campus is on the outskirts of Exeter with wonderful views over the Exe Valley. All Conference sessions will be held on site, where Conference catering and accommodation will also be available at very reasonable rates.

There will be a full programme of simultaneous strand sessions of submitted papers. Proposals or abstracts for papers and posters are invited across the **entire demographic and population studies spectrum**. For organizational purposes, strand organizers have been allocated to specific themes, but if you wish to submit a paper that does not appear to come under any of the headings given, please enter either 'to be agreed' in the relevant space on the online submission form, or leave the space blank. If accepted, the paper will be allocated to an appropriate strand session when the programme is timetabled.

Submissions of quantitative and qualitative papers are welcome.

This year, some sessions within strands have been suggested and these will be organised by the person named as session organiser, within an overall strand. Sessions within strands are shown beneath the overall strand title and are designated with an arrow bullet point.

Plenary speakers are confirmed as **Professor Bob Woods** and **Dr. Tomas Sobotka**, with a further plenary speaker to be announced. Information updates on the Conference will be posted to the BSPS website as available. See:

<http://www2.lse.ac.uk/socialPolicy/BSPS/annualConference/Home.aspx>

Presenters of posters will be expected to attend the scheduled poster session on the first evening of the Conference, but posters will remain on display for the duration of the Conference.

Preliminary abstracts of papers – which may be in the form of a declaration of intent – (**maximum 250 words, please**), plus a provisional title, should be **submitted online by 30 April 2010 at:**

<https://www.survey.bris.ac.uk/lsewebsite/bsps2010/>

If you are unable to submit online, please contact pic@lse.ac.uk, for alternative arrangements.

All online submissions are collated by the BSPS Secretariat, who will acknowledge submissions. They are then passed on to individual strand or session organisers for assessment. Papers and poster presentations are given equal weight. Final decisions on papers and posters accepted for presentation will be made by the end of May 2010, and the person submitting advised of the decision at that time.

Strand & session organisers are as follows:

- Strand organisers
 - Session organisers
- Ageing: (including ageing populations & future prospects for older people in Britain)

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- Families and households:
(for example, research relating to families and households, including the demography of family and household types, studies of partnerships (marriage, cohabitation, non-residential relationships, partnership dissolution), kin networks, relationships, children in families, and issues relating to the family (employment, childcare, wellbeing)).

Ben Wilson
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- Gender inequality, mothers & children:
(special attention will be given to measures of gender discrimination facing mothers & children & their analysis, including the relationship between women's empowerment & children's wellbeing.)

Dr. Ann Berrington
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- Fertility & reproductive health:
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- Immigration, ethnicity & fertility
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- Health and mortality:
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- Historical demography:
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- Local authority, census, planning:
 - Eileen Howes
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- 2011 Census: Innovations in Content, Accessibility & Comparability: (Recent developments offer potentials for the 2011 UK Census to provide more information than any previous census, and for this information to be easier to understand, search and use, either in isolation or in combination with information from previous censuses and non-census datasets, than ever before.)
 - Justin Hayes
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- Methods, models & projections: (Methodological developments, estimation and projections, and the relationships between demography, policy and politics.)
 - Development & use of area measures (classifications & deprivation):
- Posters:
- Transnational & subnational migration:
 - International migration: with special emphasis on the repercussions for Britain. The topics may include conceptual and methodological discussions on human mobility & migration terminologies, transnational households - issues of separation, reunion & mobility -, irregular/ clandestine/illegal migration, forced migration, transnational communities & migrant networks, immigrant fertility & mortality, demographic impact of international migration on host society, return migration. Priority will be given to contributions challenging existing paradigms & furthering the demographic debate on human mobility

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Notes:

- Submissions should be made online at:

<https://www.survey.bris.ac.uk/lsewebsite/bsps2010/>

- Presenters must confirm on the submissions form that they will attend the Conference at their own expense to present the paper or poster, if accepted. **Please note that attendance at the BSPS Conference to present a paper or poster cannot be subsidised by the BSPS - this applies to BSPS members and non-members.** (Except for student bursaries granted to BSPS student members presenting papers and posters – see bursary details below.)
- Strand organisers may allocate papers to a different strand from that to which the paper was submitted, if appropriate, but potential presenters will be advised.
- A maximum of two submissions per author, please.
- Presenters are encouraged to submit ongoing work with incomplete analyses and findings as posters, rather than papers. Papers should include results.
- Submissions from non-members are very welcome.
- A final abstract of approximately 250 words will be required by the end of July for the final programme.
- Presenters of papers will be required to register for the Conference before the paper is included in the final programme.
- Papers are organised into strand sessions. Each presenter will have 30 minutes in total with 20-25 minutes for presentation and 5-10 minutes for discussion/questions.
- **Effective presentations** – notes available on the website at:

<http://www2.lse.ac.uk/socialPolicy/BSPS/annualConference/Home.aspx>

Poster Competition at the BSPS Conference

- A prize fund of £100 in book tokens is offered for the poster(s) judged to be the best on display.
- At least 50% of the value of the Prize will be awarded to the best student poster.
- All posters accepted for the Conference will be entered automatically for the Poster Prize.
- The invited judges will be announced later.

Student bursaries for BSPS Conference 2010

- Bursaries are available **only** to **BSPS student members presenting a paper or poster.**
- **Subscription dues for student members applying must be up-to-date.**

- Bursaries are expected to cover the cost of accommodation & meals, where required, and registration, plus an allowance for travel in the UK only. (BSPS cannot cover the cost of international travel.)
 - As the number of bursaries available may be limited, applications **must be received by 30 April**.
 - **Application for a student bursary is via the online submissions form, which MUST have the relevant bursary application button checked.**
 - Enquiries: BSPS Secretariat, PS201, London School of Economics, Houghton Street, London WC2A 2AE. Email: pic@lse.ac.uk Telephone 020 7955 7666. Fax 020 7955 6831.
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