Thirty-Eighth Summer Seminar on Population

29 May – 28 June 2007  ■  Honolulu, Hawaii

The 2007 Summer Seminar on Population will consist of three workshops:

**Workshop 1**

**Workshop 2**
- Livable Cities in Pacific Asia: Research Methods for Policy Analysis

**Workshop 3**
- Communicating with Policymakers about Population and Health

For further information and application forms, contact:

38th Summer Seminar on Population
East-West Center, Population and Health Studies
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The 2007 Summer Seminar on Population will consist of three workshops:

- **Workshop 1: Population, Development, and Policy:** The Economic Payoffs of Population Change
- **Workshop 2: Livable Cities in Pacific Asia:** Research Methods for Policy Analysis
- **Workshop 3: Communicating with Policymakers about Population and Health**

All workshops will be held at the East-West Center in Honolulu, Hawaii, from 29 May to 28 June 2007. Each workshop will have an independent instructional program, but common activities will provide ample opportunity for professional interaction among all participants.

### SELECTION CRITERIA
Applicants for the Summer Seminar on Population should be university graduates proficient in English with training and experience in a field relevant to the topic of their workshop. Preference will be given to applicants holding appointments with universities, government agencies, or private organizations involved in population and health research or programs and to doctoral candidates whose dissertation research is directly related to the workshop topic.

Individuals will be selected on the basis of their potential contribution to one of the Seminar’s workshops and to future professional work. Assessment of each applicant’s potential contribution will be based on the information provided in the application form plus the required workshop statement, other materials submitted as part of the application, and evidence of relevant experience and interest. In preparing application materials, applicants should take care to address the selection criteria that are specified in the relevant workshop description.

### APPLICATION PROCEDURES AND DEADLINES
Applicants who wish to take part in the 2007 Summer Seminar on Population should send the completed application form and other application documents as soon as possible to:

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Application material should arrive in Honolulu by 31 December 2006. Applications sent by fax or email should be followed by an original sent by air mail. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Acceptance letters will be sent out by early February.

All prospective applicants are advised to seek funding from their home organizations or from national or international agencies. Applicants are expected to seek their own financial support and indicate prospective sponsors on the appropriate application form. The East-West Center can only provide financial assistance to a very few outstanding candidates.

Formal confirmation of support may be forwarded to the East-West Center after the 31 December deadline. Confirmation of funding is essential, however, before documents can be sent out for visa purposes.

All applicants should apply directly to the East-West Center in Honolulu.

SEMINAR COSTS

The table above gives estimated participant costs for the 2007 Summer Seminar. These costs include all activities in Honolulu. They do not include air travel.

Graduate-student housing is available at the East-West Center. Accommodations comprise private rooms in all-male, all-female, or mixed dormitory areas, all with shared bathrooms and kitchens. The cost for the month is $510.

A very limited number of small apartments are also available on a first-come-first-served basis. These have private kitchenettes and bathrooms. The cost is $1,230.

STAFF

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Workshop 2
Coordinator: Peter Xenos (xenosp@eastwestcenter.org)

Workshop 3
Coordinator: Sidney B. Westley (westleys@eastwestcenter.org)
APPLICATION FORM
Please type or use block letters

Passport number ______________________ Country of issue ______________________ Expiration date ______________________

IMPORTANT: PROVIDE COPY OF PASSPORT PAGE STATING NAME, BIRTHDATE, AND BIRTH CITY
Full name as stated in passport

☐ female   ☐ male

(Title) Mr., Mrs., Ms., Dr. (first and other name) (FAMILY/SURNAME IN CAPITAL LETTERS)

Current position/job title ____________________________

Institutional affiliation ________________________________________

Institutional mailing address ______________________________________

Business telephone ____________________________ Home telephone ____________________________

Facsimile no. ____________________________ E-mail address ____________________________

Nearest airport ____________________________ U.S. Social Security Number (if available) ____________________________

Country of citizenship ____________________________ City/country of birth as shown on passport ____________________________

Country of legal permanent residence ____________________________ Date of birth ____________________________

If you have legal permanent residence in the United States, please attach a copy of your alien registration card.

If currently residing in United States:
Expiration of entry visa ____________________________ Expiration of I-94 ____________________________

If not now residing in United States:
Have you been issued a U.S. J-1 visa in the past 12 months? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, please indicate dates ________ to _________

Post-secondary education (Begin with most recent and include all degree courses and relevant short-term technical or professional training.)

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Relevant work experience (Begin with most recent employment and include all current jobs. Attach additional information on a separate page if necessary.)

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Describe your present duties and responsibilities, including both teaching and research, with specific emphasis on work related to your selected workshop focus:

Have you participated in an East-West Center activity before?

Activity: ___________________________ Program: ___________________________ Year: __________

List your publications, particularly in fields relevant to your selected workshop. *(If necessary, place on separate sheet.)*

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List below any scholarships, fellowships, grants, contracts, or other awards you have received, including grants to attend international conferences, workshops, or seminars. Please specify which, if any, awards are current and indicate expiration dates.

One reference (form enclosed) must be submitted in support of your application. Please list below the name of the referee you have selected. Reference should be received by 31 December 2006.

