Participants

The York and Local participants form the core of the seminar group, supplemented by graduate TA's attached to SCS, and other graduate students in Psychology and Mathematics & Statistics. We are currently contacting people listed as External (among the foremost specialists in Canada and the US) to select a subset of four as Invited Speakers, for whom travel costs will be paid.

- York
 - Robert Cribbie (Psychology)
 - Allison Gibbs (Mathematics & Statistics)
 - Michael Friendly (Psychology)
 - Georges Monette (Mathematics & Statistics)
 - Mirka Ondrak (ISR)
 - Peggy Ng (Atkinson)
 - Ward Struthers (Psychology)
 - Augustine Wong (Mathematics & Statistics)

Local

- Ruth Childs (Measurement & Evaluation, OISE/U of T)
- Thomas Crossley (Economics, McMaster)
- John Fox (Sociology, McMaster)
- Ian Spence (Psychology, U of T)
- Ross Traub (Measurement & Evaluation, OISE/U of T)
- Blair Wheaton (Sociology, U of T)

External

- Peter Bentler (UCLA): Developer of the EQS package; author of over 200 papers in the area of structural equation models.
- Ken Bollen (UNC): Author of *Structural Equations with Latent Variables*
- Michael Browne (Ohio State University): The principal developer of distribution-free methods for structural equation models.
- Patrick Curran (UNC): Co-director of the Carolina Structural Equation Modeling Group; author of many papers.
- Lisa Harlow (University of Rhode Island): Associate Editor of the journal *Structural Equation Modeling*, and current Fullbright Scholar visitor at York
- Rex Kline (Concordia University): Author of *Principles and Practice of Structural Equation Modeling*
- John J. McArdle (University of Virginia): Originator of the RAM formulation for structural equation models; developer of innovations for longitudinal models, and models for change

Budget

<i>Invited speakers</i> : Travel costs plus honoraria to invite four external experts, at an average cost of \$1250	\$5,000
<i>Software and documentation</i> : Purchase copies of LISREL (\$500) and EQS (\$500) plus documentation (\$300) to ensure that all relevant software is available for the seminar participants (York already has Amos, SAS, sem)	\$1,300
Duplicating and publication costs : Each seminar presenter will be invited to contribute a paper to the edited volume, distributed to all participants	\$800
Miscellaneous: Refreshments, supplies, AV rental, etc.	\$400
Total	\$7,500