Applying Feminist Principles to Tax, Benefit, and Budgetary Policies: An Economic Justice Workshop

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Workshop Program
Kahili Suite (Kahila Tower), Hilton Hawaiian Village Waikiki Beach Hotel
2005 Kalia Road, Honolulu

Registration and introductions: 8:30-9:15 am
Registration will be an informal checkin
Workshop coordinators will ask for short introductions from everyone

Panel 1: 9:15-10:45 am
Focus: Feminist concepts of distributive justice, gender analysis frameworks, and applications to fiscal policies
Eva-Maria Svensson, ‘Alternative Feminist Perspectives on Economic Justice’
Louise Langevin, ‘From Words to Actions: CEDAW, Equality, and Gender-based Analysis’

Break: refreshments provided 10:45-11:00 am

Panel 2: 11:00-12:00 pm
Focus: Gender analysis frameworks in theory and practice
Kathleen Lahey, ‘Identifying Gender Impact of Tax, Benefit, and Other Economic Policies at the Structural, Entity, and Political Levels’
Paloma de Villota, ‘Joint Taxation, Care Work, and the Status of Women’

Lunch: provided 12:00-1:15 pm
Panel 3:
Focus: Selected issues in gender impact analysis 1:15-3:00 pm
Lily Kahng, ‘Gender, Race, Wealth, and Tax’
Palma Strand, ‘Do We Value Our Cars More Than Our Kids? The Conundrum of Care for Children’
Claire Young, ‘Tax Subsidies for Retirement Savings: Their Contribution to Elderly Women's Economic Inequality’
Miranda Stewart, 'Feminist Approaches to Tax Discourse: Gender and "Capabilities" in Recent Australian Tax Debates’

Break: refreshments provided 3:00-3:15 pm

Panel 4:
Focus: Proactive feminist fiscal strategies: putting equality first 3:15-4:15 pm

Wrap-up discussion: 4:15-4:30 pm

Unstructured break: 4:30-6:30 pm

Informal reception and dinner: location to be announced 6:30-8:30 pm
Participant information form

Name:

Institutional affiliation:

Mailing address:

Email address:

Nature of interest in workshop or issues you are particularly interested in:

Dietary considerations (for refreshment breaks, lunch, and the informal reception/dinner in the evening):

Thank you!

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