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## **IUSSP** Seminar on

# Global Perspectives on Marriage and International Migration

October 20-21, 2011

The Ritz-Carlton, Seoul, Korea

#### Organizers

The IUSSP Scientific Panel on the Process and Dynamics of Cross-Border Marriage Statistics Korea Korea Institute for Health and Social Affairs







# Invitation

Marriage migration across borders has been pervasive all over the world in the past decades. Marriage immigrants increasingly constitute a significant part of the mainstream life in host societies. Issues related to transnational marriage, including its socioeconomic dynamics and cultural diversity, have all drawn the interests of scholars in both Eastern and Western societies. The processes of international marriage across nations, the immigrant experiences and related social conflicts, and the overall impact on host and sending societies have received the attention of not only scholars but also policy makers.

The IUSSP Scientific Panel on the Process and Dynamics of Cross-Border Marriage is pleased to host a seminar titled Global Perspectives on Marriage and International Migration in conjunction with Statistics of Korea and Korea Institute for Health and Social Affairs (KIHASA). The seminar involves collaborative efforts by leading scholars and researchers with diverse perspectives and expertise on issues related to cross-border marriage and marriage migration. It is our wish that this seminar will go beyond the boundaries of existing scholarly and political interests, and provide a constructive forum through which we can gain a deep and better understanding of the critical issues at hand. The IUSSP, Statistics of Korea, and KIHASA cordially invite you to take part in this seminar by sharing your relevant interests and knowledge.

> Doo-Sub Kim Chair, IUSSP Panel on the Process and Dynamics of Cross-Border Marriage Professor, Hanyang University

> > Ki-Jong Woo Commissioner, Statistics Korea

Yong-ha Kim President, Korea Institute for Health and Social Affairs

# Programme

| October 20, 2011 (THURSDAY) |   |
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| 08:00 - 09:00               | REGISTRATION  |
| 09:00 - 09:30               | OPENING REMARKS   |
|                             | Doo-Sub KIM<br>(Chair, The IUSSP Panel on the Process and Dynamics of Cross-Border<br>Marriage & Professor, Hanyang University)<br>Kum Lae KIM      |
|                             | (Minister, Ministry of Gender Equality and Family)  |
|                             | Ki-Jong WOO<br>(Commissioner, Statistics Korea)   |
|                             | Yong-ha KIM<br>(President, Korea Institute for Health and Social Affairs)   |
|                             | Shireen J. JEJEEBHOY<br>(Council Member, IUSSP & Senior Associate, Population Council, India)   |
| 09:30 - 10:10               | KEYNOTE SPEECH  |
| 09:30                       | International Marriage in Asia: What Do We Know, and<br>What Do We Need to Know?<br>Gavin W. JONES<br>(National University of Singapore, Singapore) |
| 10:00                       | DISCUSSION  |
| 10:10 - 10:20               | COFFEE BREAK  |
| 10:20 - 12:10               | PANEL 1 Chair: Shireen J. JEJEEBHOY   |
| 10:20                       | A Comparison of Recent Trends of International Marriages and<br>Divorces in European Countries<br>Giampaolo LANZIERI<br>(Eurostat, Luxembourg)      |
| 10:50                       | Comparative Perspectives on Marriage and International Migration,<br>1970-2000: Findings from IPUMS-International Census Microdata Samples          |
|                             | Albert ESTEVE-PALOS & Joan GARCÍA<br>(Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain)  |
|                             | Robert MCCAA<br>(Minnesota Population Center, USA)  |

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| 11:20         | Bi-national Marriages between European Citizens:<br>From Intermarriage to Intramarriage?   |
|               | Suzana KOELET et al.<br>(Free University of Brussels, Belgium)   |
| 11:50         | Discussant: Gavin W. JONES<br>(National University of Singapore, Singapore)  |
| 12:00         | GENERAL DISCUSSION   |
| 12:10 - 13:30 | LUNCH  |
| 13:30 - 15:20 | PANEL 2 Chair: Wen-Shan YANG   |
| 13:30         | 'Reverse Marriage Migration': Japanese Brides in Southeast Asia<br>Mika TOYOTA & THANG Leng Leng   |
|               | (National University of Singapore, Singapore)  |
| 14:00         | Correlates of Cross-Border Marriages among Muslim Migrants in Tokyo Metropolitan Area  |
|               | Hiroshi KOJIMA<br>(Waseda University, Japan)   |
| 14:30         | 'Every Successful African Has a Japanese Wife!': Motivations for<br>International Marriage among Sub-Saharan African Immigrants in Japan |
|               | Djamila SCHANS<br>(Maastricht University, Netherlands)   |
| 15:00         | Discussant: Danièle BÉLANGER<br>(University of Western Ontario, Canada)  |
| 15:10         | GENERAL DISCUSSION   |
| 15:20 - 15:30 | COFFEE BREAK   |
| 15:30 - 17:20 | PANEL 3 Chair: Bhassorn LIMANONDA  |
| 15:30         | In-between (II)legality and Legitimacy: Marriages between Foreign<br>Workers and Citizens in Malaysia                                    |
|               | CHEE Heng Leng & Brenda S. A. YEOH<br>(National University of Singapore, Singapore)  |
| 16:00         | From Marriage to Migration: Why Cross-Border Marriages in Punjab are Less Understood?  |
|               | Aswini Kumar NANDA<br>(Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development, India)   |

