

Approaches to Comparative Social Policy: Methods and Methodologies

HT Seminar Series: Thursday's 5pm in the Violet Butler Room, Barnett House, Wellington Square

Convenors: Emanuele Ferragina, Martin Seeleib-Kaiser and Robert Walker

- 20 January 2011 Stuart White (Jesus College, University of Oxford): *The three worlds of welfare capitalism: are any of the just?*
- 27 January 2011 Anne Gauthier (Senior Researcher, Netherland's Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute): *Family policies as national context: a demographic perspective*
- 03 February 2011 Michael Shalev (Department of Sociology, Hebrew University): *Number-crunching without alchemy in comparative welfare state research*
- 10 February 2011 Kees van Kersbergen (Department of Political Science, Aarhus University): *Explaining Welfare State Change: Functional Pressures, Ideas and Blame avoidance*
- 17 February 2011 Robert Walker and Elaine Chase (Oxford Institute of Social Policy, University of Oxford): *Using qualitative methods in a cross-national comparative context*
- 24 February 2011 Jon Kvist (Centre for Welfare State Research, University of Southern Denmark): *Precise past, fuzzy future? Configuration comparative methods in ideal type analysis*
- 03 March 2011 Emanuele Ferragina, Martin Seeleib-Kaiser, Mark Tomlinson and Robert Walker (Oxford Institute of Social Policy, University of Oxford): *Welfare Regime Theory: A House of Cards?*
- 10 March 2011 Jackie O'Reilly (Brighton Business School): *Indexes and Gaps: International Comparisons of Gender and Employment - MOVED TO 17 MARCH*

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