“Trajectories of Inequality in Brazil”

Tuesday, February 16, 2016
9:00am – 5:00pm
Woodrow Wilson Center
5th Floor Conference Room
PROGRAM
TRAJECTORIES OF INEQUALITY IN BRAZIL

9:00am: Opening Session
Welcome, by Paulo Sotero, Director, Brazil Institute

The book content: Trajectories of Inequality in Brazil, by Marta Arretche, Professor of Political Science, University of São Paulo

9:45am: First Session - The policies on Politics

Chair: Maria Herminia Tavares de Almeida, Senior Researcher, Brazilian Center of Analysis and Planning (CEBRAP)

Political Participation, by Fernando Limongi, Professor of Political Science, University of São Paulo, and José Antonio Cheibub, University Professor of Political Science, University of Illinois

Councils, associations, and inequality, by Adrian Gurza Lavalle, Professor of Political Science, University of São Paulo

Discussants: Daniel Gingerich, Associate Professor and Director of Quantitative Collaborative, University of Virginia and Matthew Taylor, Associate Professor of International Service, American University

11:15am: Coffee Break

11:30am: Second Session: Education Policy

Chair: Matthew Taylor, American University

Education and inequality in Brazil, by Naercio Menezes Filho, Professor, Institute of Education and Research, INSPER

Educational stratification among youth in Brazil, by Carlos A.C. Ribeiro, Professor of Social and Political Studies, Rio de Janeiro State University (UERJ)

Discussant: David Lam, Director of the Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan

1:00pm: Lunch Discussion: The current Brazilian crisis

Carlos Eduardo Lins da Silva, Special Advisor, FAPESP; Paulo Sotero, Brazil Institute; Matthew Taylor, American University; Sergei Soares, Visiting Fellow, Center for Global Development
2:00 pm: Third Session: Urban infrastructure and services

Chair: Carlos Eduardo Lins Da Silva, Senior Advisor, São Paulo Science Foundation, FAPESP

Urban Conditions, by Eduardo Marques, Vice-Director at CEM and Professor, University of São Paulo

Territorial inequalities, by Marta Arretche, University of São Paulo

Discussant: Peter Ward, University Professor of Sociology, University of Texas

3:30pm: Coffee Break

3:45 pm: Concluding Session: The path toward inequality-reduction

Chair: Sergei Soares, Center for Global Development

The path toward inequality-reduction, by Marta Arretche, University of São Paulo

Discussants: Kenneth Roberts, University Professor of Comparative and Latin American Politics, Cornell University and Maria Herminia Tavares de Almeida, Brazilian Center of Analysis and Planning (CEBRAP)