

**Household Survey Producers Workshop**  
**June 1-2, 2011**  
**20 F Street NW Conference Center**  
**Washington, DC 20001**

**AGENDA**

**June 1, 2011**

- 8:00 – 8:30 a.m.      Networking and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:30 – 9:15              Welcome and Purpose of Workshop**  
Connie Citro, *Director, Committee on National Statistics*  
Mike Horrigan, *Associate Commissioner, Office of Prices and Living Conditions, Bureau of Labor Statistics*  
Don Dillman, *Panel Chair, Washington State University*
- 9:15 – 10:45            Session 1: Alternative Ways of Measuring Consumer Expenditures With Special Focus on International Examples**  
Chair: Mel Stephens, *Panel Member, University of Michigan*
- Canadian Survey of Household Spending, Guylaine Dubreuil, *Statistics Canada*
  - UK Living Costs and Food Survey, Giles Horsfield, *Office of National Statistics*
  - Household Budget Surveys in the European Union, Peter Paul Borg, *European Union*
  - Discussant: Robert Gillingham, *Panel Member, Independent Consultant*
- 10:45 – 11:00            Break**
- 11:00 – 12:30 p.m.    Session 2: Designs that Add Flexibility in Data Collection Mode**  
Chair: Mark Pierzchala, *Panel Member, Independent Consultant*
- Nebraska Annual Social Indicators Survey, Jolene Smyth, *University of Nebraska*
  - Business R & D Innovation Survey, Richard Hough, *Census Bureau*
  - National Postsecondary Student Aid Study, Jennifer Wine, *RTI*
  - Discussant: Mick Couper, *Panel Member, University of Michigan*
- 12:30 – 1:45            Working Lunch**
- 1:45 – 3:15              Session 3: Designs that Effectively Mix Data from Multiple Surveys and/or External/Administrative Data to Produce Estimates**  
Chair: Bruce Meyer, *Panel Member, University of Chicago*
- Medical Expenditure Panel Survey (MEPS), Steve Machlin, *AHRQ*

- Residential Energy Consumption Survey (RECS), Eileen O'Brien, *EIA*
- Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System and the National Health Interview Survey: Combining data for small area estimates, Van Parsons, *NCHS*
- Discussant: Clyde Tucker, Panel Member, *Independent Consultant*

**3:15 – 3:30**

**Break**

**3:30 – 5:00**

**Session 4: Designs that Effectively Mix Global and Detail Information to Reduce Burden and Measurement Error**

Chair: Rob Santos, Panel Member, *Urban Institute*

- Agricultural Resource Management Survey (ARMS), Dave Aune, *NASS*
- Survey of Income and Program Participation (SIPP), Jason Fields, *Census Bureau*
- National Health Interview Survey (NHIS), Jane Gentleman, *NCHS*
- Discussant: Andy Peytchev, Panel Member, *RTI*

**5:00 p.m.**

**Planned Adjournment**

**June 2, 2011**

**8:00 – 8:30 a.m.**

**Networking and Continental Breakfast**

**8:30 – 10:00**

**Session 5: Designs that Use “Event History” Methodology to Improve Recall and Reduce Measurement Error in Recall Surveys.**

Chair: David Betson, Panel Member, *University of Notre Dame*

- Panel Survey of Income Dynamics, Frank Stafford, *University of Michigan*
- Survey of Income and Program Participation, Jason Fields, *Census Bureau*
- Discussant: Michael Schober, Panel Member, *New School for Social Research*

**10:00 – 10:30**

**Break**

**10:30 – 12:00**

**Session 6: Diary Surveys that Effectively Utilize Technology to Facilitate Record-keeping or Recall.**

Chair: Sarah Nusser, Panel Member, *Iowa State University*

- National Household Food Acquisition and Purchase Survey (FOODAPS), Nancy Cole, *Mathematica Policy Research*
- Personal Diary and Survey Methodologies for Health and Environmental Data Collection, Paul Kizakevich, *Research Triangle Institute*

- Nielsen Life360 Program, Justin Bailey, *The Nielsen Company*
- Discussant: Michael Link, Panel Member, *Nielsen*

**12:00 - 12:30**

**Closing, Wrap up**

Don Dillman, Panel Chair, *Washington State University*

**12:30 p.m.**

**Planned Adjournment**