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I am applying to the following workshop: *(Mark one only.)*

☐ Population, Development and Policy: The Economic Payoffs to Population Change

☐ Livable Cities in Pacific Asia: Research Methods for Policy Analysis

☐ Communicating with Policymakers about Population and Health

Signature of applicant ____________________________________________ Date ____________________________________________

Name and title of nominating official (usually a department head or immediate supervisor) *(Please print.)*

Signature of nominating official ____________________________________________ Date ____________________________________________

Completed applications, including required completed supplemental statements, should be received by 31 December 2006. Acceptance letters will be sent out in January 2007. Send the completed application by airmail directly to: Thirty-Eighth Summer Seminar on Population, East-West Center, 1601 East-West Road, Honolulu, Hawaii 96848-1601, U.S.A. Please be certain that the following materials are enclosed:

☐ Application Form ☐ Funding and Housing Form

☐ Workshop Statement ☐ Copy of passport page stating name
Name of applicant

Workshop applying for (mark one only):
☐ Population, Development and Policy: The Economic Payoffs to Population Change
☐ Livable Cities in Pacific Asia: Methods for Policy Analysis
☐ Communicating with Policymakers about Population and Health

Please describe your relevant education, research, and/or work experience and indicate how participation in the workshop will benefit your future work. (If you are applying for Workshop Three, please describe briefly the research findings that you wish to communicate to policymakers and the policy objective that you wish to achieve.)

Use back and additional sheets if necessary. If you are using a word processor, you may place your entire statement on a separate sheet attached to this form.
Note: All applicants are expected to seek funding from their home organizations or governments or from outside funding agencies.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Name of applicant ______________________________________________________________________________________

☐ _____ I will be self-funded.

☐ _____ I will be funded by the following sponsoring agency:

Contact person/Title ______________________________________________________________________________________

Name of funding organization ____________________________________________________________________________

Mailing address _______________________________________________________________________________________

____________________________________________________________________________________________________

Telephone __________________________ Facsimile no. ____________________________

E-mail address _______________________________________________________________________________________

☐ I am still seeking sponsorship and would like my application to be considered.

(Please immediately forward confirmation of funding to Summer Seminar Office upon notification from sponsor.)

☐ I have applied for funding from __________________________________________________________

(Name of funding agency—list all agencies to which you have applied)  

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PARTICIPATION EXPENSES

Tuition $5,000
Honolulu subsistence ($30/day) *$930
Health/repatriation insurances and SEVIS fee *$177
Activity fee $250
Honolulu housing:
  Dormitory housing (on-campus) *$510
  Apartment housing (on-campus) *$1,230
Airfare (*Honolulu arrival May 29 morning, June 28 departure) Variable

WORKSHEET TO COMPUTE YOUR ESTIMATED COSTS

Tuition (required) $5,000
Subsistence (amount to be provided by funder) __________
Health/repatriation insurance (may be existing) and $100 SEVIS fee __________
Activity fee (required) $250
Housing (if on-campus) __________
Airfare (approximate) __________
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST __________

DIETARY/HOUSING QUESTIONNAIRE

☐ I prefer vegetarian meals.
☐ I do NOT eat (be specific): __________________________________________________________
☐ I have a health condition. Please specify: ________________________________________________________________
☐ I prefer to reside at Hale Manoa or Hale Kuahine (dormitory housing)
  ____ I prefer to reside in an all-male residential area (private rooms with shared baths/kitchen)
  ____ I prefer to reside in an all-female residential area (private rooms with shared baths/kitchen)
  ____ I prefer to reside in a mixed-gender residential area (private rooms with shared coed baths/kitchen)
☐ I prefer to reside at Lincoln Hall (apartment housing: private apartments with private baths/kitchenettes)

Please note that most dormitory rooms are in mixed-gender areas and apartment housing is limited. We will do our best to accommodate requests.
Research Program, Population and Health Studies  
THIRTY-EIGHTH SUMMER SEMINAR ON POPULATION  
29 May – 28 June 2007  
REFERENCE FORM

TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT

Name of applicant ____________________________________________________________

Workshop title (Mark one only.)

☐ Population, Development and Policy: The Economic Payoffs to Population Change  
☐ Livable Cities in Pacific Asia: Research Methods for Policy Analysis  
☐ Communicating with Policymakers about Population and Health

The candidate named above has applied for the Thirty-Eighth Summer Seminar on Population. The seminar has been designed to prepare individuals for work in population and related fields. It would be helpful to us in selecting candidates to have your evaluation of the applicant on the questions listed below.

References should be received by 31 December 2006 at the following address:  
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Honolulu, Hawaii 96848-1601  
U.S.A.

TO BE COMPLETED BY REFEREE

1. How long have you known the applicant? ____________________________________________

2. How well and in what capacity do you know the applicant? ____________________________

3. Please rate the applicant in terms of each of the following (one checkmark for each row):

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4. What are the applicant’s special academic/professional strengths and weaknesses?

5. What opportunities will the applicant have to apply workshop experience to ongoing activities in his or her current institution?

6. Has the applicant shown noteworthy qualities of leadership in the organization and execution of research projects or other work? If so, please cite examples.

7. Please describe one or two projects relevant to the workshop in which the applicant has participated and indicate his or her role in those projects.

8. Do you recommend the applicant for the Summer Seminar on Population?
   - [ ] Recommend highly
   - [ ] Recommend
   - [ ] Recommend with reservation
   - [x] Do not recommend

9. Any additional comments?

Signature _______________________________________________________________ Date _______________________

Name and position/title (Please print.) ____________________________________________

Complete mailing address (Please include fax number and email.) _________________________

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