Malcolm Wiener Inequality & Social Policy Seminar Series

**FALL 2013  ■  MONDAYS, 12:00-1:45 PM**
Buffet lunch at noon. Presentations begin at 12:20 p.m.
**ALLISON DINING ROOM**
Harvard Kennedy School | Taubman Building 5th floor.

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**Sep 9**  Dianne Whitmore Schanzenbach, School of Education and Social Policy, Northwestern University
*Long Run Impacts of Childhood Access to the Safety Net*

**Sep 16**  David Figlio, School of Education and Social Policy, Northwestern University
*A Population-level Study of the Effects of Early Intervention for Autism*

**Sep 23**  Patrick Sharkey, Sociology, New York University
*When, Where, Why, and for Whom Do Neighborhoods Matter?*

**Sep 30**  **NO SEMINAR**

**Oct 7**  Neil Fligstein, Sociology, University of California, Berkeley
*The Emergence of a Finance Culture in American Households, 1989-2007*

**Oct 14**  **COLUMBUS DAY – NO SEMINAR**

**Oct 21**  Greg Duncan, School of Education, University of California, Irvine
*Increasing Inequality in Parent Outcomes and Children’s Completed Schooling: Correlation or Causation?*

**Oct 28**  Michael Lipsky, Public Policy, Demos
*Providing Public Benefits and Sanctions through Front Line Workers: Implications for Equality*

**Nov 4**  Jacob Vigdor, Public Policy and Economics, Sanford School of Public Policy, Duke University
*Understanding Trends in Racial Inequality since the Civil Rights Movement*

**Nov 11**  **VETERAN’S DAY – NO SEMINAR**

**Nov 18**  Daniel Hopkins, Government, Georgetown University
*All Politics is National*

**Nov 25**  Linda Burton, Sociology, Duke University
*“Hiding in Plain Sight:” Racialization, Colorism, and the Intimate Union Behaviors of Rural Women*

**Dec 2**  Silja Häusermann, Political Science, University of Zurich
*Distributive Conflict in Post-industrial Societies: Preferences and Politics in Dualized Labor Markets*

**Dec 9**  Robert Benford, Sociology, University of South Florida
*“Pollution of Wealth” versus “Pollution of Poverty”: Framing Disputes Regarding Climate Change and Global Inequalities*

**Dec 16**  David Autor, Economics, MIT
*Worker Adjustment to International Trade*

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