

# China Family Panel Studies (CFPS)



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Date: 13 November 2015, Fri

Time: 12nn - 1.30pm

Venue: FASS Executive Seminar Room  
AS7 01-07

Light lunch is provided

Seminar chaired by  
Provost's Chair Prof Wei-Jun Jean  
Yeung, Director, CFPR

All are welcome!

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by 9 November 2015.

The China Family Panel Studies (CFPS) is a nearly nationwide, comprehensive, longitudinal social survey that is intended to serve the research needs on a large variety of social phenomena in contemporary China. Extensive information is collected through computer-assisted person-to-person interviews of all family members. The CFPS promises to provide to the academic community the most comprehensive and highest-quality survey data on contemporary China. In addition to providing an introduction to the survey, Professor Xie presents preliminary findings from the survey on income inequality, poverty, marriage and cohabitation, and child development.

## About the Speaker

Prof Yu Xie is Bert G. Kerstetter '66 University Professor of Sociology and has a faculty appointment at the Princeton Institute of International and Regional Studies, Princeton University. He is also a Visiting Chair Professor of the Center for Social Research, Peking University. His main areas of interest are social stratification, demography, statistical methods, Chinese studies, and sociology of science. His recently published works include: *Marriage and Cohabitation* (University of Chicago Press 2007) with Arland Thornton and William Axinn, *Statistical Methods for Categorical Data Analysis* with Daniel Powers (Emerald 2008, second edition), and *Is American Science in Decline?* (Harvard University Press, 2012) with Alexandra Killewald.