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|               | Jacques VÉRON<br>(Institute National d'Études Démographiques, France)          |
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| 16:30         | Marriage with Immigrants in Portugal   |
|               | Madalena RAMOS & Ana C. FERREIRA<br>(Iscte-Iul, Portugal)                      |
| 17:00         | Discussant: Charles HARNS<br>(IOM Migration Research & Training Centre, Korea) |
| 17:10         | GENERAL DISCUSSION   |
| 17:20 - 18:00 | BREAK  |
| 18:00 - 20:00 | DINNER   |

#### October 21, 2011 (FRIDAY)

| 07:00 - 09:00 | BREAKFAST  |
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| 09:00 - 10:50 | PANEL 4 Chair: Sang-Tae PARK   |
| 09:00         | Marriage Migration and Social Change in Asia: Side-door Migration and Transnationalism from Below          |
|               | Danièle BÉLANGER<br>(University of Western Ontario, Canada)  |
|               | Hong-zen WANG<br>(National Sun-Yat-sen University, Taiwan)   |
| 09:30         | Filipina Marriage Migration to the United States of America (1995-2009) and Their Experiences upon Arrival |
|               | Nimfa B. OGENA<br>(University of the Philippines, Philippines)   |
|               | Minda C. VALENCIA & Golda Myra R. ROMA<br>(Commission on Filipinos Overseas, Philippines)                  |
| 10:00         | Discussant: Bhassorn LIMANONDA<br>(Independent Researcher, Thailand)                                       |
| 10:10         | GENERAL DISCUSSION   |
| 10:20         | Documentary Video "Rainbow"  |
|               | Kaori HIGASHINO<br>(Marriage Immigrant from Japan)   |

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| 10:50 - 11:00                  | COFFEE BREAK   |  |
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| 11:00 - 12:20                  | PANEL 5 Chair: Jacques VÉRON   |  |
| 11:00                          | Does Spousal Dissimilarity Matter? An Explanation of Marital Stability among Transnational Couples in Korea  |  |
|                                | Doo-Sub KIM<br>(Hanyang University, Korea)   |  |
| 11:30                          | The Effect of Parenting on Children's Attitudes toward School Work<br>and Performance: A Comparison between Children of Native Taiwanese<br>and the ASEAN Immigrant Brides   |  |
|                                | Chun-Hao LI<br>(Yuan Ze University, Taiwan)  |  |
|                                | Wen-Shan YANG<br>(Academia Sinica, Taiwan)   |  |
| 12:00                          | Discussant: Jungho KIM<br>(Ajou University, Korea)   |  |
| 12:10                          | GENERAL DISCUSSION   |  |
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| 12:20 - 13:40                  | LUNCH  |  |
| 12:20 - 13:40<br>13:40 - 16:00 | LUNCH PANEL 6 Chair: Doo-Sub KIM   |  |
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| 13:40 - 16:00                  | PANEL 6 Chair: Doo-Sub KIM Transnational Couples in Italy: Aspects of Assortative Mating   |  |
| 13:40 - 16:00                  | PANEL 6       Chair: Doo-Sub KIM         Transnational Couples in Italy: Aspects of Assortative Mating and Fertility Behaviour         Dionisia MAFFIOLI, Giuseppe GABRIELLI & Anna PATERNO  |  |
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| 15:10                       | Discussant: Cheong-Seok KIM<br>(Dongguk University, Korea)              |  |
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| 15:20                       | GENERAL DISCUSSION  |  |
| 15:30 - 15:40               | COFFEE BREAK  |  |
| 15:40 - 16:00               | SUM UP & DISCUSSION REGARDING BOOK PUBLICATION<br>Chair: Gavin W. JONES |  |
| 16:00 - 19:00               | CITY TOUR   |  |
| 19:00 - 21:30               | FAREWELL DINNER   |  |
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| October 22, 2011 (SATURDAY) |   |  |

| 07:00 - 09:00 | BREAKFAST   |
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| 09:00 - 10:20 | DISCUSSION (FOR IUSSP PANEL MEMBERS)<br>Chair: Doo-Sub KIM                          |
| 09:00         | Gavin W. JONES<br>(National University of Singapore, Singapore)<br>Danièle BÉLANGER |
|               | (University of Western Ontario, Canada)<br>Wen-Shan YANG                            |
|               | (Academia Sinica, Taiwan)<br>Bhassorn LIMANONDA                                     |
|               | (Independent Researcher, Thailand)  |
|               | Shireen J. JEJEEBHOY<br>(Population Council in New Delhi, India)                    |
| 10:30 - 19:00 | INDIVIDUAL ACTIVITIES / CITY TOUR / CULTURAL VISIT                                  |
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