

# ECONCON: THURSDAY, 8/19/2010

8:30 – 9: 30a	Breakfast & registration, Friend Center Convocation Room		
	Friend Center 110	Friend Center 111	Friend Center 112
9:30 - 10:45	<b>"Deficits, Gifts, and Bequests"</b> Daniel Barczyk, NYU  disc: Han Chen, UPenn	<b>"Duration Models with Dynamic Unobserved Heterogeneity"</b> Irene Botosaru, Yale  disc: Jau-er Chen, NYU	
10:50 - 12:05	<b>"Collective Bargaining in the Labor Market and Inequality"</b> Mathieu Taschereau-Dumouchel, Princeton  disc: Pedro Bento, Toronto	<b>"Per-Capita Incomes and the Extensive Margin of Bilateral Trade"</b> Christian Hepenstrick, Zurich  disc: Tomasz Swiecki, Princeton	<b>"Rational Habits and Uncertain Relative Prices: Simulating Petrol Consumption Behaviour"</b> Rebecca Scott, Oxford  disc: Paul Scott, Princeton
12:05 - 1:10	Lunch, Friend Center Convocation Room		
1:10 - 2:25	<b>"On the Use of Credit Risk Models in Macro Stress Testing"</b> Jean-Francois Kagy, Princeton  disc: Christoph Ungerer, LSE	<b>"Isolation from the Technological Frontier and Economic Development"</b> Omer Ozak, Brown  disc: Walker Hanlon, Columbia	<b>"Issue Emphasis &amp; Opportunistic Redistribution in U.S. Presidential Elections"</b> Ioanna Grypari, Minnesota  disc: Carly Urban, UW-Madison
2:30 - 3:45	<b>"Factor Instrumental Variable Quantile Regression"</b> Jau-er Chen, NYU  Madeleine Chen, Princeton	<b>"A Firm Delocation Theory of WTO Domestic Subsidy Rules"</b> David DeRemer, Columbia  disc: Bernardo Morais, UCLA	<b>"The Dynamics of Municipal Spending: Theory and Evidence"</b> Ryan Booth, NYU  disc: Eliav Danziger, Princeton
3:45 - 4	Coffee break		
4 - 5:15	<b>"The Observational Equivalence Between a News Shock Process and a Moving Average Process"</b> Han Chen, UPenn  disc: Irene Botosaru, Yale	<b>"Impact of Offshoring on Firm Average Wage: Analyzing Rent Sharing and Composition Effect"</b> Madhura Maitra, Columbia  disc: Rasmus Jorgensen, Copenhagen	<b>"The Longevity Gains of Education"</b> Yuri Sanchez, Chicago  disc: Mike Geruso, Princeton
5:30 - 7:30	Activities, Campus Club		
7:30 – 9:30	Dinner, Campus Club (presenters, discussants, and paid participants only)		
9:30-10 10-	Shuttles from Campus Club to Nassau Inn and Graduate College Graduate College: dbar		

## ECONCON: FRIDAY, 8/20/2010

8 - 9a	Breakfast, Friend Center Convocation Room		
	Friend Center 110	Friend Center 111	Friend Center 112
9 - 10:15		<p>"Convertibility Restriction in China's Foreign Exchange Market and its Impact on Forward Pricing" Yi David Wang, Stanford</p> <p>disc: Salim Furth, Rochester</p>	<p>"Scalarization Method and Expected Multi-Utility Representations" Ozgur Evren, NYU</p> <p>disc: Leandro Gorno, Princeton</p>
10:20 - 11:35	<p>"Bankruptcy Cycles" Christoph Ungerer, LSE</p> <p>disc: Jean-Francois Kagy, Princeton</p>	<p>"Debt Enforcement and Aggregate Productivity" Bernardo Morais, UCLA</p> <p>disc: Matthias Lux, NYU</p>	<p>"Social Learning in Regime Change Games" Huang Chong, UPenn</p> <p>disc: Avi Acharya, Princeton</p>
11:35 - 11:50	Coffee Break		
11:50-1:05	<p>"Illiquidity and Foreclosures in a Directed Search Model of the Housing Market" Aaron Hedlund, UPenn</p> <p>disc: Mathieu Taschereau-Dumouchel, Princeton</p>	<p>"Terms of Trade Volatility and Precautionary Savings in Developing Economies" Salim B. Furth, Rochester</p> <p>disc: Alfonso Ceballos, Princeton</p>	<p>"Representativeness Heuristics in Evolutionary Dynamics" Jiabin Wu, UW-Madison</p> <p>disc: Ben Brooks, Princeton</p>
1:05 - 2	Lunch, Friend Center Convocation Room		
2 - 3:15	<p>"Competition as a Discovery Procedure: Hayek in a Model of Innovation" Pedro Bento, Toronto</p> <p>disc: Zhanar Akhmetova, Princeton</p>	<p>"School to Work Transitions in South Africa: A Structural Approach" Todd Pugatch, Michigan</p> <p>disc: Nikolaj Harmon, Princeton</p>	<p>"The good and bad of liquidity risk" Thomas Eisenbach, Princeton</p> <p>disc: Sergey Zhuk, Princeton</p>
3:20 - 4:35	<p>"Contracting Institutions and Economic Development" Alvaro Aguirre, UPenn</p> <p>disc: Wei Cui, Princeton</p>		<p>"Audits or Distortions: The Optimal Scheme to Enforce Self-Employment Income Taxes" Eduardo Zilberman, NYU</p> <p>disc: Giri Parameswaran, Princeton</p>

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-Giri Parameswaran and Paul Scott