GLOBAL CHILD POVERTY AND BRAIN DEVELOPMENT, February 14-15, 2019
Open session, February 14, Perry World House, University of Pennsylvania

MORNING
Didactic talks on child development and poverty in low and middle income countries (LIMCs), intervention programs and the neuroscience of socioeconomic status (SES)

9-9:15 Welcome from organizers, sponsors, brief review of goals
9:15-10:15* Overview of child development in LMIC Poverty – Florenica Lopez-Boo (Inter-American Development Bank)
10:15-11:15 Overview of interventions for LMIC child poverty – Jere Behrman (Penn) and Sharon Wolf (Penn)
11:15-11:30 BREAK
11:30-12:30 Overview of SES neuroscience – Kim Noble (Columbia University)
12:30-1:45 LUNCH - includes 30 min panel discussion on SES neuroscience [each person gets 3 min for a single point they want to make, elaborating on Kim’s talk or anticipating afternoon discussions: Allyson Mackey (Penn), Margaret Sheridan (UNC), Martha Farah (Penn), Sebastian (CONICET)]

AFTERNOON
Review and discuss current efforts to combine child poverty alleviation in LIMC and neuroscience

1:45-2:45 Keynote: Putting neuroscience to work for poor children in LIMCs (check title) – Charles Nelson (Harvard University)
2:45-3:15 Short talk #1 on neuroscience and child dev in LMIC – Kaja Jasinska (University of Delaware)
3:15-3:45 Short talk #2 on neuroscience and child dev in LMIC – Margaret Sheridan (University of North Carolina)
3:45-4 BREAK
4-4:15 Final discussion kick-off – Sebastian, Martha
4:15-5 Panel discussion on translational opportunities in SES Neuroscience with emphasis on differing global contexts: Allyson, Chuck, Florencia, Kaja, Margaret, Petra, Sharon

5-5:30 Additional comments from audience and summing up
5:30-6:15 Reception

* All talk times include time for Q & A