

# 7<sup>th</sup> Annual State Budget Forum

**Tuesday  
February 26, 2008**

**10 am registration  
10:30 am - 1:30 pm program  
Lunch will be served**

**Old Judiciary Room, State Capitol  
Hartford**



## **Connecticut Families in the Yo-yo Economy**

### **Strategies for Weathering an Economic Downturn in a Yo-yo Economy**

Jared Bernstein  
Economic Policy Institute

### **The Yo-yo Economy and the Middle Class**

Professor Tom Shapiro  
Institute on Assets and Social Policy,  
Brandeis University

### **Who Pays? Are Connecticut Taxes Equitable?**

Jeff McLynch  
Institute on Taxation and Economic Policy

### **The Governor's Proposed Budget Revisions**

Robert Genuario, Secretary  
Office of Policy and Management

### **Balancing Connecticut's Budget Priorities in its Yo-yo Economy**

Shelley Geballe  
CT Voices for Children

### **Pulling Apart or Pulling Together in Connecticut?**

Douglas Hall  
CT Voices for Children

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**Space is limited - Reserve your seat today!**

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