

Contents

Acknowledgements

ix

Introduction

xiii

PART I NEOCLASSICAL PERSPECTIVES

1. Gary S. Becker (1973), 'A Theory of Marriage: Part I', *Journal of Political Economy*, **81** (4), July/August, 813–46 3
2. Jacob Mincer and Solomon Polachek (1974), 'Family Investments in Human Capital: Earnings of Women', *Journal of Political Economy*, **82** (2), Part II, March/April, S76–S108 and references 37
3. Gary S. Becker (1985), 'Human Capital, Effort, and the Sexual Division of Labor', *Journal of Labor Economics*, **3** (1), Part 2, January, S33–S58 71
4. Gary S. Becker (1981), 'Altruism in the Family and Selfishness in the Market Place', *Economica*, **48**, February, 1–15 97

PART II INSTITUTIONALIST AND FEMINIST PERSPECTIVES

5. Robert A. Pollak (1985), 'A Transaction Cost Approach to Families and Households', *Journal of Economic Literature*, **XXIII**, June, 581–608 115
6. Nancy Folbre (1986), 'Hearts and Spades: Paradigms of Household Economics', *World Development*, **14** (2), 245–55 143
7. Elaine McCrate (1987), 'Trade, Merger and Employment: Economic Theory on Marriage', *Review of Radical Political Economics*, **19** (1), Spring, 73–89 154
8. Amartya Sen (1990), 'Cooperation, Inequality, and the Family', in Geoffrey McNicoll and Mead Cain (eds), *Rural Development and Population: Institutions and Policy* (Supplement to Volume 15 (1989) of *Population and Development Review*), 61–76 171

PART III BARGAINING POWER MODELS

9. Marilyn Manser and Murray Brown (1980), 'Marriage and Household Decision-Making: A Bargaining Analysis', *International Economic Review*, **21** (1), February, 31–44 189
10. Marjorie B. McElroy (1990), 'The Empirical Content of Nash-Bargained Household Behavior', *Journal of Human Resources*, **XXV** (4), Fall, 559–83 203
11. Helen V. Tauchen, Ann Dryden Witte and Sharon K. Long (1991), 'Domestic Violence: A Nonrandom Affair', *International Economic Review*, **32** (2), May, 491–511 228

12. Shelly Lundberg and Robert A. Pollak (1993), 'Separate Spheres Bargaining and the Marriage Market', *Journal of Political Economy*, **101** (6), December, 988-1010 249

PART IV FERTILITY DECLINE

13. T. Paul Schultz (1969), 'An Economic Model of Family Planning and Fertility', *Journal of Political Economy*, **77** (2), March/April, 153-80 275
14. J.C. Caldwell (1981), 'The Mechanisms of Demographic Change in Historical Perspective', *Population Studies*, **XXXV**, March, 5-27 303
15. Gary S. Becker and Robert J. Barro (1988), 'A Reformulation of the Economic Theory of Fertility', *Quarterly Journal of Economics*, **CIII** (1), February, 1-25 326
16. Robert A. Pollak and Susan Cotts Watkins (1993), 'Cultural and Economic Approaches to Fertility: Proper Marriage or *Mésalliance?*', *Population and Development Review*, **19** (3), September, 467-96 351

PART V INTERGENERATIONAL TRANSFERS

17. Steven N.S. Cheung (1972), 'The Enforcement of Property Rights in Children, and the Marriage Contract', *Economic Journal*, **82**, June, 641-57 383
18. Donald O. Parsons (1984), 'On the Economics of Intergenerational Control', *Population and Development Review*, **10** (1), March, 41-54 400
19. B. Douglas Bernheim, Andrei Shleifer and Lawrence H. Summers (1985), 'The Strategic Bequest Motive', *Journal of Political Economy*, **93** (6), December, 1045-76 414
20. John Hoddinott (1992), 'Rotten Kids or Manipulative Parents: Are Children Old Age Security in Western Kenya?', *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, **40** (3), April, 545-65 446

PART VI INTRA-HOUSEHOLD ALLOCATION

21. Heidi I. Hartmann (1981), 'The Family as the Locus of Gender, Class, and Political Struggle: The Example of Housework', *Signs*, **6** (3), Spring, 366-94 469
22. Lawrence Haddad and Ravi Kanbur (1990), 'How Serious is the Neglect of Intra-Household Inequality?', *Economic Journal*, **100** (402), September, 866-81 498
23. Cynthia B. Lloyd and Anastasia J. Gage-Brandon (1993), 'Women's Role in Maintaining Households: Family Welfare and Sexual Inequality in Ghana', *Population Studies*, **XLVII** (1), March, 115-31 514

24. Duncan Thomas (1990), 'Intra-Household Resource Allocation: An Inferential Approach', *Journal of Human Resources*, **XXV** (4), Fall, 635-64 531

PART VII FAMILIES AND CLASS INEQUALITY

25. Samuel Bowles and Valerie I. Nelson (1974), 'The "Inheritance of IQ" and the Intergenerational Reproduction of Economic Inequality', *Review of Economics and Statistics*, **LVI** (1), February, 39-51 563
26. Gary S. Becker and Nigel Tomes (1986), 'Human Capital and the Rise and Fall of Families', *Journal of Labor Economics*, **4** (3), Part 2, July, S1-S39 576
27. Gary Solon (1992), 'Intergenerational Income Mobility in the United States', *American Economic Review*, **82** (3), June, 393-408 615

PART VIII FAMILIES AND THE STATE

28. Gary S. Becker and Kevin M. Murphy (1988), 'The Family and the State', *Journal of Law and Economics*, **XXXI** (1), April, 1-18 633
29. Alan J. Auerbach, Jagadeesh Gokhale and Laurence J. Kotlikoff (1992), 'Generational Accounting: A New Approach to Understanding the Effects of Fiscal Policy on Saving', *Scandinavian Journal of Economics*, **94** (2), 303-18 651
30. Shirley P. Burggraf (1993), 'How Should the Costs of Child Rearing Be Distributed?', *Challenge*, **36** (5), September/October, 48-55 667
31. Nancy Folbre (1994), 'Children as Public Goods', *American Economic Review*, **84** (2), May, 86-90 675

Name Index 681