Proposed Program: Indigenous Homelessness Workshop

February 19 and 20, 2014 Radisson Inn, Ambassador C

Wednesday, February 19, 2014

9-9:30 a.m. Introductions and Welcome

9:30-11:00 a.m. Session I. Intersection with public policy

A. 'They don't let us look after each other like we used to': reframing Indigenous homeless geographies as home/journeying in the Northwest Territories, Canada

Julia Christensen, Roskilde University

Paul Andrew, Tulita Dene, Yellowknife, Northwest Territories (NWT)

B. Looking through the service lens: case studies in Indigenous homelessness in two regional Australian towns

Paul Memmott, University of Queensland

Daphne Nash, University of Queensland

C. No Dumping: The Policing of Homelessness and the Racialization of Inner-City Space

Joshua Freistadt, University of Manitoba

11:00-11:15 Health Break

11:15-12:15 .a.m. Session II. Methodological Issues

A. The Inclusion of Indigenous Voice in co-constructing "home": A case of Indigenous Homelessness in a northern semi-urban community in Manitoba

Marleny M. Bonnycastle, Ph.D., University of Manitoba

Maureen Simpkins Ph.D, University College of the North

Annette Siddle, City of Thompson, Public Safety

B. Community Engaged Scholarship: The Only Path to New Solutions for Old Problems in Aboriginal Homelessness

Wilfreda E. Thurston, University of Calgary

David Turner, Consultant

Cynthia Bird, Aboriginal Friendship Centre of Calgary

12:15-1:30 Lunch break

1:30-3:00 p.m. Session III. Meanings of home and homelessness

A. Rural Aboriginal Homelessness in Canada

Schiff, Rebecca, Memorial University

Turner, A.

Waegemakers Schiff, J.

B. Aboriginal 'Fringe-dwelling' in Geraldton, Western Australia: A Colonial Legacy

Sarah Prout, University of Western Australia

Charmaine Green, University of Western Australia

C. Turangawaewae Kore: Nowhere to Stand

Deidre Brown, University of Auckland

Thursday, Feburary 20, 2014

9:00 – 10:30 a.m. Session IV. Unique aspects of Aboriginal homelessness

A. "All We Need Is Our Land:" Exploring Southern Alberta Urban Aboriginal Homelessness

Yale D. Belanger, University of Lethbridge

Gabrielle Lindstrom

B. The Role of Mobility Patterns in Australian Aboriginal Homelessness

Dr. Christina Birdsall-Jones

John Curtin Institute of Public Policy, Curtin University of Technology, Perth, Western Australia

C. Comparing Indigenous and non-Indigenous Respondents to the Health and Housing in Transition Study

Fran Klodawsky, Carleton University

Rebecca Cherner,

Tim Aubry, University of Ottawa

Susan Farrell, University of Ottawa

Julie Parell

Barbara Smith

10:30-11 a.m. Health Break

11:00 a.m. – 12 noon, Session V. Definitional dilemmas

A. "We are good-hearted people, we like to share": definitional dilemmas of crowding and homelessness in urban Indigenous Australia

Kelly Greenop, University of Queensland

Paul Memmott, University of Queensland

B. Indigenous homelessness in New Zealand: The enduring issue of definition

Kate Amore, University of Otago

12-1:00 p.m. Lunch