Paul Davidson Senior Scholars Interactive Session (DSSIS) on Deep Recession, Debt Crisis, Financial Instability and Policy
2.30 Saturday 5 January 2013, AFEE at ASSA Session
San Diego Marriott Marquis & Marina (Hotel)
Bayside Room (On San Diego Bay)

Buffet Meals & Drinks courtesy of Phil O’ Hara

Presiding: Paul Davidson (Bernard Schwartz Centre for Economic Policy Analysis, USA)

FIONA MACLACHLAN (Manhattan College), The Role of Securities Financing Arrangements in the Credit Structure: An Application of the Financial Instability Hypothesis

ANNA Klimina (St. Thomas More College, Canada), Through Economic Crises to a Progressive Society: Possible Roles for Institutional Regimes of State Capitalism

JOHN HARVEY (Texas Christian University), Teaching the Greek Crisis from the Perspectives of Competing Models

SHUANPING DAI and WOLFRAM ELSNER (University of Bremen, Germany), Varieties of Policy Reactions to the Financial Crisis 2008 ff.: An Analysis of Networks of Institutions and "National Systems of Policies"

Barbara E. Hopkins (Wright State University), Identity and Unsustainable Consumption

EUGENIA CORREA and ALICIA GIRON (UNAM, Mexico), Credit and Capital Formation: Lessons of Mexican Migrant Entrepreneurs in the US Financial Crisis,

KELLIN CHANDLER STANFIELD (DePauw University), Inequality and the Great Recession

JACK REARDON (Hamline University), Private Equity, Climate Change, the Current Financial Crisis and the Shifting of Global Economic Superpowers

HENNING SCHWARDT (University of Bremen, Germany), Policy Responses to Economic Crises--Learning from Developing Countries' Experiences

Discussant: Daphne Greenwood (University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, USA)

JOHN MARANGOS (University of Crete, Greece) and NIKOLAOS KARAGIANNIS (Winston-Salem State University), Realistic Economic Development Policy Today: What Does Really Matter?

JING CHEN (University of Northern British Columbia, Canada), Resource Abundance, Monetary Policy and Long-Term Stability

VALERIE K. KEPNER (King’s College) and PAULA M. COLE (University of Denver), Consuming Less and Caring More: Creating Economic Policy for Social Provisioning

CAROL SCOTTON (Knox College), Knowledge, Care and Maintenance Work

RAMON GARCIA FERNANDEZ (Universidade Federal do ABC, Brazil), PEDRO CALDAS CHADAREVIAN (Universidade Federal de Sao Carlos, Brazil) and MARCELO MILAN (Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil), Crisis, Recovery and the Role of the State in the Periphery: The Cases of Argentina and Brazil

BRUCE A. MCDANIEL (University of Northern Colorado), Schumpeter and an Institutional Analysis of the U.S. Housing Crisis

THOMAS A. SWANKE (Morningside College), What the Financial Collapse of 2008 Can Tell Us about Forecasting the Future

GREGORIO VIDAL BONIFAZ and WESLEY COLIN MARSHALL (Universidad Autonoma Metropolitana-Iztapalapa), The Great Crisis and Development Economics: The Vision of Celso Furtado

PHILLIP ANTHONY O'HARA (Global Political Economy Research Unit, Australia), Policies and Institutions to Moderate Deep Recession, Debt Crises and Financial Instability
APPENDICES for DSSIS: Paul Davidson Senior Scholars Interactive Session

APPENDIX 1: HOW THE DSSIS WORKS. (Suggestions welcome.)
We have a luncheon room booked (Bayside Room, see picture and link) for buffet meals and up to two drinks for 60 visitors. Paul Davidson is Chairing this SSIS, where he will be greeting guests, talking about the session, and showing them how they can eat, drink and move around the room entirely as they wish, to look and hear the presenters. He will be emphasising the contribution of these papers to an understanding of the current crisis and policies to improve the system. Daphne Greenwood, as a discussant, will be moving around the room talking with presenters and visitors. (POH will also be doing this sort of work as he organises the sessions.) Each presenter will have a Bayside Dining Table each (if they need it; see picture; some visitors can sit at this Table also; or stand up; or sit at other tables), as well as a 6 foot x 18 inch smaller table (if they need it), along with a large easel for situating summaries, Tables, Figures and conclusions (if they want to).

The smaller and/or Large Bayside Table can be used by each presenter to house copies of their papers; and/or Computer Tablet; and/or copies of summaries of paper (large versions) with summaries, Tables, Figures etc; plus any other materials they may wish to show visitors (e.g., CV, recent books, articles, Awards, journals they edit or special issues; other contributions, other projects). As the visitors eat and drink, and then move around the room, they can be informed by the presenters as they talk about their paper, its key findings; and answer any questions/comments from visitors. (Those engaged in this session can also dine/drink and savour the delights of presentations in the immediately earlier, 12.30 session, the William Dugger SSIS).

APPENDIX 2: 10 POINT PLAN (SHORT VERSION) FOR ORGANIZATION OF DSSIS (suggestions welcome)
1. Have a beautiful Hotel venue room on the SD Bay for sessions; with free food and drinks; and good atmosphere for intellectual analysis of crisis and policies;
2. Have Paul Davidson as Chair; plus well-known scholar as Discussant; AFEE/JEI Board members and senior scholars as presenters.
3. Emphasise the sessions’ Interactive nature; talk, paper, board, computer (you may want to bring one), etc. It is crucial to emphasise the ‘cool’ nature of these sessions, where visitors can drink, eat, talk, listen, sit, move around, savour the intellectual delights of the papers, etc.
4. These sessions should enhance levels of welfare being experienced by presenters, visitors, AFEE, society etc by promoting communication and being concerned with recessions, debt crises, financial instability; plus policies and institutions to enhance community well being, quality of life, abundance, provisioning, relatively stable and sufficient growth, and happiness.
5. Each presenter can variously bring [a] a Computer Tablet for display of Figures, Tables and Summaries (if you think it will work/be big enough); and/or [b] 120 copies of a 2-page (front and back) summary of their paper; and/or [c] 30-50 copies of paper; 20-30 copies of paper summaries with large Figures/Tables etc (e.g., 6 pages each); and/or [d] copy of paper from computer to visitors USB drives; etc. [POH will try and get copies of these papers on a website, for scrutiny before/during the conference, if he gets them early and AFEE/he can do this.]
6. Presenters bring colourful Large Prints; well formulated tables, figures, main points, etc to show visitors; on thick paper, to put on easel or hold on table.
7. POH/presenters advertise widely; including outside room/main areas; enhance communication about these sessions. POH to prepare Color A4 and Posters to advertise the Sessions (with photos and details);
8. POH get to SD early to check on the operational structures/dynamics of the sessions (materials, etc).
9. Presenters being specialist in communicating their message to visitors (prepare short verbal summaries of your paper);
10. POH Update presenters later with information re SSIS (Later he will, if you wish, provide practical examples of the workings of the SSIS when he finishes his paper to be presented at the DSSIS.)

END OF SESSION DETAILS
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