

# **Frontiers in Social and Economic Mobility Cornell University, March 27-29, 2003**

Coordinating Committee: Francois Bourguignon, Gary Fields, John Goldthorpe, David Grusky

## **Friday, March 28 Princeton-Yale Room, Statler Hotel**

### **Session I: What is Mobility? 9 a.m.**

Gary Fields, "Economic Mobility Really is a Multifaceted Concept"

John Roemer, "Equality of Opportunity and Income Mobility Matrices"

### **Session II: Careers and Mobility 11 a.m.**

Andrew Abbott, "Transitions and Careers: Mobility as Process and Outcome"

Brendan Halpin, "Tracks Through Time and Continuous Processes: Transitions, Sequences, and Social Structure"

Larry Wu, "Some Reflections on Alternative Models for Jobs and Careers"

### **Session III: Economic Mobility 2:30 p.m.**

Chor-ching Gow, "Evaluating Labor Market Vulnerability from Repeated Cross-Sections: Applications to Korea and Indonesia."

Valentino Dardanoni, "The Comparison of Mobility Tables"

## **Saturday, March 29 Princeton-Yale Room, Statler Hotel**

### **Session IV: Education and Mobility 9 a.m.**

James Heckman, Flavio Cunha, and Salvador Navarro. "Lifting the Veil of Ignorance in Evaluating the Distributional Consequences of Social Policy"

Robert Mare and Vida Maralani. "How Do Mother's Educational Attainments Affect the Educational Attainment of the Next Generation?"

### **Session V: Social Class and Mobility 11a.m.**

John Goldthorpe and Abigail McKnight. "The Economic Basis of Social Class"

David Grusky and Kim Weeden. "Are There Big Social Classes?"