2011-12 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:12) Technical Review Panel Meeting

July 13-14, 2010

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Agenda

Day 1 – Tuesday, July 13, 2010			
Time	Topic	Presenter	
8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Arrive / Continental breakfast		
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Welcome and Introduction Introduction of Panelists and Staff NCES goals for NPSAS and BPS Changes in how data collections are developed Goals for this meeting Logistical and administrative announcements	Riccobono Weko	
9:30 AM – 9:50 AM	Overview of NPSAS Design and its Relationship to BPS	Riccobono	
9:50 AM – 10:10 AM	NPSAS:12 Data Elements and Overview of Proposed Changes in Collection	Hunt-White	
10:10 AM – 10:20 AM	Break		
10:20 AM – 11:05 AM	Strategies for a Redesigned NPSAS and BPS: A Conceptual Framework Informed by Human Capital Theory Presentation Discussion	Long	
11:05 AM – 11:45 AM	Overview of Process To Date: Moving from the Framework to Instrumentation Presentation Discussion	Soldner Wine	
11:45 AM – 1:15 PM	Lunch		
1:15 PM – 1:45 PM	Measurement Issue: Expected Future Wages Presentation Discussion	Decker	
1:45 PM – 2:15 PM	Measurement Issue: Stress and Non-wage Benefits of Work Presentation Discussion	Sykes	
2:15 PM – 2:45 PM	Measurement Issue: Academic and Social Systems Presentation Discussion	Soldner	

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Time	Topic	Presenter	
2:45 PM – 3:00 PM	Break		
3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	Measurement Issue: Willingness to Borrow and Financial Constraints and Persistence Presentation Discussion	Socha	
3:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Measurement Issue: Reasons for Transfer and Drop-Out Presentation Discussion	Radford	
4:00 PM – 4:30 PM	Wrap Up and Adjournment	Weko Riccobono	

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Day 2 – Wednesday, July 14, 2010				
Time	Topic	Presenter		
8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Arrive – Continental Breakfast			
9:00 AM <i>—</i> 9:30 AM	Review of Day One and Clarifications	Weko Riccobono		
9:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Measurement Issue: Uncertainty around Events Presentation Discussion	Soldner		
10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Measurement Issue: Discount Rate	Decker		
10:30 AM – 11:00 AM	Focus Groups: What We've Learned and Next Steps Presentation Discussion	Wine		
11:00 AM - 11:15 AM	Break			
11:15 AM – 12:15 PM	NPSAS:12 Sample Design Full Scale and Field Test Changes to institutional strata First-Time Beginners identification and false positives	Siegel Berkner		
12:15 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch			
1:30 PM – 2:00 PM	NPSAS:12 A Cross-Sectional Study of Financial Aid Changes (e.g., ACG and SMART gone, emerging issues)	Wei		
2:00 PM – 2:45 PM	Field Test Plans New contacting methods (Lego, Facebook, SMS) CADE Redesign Response propensity experiment	Cominole Franklin		
2:45 PM – 3:00 PM	Summary and Next Steps	Riccobono Wine		