The Jerome Levy Economics Institute

"Economic Inequality at the Close of the Twentieth Century"
Winter Workshop

February 1-2, 1991

Friday, February 1

9:30-10:00  Introductory Remarks: S Jay Levy

10:00-12:00  Chair: David Levy

McKinley Blackburn, David Bloom and Richard Freeman: "The Distribution of Labor Market Outcomes: Measuring and Explaining Trends and Patterns in the 1980s for Selected Demographic Groups in the United States"

Maria Cancian, Sheldon Danziger and Peter Gottschalk: "The Role of Increased Earnings of Women on the Distribution of Family Income"

12:00-2:00  Lunch

2:00-5:00  Chair: Dimitri Papadimitriou

Greg Duncan and Timothy Smeeding: "Changes in the Distribution of Permanent Income in the USA: The Role of Earnings, Property Incomes, Taxes, and Transfers"

Robert Haveman: "Poverty, Inequality, and the Use of Earnings Capacity, 1973-89"

Barbara Wolfe: "The Role of Health in Limiting Earnings Capacity, Poverty and Welfare Participation"

6:00-7:30  Dinner

7:30-9:30  Open Discussion: Coffee and Cognac Served
Saturday, February 2

9:15-11:00  Chair: S Jay Levy

Christopher Jencks and Susan Mayer: "Trends in Inequality of Consumption, Living Conditions, and Well-Being"

Edward Wolff: "Can a 'Social Security Capital Fund' Reduce the Growing Wealth Gap Among Age Groups in the US?"

11:15-1:00  Policy Forum: Second Meeting

1:00-2:00  Lunch