

GLOBALIZATION IN PROGRESS

Understanding and working with World Urbanization

October 17, 2009, 9am to 6pm
Rainey Auditorium and Mosaic Gallery
Penn Museum

An activity of the
Faculty Forum on Globalization and Cities,
Penn Institute for Urban Research (PIUR)

PROGRAM

Welcome

9.00 Susan M. Wachter, Co-Director, Penn Institute for Urban Research

Introduction

Brian Spooner, Conference Chair

First panel: Society Changes

9.30 Richard J. Estes
World Social Situation: 1970-2009

10.00 Theodore G. Schurr
Human Genetic Diversity in a Global Context

10.30 Cheikh Babou
Hôpital Matlaboul Fawzaini: Diaspora, Faith and Science in Tuubaa, Senegal

Second Panel: How we cope—positive and negative adaptations

11.00 James D. Ferguson, David Galligan
Meeting the Food Demands of a Globalizing World

11.30 Janet Monge
Global trends in Diet and Nutrition: an evolutionary perspective

12.00 Nancy Biller and Neal Nathanson
Salient Issues in global health

LUNCH BREAK

Third panel: Organizational implications

1.30 Mauro Guillen

The Fallout from the Global Crisis

2.00 Alan Ruby

The Globalization of Universities

2.30 Joe Sun, John D. Keenan, Megan Doherty and Christina Catanese

Academically-Based Global Service Learning

Fourth Panel: New issues and complications

3.00 Adriana Petryna

Clinical Trials Offshore

3.30 Sarah Paoletti

Collaborative Responses to Transnational Migration

4.00 Marjorie Muecke, Michael Nairn and Marilyn Stringer

Women's Health in globalizing cities

General discussion and concluding remarks

4.30

RECEPTION

5.00-6.00

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