

WHAT'S KEEPING US FROM REDUCING POVERTY IN FRESNO?



An Evening with Dr. Stephen Pimpare

Stephen Pimpare is a professor of the Master in Public Policy program and a Faculty Fellow of the Carsey School of Public Policy. The author of two books and some sixty articles, essays, and reviews on poverty, welfare, and inequality, his second book, *A People's History of Poverty in America*, received the Michael Harrington Award from the American Political Science Association, "for a book that demonstrates how scholarship can be used in the struggle for a better world." Dr. Pimpare previously served as a senior-level administrator of not-for-profit direct service and advocacy organizations addressing issues of poverty, hunger, and homelessness throughout New York City. One of the programs he helped to create, One City Café, New York's first non-profit restaurant, was hailed by the *New York Times* as "the reinvention of the soup kitchen" and

received the Victory Against Hunger Award from the United States Congressional Hunger Center. He is currently at work on *Ghettos, Tramps, and Welfare Queens: Down & Out on the Silver Screen*, a history of poverty and homelessness in the movies.

Thursday, June 22 ▪ 6:30 – 8:30 pm

Parc Grove Commons ▪ 2674 E Clinton Ave, Fresno

Don't miss this opportunity to discuss, share perspectives, and plan action steps to address "What's Keeping Us from Reducing Poverty in Fresno?"

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