

## **Preliminary Program**

### **Space to Place: The Next Rural Economies Workshop**

#### **Day 1: Wednesday, May 14, 2008**

Travel day/ arrival of participants

4:00pm – 6:00 pm: Registration

(Tour University Campus)

6:00pm – 8:00pm: Meet and Greet/ Dinner

#### **Day 2: Thursday, May 15, 2008**

**8:00 AM – 8:15 AM.: Breakfast**

**8:15 AM.: Welcome**

**8:30 AM–10:00 AM: Paper Session 1 – Demographics, Migration & Immigration 1**

Paper 1: Neil Argent - Local economic and social development in the multifunctional landscapes of rural Australia.

Paper 2: Peter Nelson – Labour market change and linked migration in the rural United States

Paper 3: Lisa Butler Harrington – Change in the U.S. Great Plains States

Paper 4: Owen Furuseth – A New Rural North Carolina: Latino Place-making and Community Engagement

Discussion

**10:00-10:30: Break**

**10:30 AM–12:00 PM: Paper Session 2 – Demographics, Migration & Immigration 2**

Paper 5: Nigel Walford - Connecting Rural and Urban Places:

Enduring Migration between Small Areas in England and Wales

Paper 6: Hugh Gayler - Ontario's Greenbelt and Place to Grow

Legislation and the Future for the Countryside and Rural Economy

Paper 7: Kevin O'Toole – Sustaining Rural Places through

Creating New Spaces for Allied Health Professionals

Discussion

**12:00 PM–1:00 PM: Lunch**

**1:30 PM–3:00 PM: Paper Session 3 – Emerging Economies**

Paper 8: Mary Cawley – Adding Value Locally through Integrated Tourism

Paper 9: Deborah Che – Value-added and Entertainment

Agricultural Products in Michigan's Fruit Belt

Paper 10: Doug Ramsey – Rural Restructuring and the New Rural

Economy: Examples from Germany and Canada

Paper 11: David Bruce – Nurturing the Animation Sector in a

Peripheral Economic Region: The Case of Miramichi, NB

Discussion

**3:00 PM–3:30 PM: Break**

**3:30 PM-5:00 PM: Keynote Address - Bill Reimer**

**6:00 PM-8:00 PM: Dinner**

**Day 3: Friday, May 16, 2008**

**8:00 AM – 8:15 AM: Breakfast**

**8:15 AM: Welcome**

**8:30 AM – 10:00 AM: Paper Session 4 – Rural Policy and Governance**

Paper 12: Christopher Bryant – Co-constructing Rural Communities in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Challenges for Central Governments

Paper 13: David Storey – Contemporary Approaches to Rural Development: Lauding the Local

Paper 14: Michael Woods – Political Economies of Place and in the Emergent Global Countryside: Stories from Rural Wales

Paper 15: Bruno Jean – Rural Development: The Next Territorial Development Paradigm

Discussion

**10:00-10:30: Break**

**10:30 AM – 12:00 PM: Paper Session 5 – Rural-Urban Peripheries**

Paper 16: Jean-Paul Charvet – The Reviving Of Small Rural Towns On The Paris Periurban Fringes.

Paper 17: Salma Loudiyi – When urban-rural fringes arise as differentiated place: The socio-economic restructuring of ‘Volvic Sources et Volcans (France)’.

Paper 18: Nik Luka – Rural and small town development in the recreational countryside surrounding Toronto.

Paper 19: Masatochi Ouchi – Rural development strategies in southern Honshu, Japan.

Discussion

**12:00 PM – 1:00 PM: Lunch**

**1:00 PM – 2:30 PM: Paper Session 6 – Renewal in Resource Peripheries**

Paper 20: Kelly Vodden – Resource development in the periphery: Lessons from Newfoundland

Paper 21: Sean Markey – Renewal: From Space to Place in Northern British Columbia

Paper 22: Greg Halseth – The Next Rural Economies

Discussion

**2:30 PM–3:00 PM: Break**

**3:00 PM – 4:30 PM: Wrap-up and Discussion for Final Chapter**

**4:30 PM – 5:00 PM: Conference Closing**