Anchorage Population and Economic Data Workshop

Sessions are free and open to the public.
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Hosted by University of Alaska Anchorage

in partnership with

Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

and the

U.S. Census Bureau

October 18, 2016 (Tuesday)

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Multiple sessions throughout the day.
Attend as many or as few sessions as you're able.

Consortium Library, Room 307

3211 Providence Drive, Anchorage

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Sessions on

Population data ***Economic data***

Community-level data ***Census Bureau programs***

Geographic data ***How to access data***

Presented by

Eddie Hunsinger, *State Demographer*
Neal Fried, *Economist*
Armando Mendoza, *Census Bureau Regional Manager*
Linda Akers Smith, *Geographer*
Lia Bolden, *Data Dissemination Specialist*
Manjula Boyina, *Research Analyst*
Matt Berman, *Professor of Economics*

Contact Eddie Hunsinger, 907-269-4960, for more information.

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- WORKSHOP AGENDA -
9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
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9:00-9:15 **INTRODUCTIONS** – *Ruth Terry,* Business and Government Information Librarian, UAA

9:15-9:45 **ECONOMIC DATA AND TRENDS** – *Neal Fried*
• Economic trends and data resources for Anchorage and Alaska
• Housing, commuting, and cost of living information

9:45-10:00 **BREAK**

10:00-10:30 **POPULATION DATA AND TRENDS** – *Eddie Hunsinger*
• Population estimates and trends for Anchorage and Alaska
• Methodology and importance of the Census

10:30-11:15 **U.S. CENSUS BUREAU DATA AND THE 2020 CENSUS** – *Armando Mendoza*
• Overview of Census programs, activities, and resources for Anchorage and Alaska
• The 2020 Census and community involvement

11:15-12:45 **LUNCH BREAK** (on our own – no lunch provided)

12:45-1:15 **U.S. CENSUS BUREAU GEOGRAPHY PROGRAMS** – *Linda Akers Smith*
• Overview of Census Geography programs and planning for the 2020 Census in Alaska
• Local Update of Census Addresses (LUCA) and the Census Bureau's Master Address File

1:15-2:00 **U.S. CENSUS BUREAU DATA TOOLS FOR GRANT WRITERS** – *Lia Bolden*
• Census Bureau's American FactFinder and other interfaces, with examples

2:00-2:15 **AFTERNOON BREAK**

2:15-3:00 **PERMANENT FUND DIVIDEND AND POVERTY IN ALASKA** – *Matt Berman*
• Effects of the Permanent Fund Dividend on poverty rates in Alaska

3:00-3:30 **COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS DATA ACCESS** – *Manjula Boyina*
• Overview of DCRA-managed publicly accessible community-level data on diverse datasets

3:30-4:00 **ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR DATA ACCESS** – *Eddie Hunsinger*
• Alaska population, economic and geographic data
• Census and American Community Survey data

Presenters

Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section

Population Estimates Data	*Eddie Hunsinger*, State Demographer
Economy and Labor Market	*Neal Fried*, Economist

U.S. Census Bureau

U.S. Census Bureau Programs	*Armando Mendoza,* Assistant Regional Census Manager
U.S. Census Bureau Geographic Information	*Linda Akers Smith,* Geographer
U.S. Census Bureau Data Access	*Lia Bolden,* Data Dissemination Specialist

UAA Institute for Social and Economic Research (ISER)

Permanent Fund Dividend & Poverty in Alaska	*Matt Berman*, Professor of Economics

Alaska Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

Community-Level Data	*Manjula Boyina*, Research Analyst