Using Time Diary Data in Education Research

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*Please note that each day’s events will be in a different location on campus*

Conference Schedule (Overview)

**Friday March 6**  Location: Mary Graydon Center (MGC Rooms 3 – 5)

6:00 – 9:00  Welcome Reception & Registration (snacks and drinks provided)

**Saturday March 7**  Location: SIS Founders Room

8:30 – 9:15  Breakfast & Registration
9:15 – 9:30  Opening Remarks
9:30 – 11:30  Paper Session 1: *Measuring Parental Involvement & Student Time Use*
11:30 – 12:30  Lunch
12:30 – 1:45  Panel 1: *Future Research on Parents’ and Students’ Out-of-School Time Use*
1:45 – 2:00  Break
2:00 – 4:00  Paper Session 2: *Applications of Time Use Data to Education Research*
4:00 – 4:30  Coffee Break
4:30 – 5:45  Panel 2: *Measuring Educator Time Use*
6:00 – 9:00  Dinner and Drinks [Chef Geoff’s Private Dining Room; 3201 New Mexico Ave.]

*Chef Geoff’s is a short 5 minute walk from campus (see map below).*

**Sunday March 8**  Location: Butler Board Room

8:30 – 9:15  Breakfast
9:15 – 10:30  Paper Session 3: *Time Use as an Educational Input*
10:30 – 10:45  Break
10:45 – 11:45  Panel 3: *Time Use as an Educational Input, Moving Forward*
11:45 – 12:45  Lunch
12:45 – 1:45  Breakout Sessions (3 working groups, one for each paper/panel pair)
1:45 – 2:00  Closing Remarks

**Info:**

Conference hashtag: #EdTimeUse
Direct questions to the conference email: [aera.time.use.conference@gmail.com](mailto:aera.time.use.conference@gmail.com)
**Detailed Conference Program**

**Saturday March 7**  
Location: SIS Founders Room

**Paper Session 1: Measuring Out-of-School Time Use (9:30 – 11:30)**

“Unpaid work and the notion of time poverty”  
Maria S. Floro (American University)

Sandra Hofferth (University of Maryland)

“School’s out – What’s up? A time-diary analysis of US teenagers’ afterschool routines”  
Killian Mullan (University of Oxford)

“Children’s media use and homework time”  
Sabrina Wulff Pabilonia (BLS)

“Time investments in children across family structures”  
Ariel Kalil (University of Chicago)

Discussants: Taryn Morrissey (AU) & Katie Vinopal (AU)

**Panel 1: Future Research on Parents’ and Students’ Out-of-School Time Use (12:30 – 1:45)**

Moderator: Seth Gershenson
Panelists: Sandra Hofferth, Charlene Kalenkoski, Ariel Kalil, Sabrina Pabilonia, Cathleen Zick

**Paper Session 2: Time Use Data for Education Research (2:00 – 4:00)**

“Principal’s time use and school effectiveness”  
Daniel Klasick (George Washington University)

“A day in the life: Teachers’ non-school time use”  
Kristine West (St. Catherine University)

“Measuring teachers’ use of instructional time”  
Brian Rowan (University of Michigan)

“Using PSID Child Development Supplement time diaries in education research”  
Paula Fomby (PSID)

“The American Time Use Survey: An overview of the survey and the data it provides for education-related research”  
Rachel Krantz-Kent (BLS)

“Methodological challenges and technological advancements in the study of school leaders' time use: A pilot study”  
Craig Hochbein (Lehigh University)
Panel 2: *Exploiting Data on Teacher & Principal Time Use* (4:30 – 5:45)

Moderator: Seth Gershenson
Panelists: Sandra Hofferth, Brian Rowan, Kristine West, Rachel Krantz-Kent, Paula Fomby

Sunday March 8   Location: Butler Board Room

Paper Session 3: *Time Use as an Input in the Educational Process* (9:15 – 10:30)

“Flaking out: Student absences and snow days as disruptions of instructional time”
Josh Goodman (Harvard Kennedy School)

“Snooze or lose: High school start times and academic achievement”
Jeff Groen (BLS) and Sabrina Wulff Pabilonia (BLS)

“Does high school homework increase academic achievement”
Charlene Kalenkoski (Texas Tech) and Sabrina Wulff Pabilonia (BLS)

“Effective instructional time use for school leaders: Longitudinal evidence from observations of principals”
Jason Grissom, Vanderbilt University

Discussant: Jennifer Steele (AU)

Panel 3: *Time Use as an Input in the Educational Process* (10:45 – 11:45)

Moderator: Seth Gershenson
Panelists: Josh Goodman, Craig Hochbein, Charlene Kalenkoski, Cathleen Zick
Conference Housing and Transportation Information

Out of town guests will stay at the Georgetown/Glover Park Savoy Suites Hotel.

Hotel info is available here: http://www.jdvhotels.com/hotels/savoy-suites-hotel/

The hotel is located at 2505 Wisconsin Ave NW. It is easiest to take a cab to/from the hotel to/from the airport. The grant will reimburse cabfare along with airfare if you save your receipts.

The hotel is located about 10 minutes from AU's campus. A shuttle will transport conference participants between the hotel and campus at specified times.

Preliminary shuttle trips are scheduled for:

Friday March 6: Departing Hotel at 5:45 pm
Friday March 6: Departing AU at 9:00 pm

Saturday March 7: Departing Hotel at 8:15 am
Saturday March 7: Departing Chef Geoff’s at 8:30 pm

Sunday March 8: Departing Hotel at 8:15 am
Sunday March 8: Departing AU at 3:00 pm (return to hotel)

*For folks departing on Sunday, you can take a cab/Uber directly from AU. Similarly, you can always take a cab/Uber to/from AU if necessary.

AU is located at 4400 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, to the West of Ward Circle (intersection of Nebraska Ave. and Mass. Ave.) The campus map on the following page shows the buildings in which the specific conference events will be held.

Local Guests

Parking is free after 5:30 pm on Friday and all day on weekends. The SIS garage is most convenient and is located under the SIS building at the intersection of Nebraska and New Mexico Avenues [See map on following page].

AU’s campus is also accessible via Metro. Take the RED LINE to the AU/TENLEYTOWN stop. Use the East exit (turn left). Then board the BLUE/MAIN CAMPUS SHUTTLE and exit at the WARD BUILDING STOP. http://www.american.edu/finance/facilities/ShuttleBlueRoute.cfm
Alternatively, it is a 15 minute walk South from the metro to Tenley Circle then down Nebraska Ave. [See map below, or in shuttle bus link above].
Map of American University Campus

To Metro

*Note that the Nebraska Ave. Lot is CLOSED. You must use SIS garage (enter at intersection of New Mexico and Nebraska).

**SUNDAY: Enter towards AU bookstore, take elevator to 6th floor (Butler Board Room).
Participant List

Maria Floro (American University)
Paula Fomby (University of Michigan & PSID)
Harley Frazis (Bureau of Labor Statistics)
Seth Gershenson (American University)
Josh Goodman (Harvard Kennedy School)
Jason Grissom (Vanderbilt University)
Jeff Groen (Bureau of Labor Statistics)
Craig Hochbein (Lehigh University)
Sandra Hofferth (University of Maryland)
Charlene Kalenkoski (Texas Tech University)
Ariel Kalil (University of Chicago)
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