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Dear IARIW Members,

Below are a number of announcements related to upcoming IARIW activities.

2011 IARIW-SSA Special Conference on Income and Wealth in Africa

The International Association for Research in Income and Wealth (IARIW) and Statistics South Africa (SSA) are jointly organizing an international conference entitled “Measuring National Income, Wealth, Poverty, and Inequality in African Countries” to be held at the Cape Town Convention Centre in Cape Town, South Africa September 28-October 1, 2011. The preliminary conference program is posted at <http://www.iariw.org/c2011.php>. The conference website, hosted by Statistics South Africa, is now up and accessible at <http://www.statssa.gov.za/IARIW/>. Registration is also open. There is no registration fee for IARIW members.

2011 IARIW-OECD Special Conference on Economic Insecurity

The International Association for Research in Income and Wealth (IARIW) and the OECD are jointly organizing an international conference entitled “Economic Insecurity: Measurement, Causes and Policy Implications” to be held at the OECD Conference Centre in Paris November 22-23, 2011. The preliminary conference program is posted at <http://www.iariw.org/c2011oecd.php>. The conference website will be up shortly. There is no registration fee for IARIW members.

2012 IARIW General Conference

The 32nd IARIW General Conference, to be organized jointly with the US Bureau of Economic Analysis, US Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Census Bureau and the Conference on Research in Income and Wealth (CRIW), will be held in Cambridge, Massachusetts August 5-11, 2012. The call for papers for the conference is posted at <http://www.iariw.org/call2012.pdf>. The deadline for receipt of proposals is August 31, 2011. A web tool has been developed to handle submissions. It is posted at http://www.iariw.org/paper_submission.php.

Congratulations to IARIW Chair Peter van de Ven on Appointment as Head of National Accounts at the OECD

On behalf of the IARIW Council and the membership, I would like to extend our warmest congratulations to Peter van de Ven, Head of National Accounts at Statistics Netherlands and current IARIW Chair, on his recent appointment as Head of National Accounts in the Statistics Directorate at the OECD. Peter will assume his new position this summer. Well done, Peter!

IARIW Membership Renewal

IARIW individual members who have not yet paid their dues for 2011 are asked to do so as soon as possible. Payment can be made by credit card at <http://www.iariw.org/payment.php>.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns related to the Association.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrew Sharpe". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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