Family, Gender and the Welfare State

Hilary Term 2012 Seminar Series: Thursdays 5pm in the Violet Butler Room, Barnett House, Wellington Square

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Fran Bennett, Senior Research Fellow, Department of Social Policy & Intervention, University of Oxford

19 Jan.: ‘Family, gender and the welfare state: key concepts and current debates’

Dr Linda Pickard, Senior Research Fellow, Personal Social Services Research Unit, London School of Economics

26 Jan.: ‘The provision of family care for older people in Europe: the role of long-term care systems’

Prof Birgit Pfau-Effinger, Institute for Sociology, Hamburg University

2 Feb.: ‘The role of migrant carers in different types of gender arrangement’

Prof Holly Sutherland, Institute for Social and Economic Research, Essex University

9 Feb.: ‘Inequalities within couples in Europe: market incomes and the role of taxes and benefits’

Prof Mary Daly, School of Sociology, Social Policy and Social Work, Queens University, Belfast

16 Feb.: ‘Parenting support policies in Europe: typologies and trends’

Prof Trudie Knijn, Faculty of Social Sciences, Utrecht University

23 Feb.: ‘Prizing or pricing care-work in a comparative perspective’

Prof Emiko Ochiai, Department of Sociology, Kyoto University

1 Mar.: ‘Care regimes in Asia: varieties and commonalities in the absence of a strong welfare state’

Prof Barbara Hobson, Chair in Sociology and Gender Studies, Department of Sociology, Stockholm University

8 Mar.: ‘The agency gap in work-life balance: applying Sen’s capability framework’

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