**NARSC Preliminary Program**

**September 25, 2016**

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***Special Session:* Words of Welcome and RSAI Fellows Plenary**--***Gray's/Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**David E. Boyce, University of Illinois at Chicago

* *Does Piketty Live in the U.S.? Economic Mobility Across Generations and Space*   Raymond J.G.M. Florax — Purdue University

**Discussant:**

 Raymond J.G.M. Florax, Purdue University

**8:00 PM-9:00 PM**

***Special Session:* NARSC Icebreaker Reception**--***Atrium***

**Thursday, 10 November**

**7:30 AM-5:30 PM**

***Registration and Exhibits:* Conference Registration**--***Registration Room***

**8:00 AM-10:00 AM**

**1. *Formal Paper Session:* Economic Development: Policy and Practice I**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Peter Stenberg, Economic Research Service - USDA

* *The Evolution of Cluster Initiatives in Russia: The Impacts of Policy, Life-Time, Proximity and Innovative Environment*   Ekaterina Islankina — National Research University Higher School of Economics, Evgeniy Kutsenko — National Research University Higher School of Economics, Vasily Abashkin — National Research University Higher School of Economics
* *Diffused Inclusive Community & Entrepreneurship Paradigm*   Marcello Graziano — Central Michigan University, Jasper O. Kenter — Scottish Association for Marine Science, Suzi Billing — Scottish Association for Marine Science, Lucy Greenhill — Scottish Association for Marine Science
* *Regional Determinants of Research and Development Institutions in India: Spatial Analysis*  Sudhir K. Thakur — California State University Sacramento
* *The Digital Economy and the Rural-Urban Labor Hierarchy*   Peter Stenberg — Economic Research Service - USDA
* *Urban-Rural Relations in a Post-Urban World*   Hans Westlund — KTH and JIBS

**Discussants:**

 Hans Westlund, KTH and JIBS

 Ekaterina Islankina, National Research University Higher School of Economics

 Marcello Graziano, Central Michigan University

 Sudhir K. Thakur, California State University Sacramento

 Peter Stenberg, Economic Research Service - USDA

**2. *Formal Paper Session:* Social Interaction and Development**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**Enza Maltese, University of Palermo

* *Estimating the Determinants of the Demographic Mismatch between Schools and Neighborhoods in Urban Areas*   Miles M. Finney — California State Los Angeles
* *Social Networks and Choice Well-Being in Risky Environments: The Drug War in Mexico.*   Fernando Plascencia — Cornell University
* *Individual and Spatial Heterogeneity in the Accumulation of Civic Capital*   Giorgio Fazio — Newcastle University, Enza Maltese — University of Palermo, Davide Piacentino — University of Palermo
* *Social Networks and Their Impact on Community Participation: Setting-Up a Discrete Choice Experiment*   Eveline S. van Leeuwen — VU University Amsterdam, Rixt Bijker — VU University Amsterdam

**Discussants:**

 Eveline S van Leeuwen, VU University Amsterdam

 Miles M Finney, California State Los Angeles

 Fernando Plascencia, Cornell University

 Enza Maltese, University of Palermo

**3. *Formal Paper Session:* Labor: Wages**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Keisuke Kondo, Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry

* *Is the Wage Curve Overestimated?*   Bartlomiej Rokicki — University of Warsaw
* *Job Polarization on Local Labor Markets?*   Uwe Blien — Institut fuer Arbeitsmarkt- und Berufsforschung, Wolfgang Dauth — IAB Institute for Employment Research
* *Urban Wage Premium Revisited: Evidence from Japanese Matched Employer-Employee Data*   Keisuke Kondo — Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry
* *Wage Compensation for Fly-in/Fly-out Commuters in Chile*   Dusan Paredes — Catholic University of the North, Juan D. Soto — Latin American Center for Rural Development (RIMISP), David Fleming — Csiro

**Discussants:**

 Juan D Soto, Latin American Center for Rural Development (RIMISP)

 Bartlomiej Rokicki, University of Warsaw

 Uwe Blien, Institut fuer Arbeitsmarkt- und Berufsforschung

 Keisuke Kondo, Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry

**4. *Formal Paper Session:* Big Data in Regional Science and Transport I**--***Crystal Lake***

**Organizers:**Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University; Karst Geurs, University of Twente; Laurie Schintler, George Mason University; Emmanouil Tranos, University of Birmingham

* *Belgium Through the Lens of Rail Travel Requests (API): Does Geography Matter?*   Isabelle Thomas — Université catholique de Louvain, Arnaud Adam — Université catholique de Louvain, Jonathan Jones — Université catholique de Louvain, Christophe Cloquet — Université catholique de Louvain, Adeline Decuyper — Université catholique de Louvain
* *Accessibility vs. mobility: using big data to compare dynamic accessibility and actual mobility strategies*   Maria Henar Salas-Olmedo — Universidad Complutense Madrid, Borja Moya-Gómez — Complutense University of Madrid, Gustavo Romanillos — Complutense University of Madrid, Juan Carlos García-Palomares — Complutense, Javier Gutiérrez — Complutense University of Madrid
* *Spatio-temporal inequalities in job accessibility in the Netherlands*   Karst Geurs — University of Twente, Borja Moya-Gomez — Universidad Complutense, Marcin Stepniak — Polish Academy of Science, John Pritchard — University of Twente

**5. *Formal Paper Session:* Transportation Infrastructure**--***Deer Lake***

**Chair:**Nancy Lozano Gracia, The World Bank

* *Impact of High-Speed Rail on Regional Economic Disparity in China*   Zhenhua Chen — Ohio State University, Kingsley Haynes — George Mason University
* *Monopoly Pricing and Price Regulation for Privatized Airports with the Commercial Sector*   Katsumi Tanabe — Keio University
* *Mobility in Cities: Distributional Impact Analysis of Transportation Improvement in São Paulo Metropolitan Region*   Eduardo A. Haddad — University of Sao Paulo, Eduardo Germani — TTC Engenharia de Trafego e de Transportes LTDA, Nancy Lozano Gracia — The World Bank, Renato S. Vieira — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Bianca Bianchi Alves — World Bank, Shohei Nakamura — World Bank, Emmanuel Skoufias — World Bank
* *Does High Speed Railway Affect the Price of Land? Based on a Dataset of Micro Urban Land Transaction*   Yulong Zhou — Renmin University of China, Jidong Yang — Renmin University of China

**Discussants:**

 Yulong Zhou, Renmin University of China

 Zhenhua Chen, Ohio State University

 Katsumi Tanabe, Keio University

 Nancy Lozano Gracia, The World Bank

**6. *Formal Paper Session:* Natural Resources: Models and Applications I**--***Elk Lake***

**Chair:**Edson Paulo Domingues, Cedeplar-UFMG

* *The Examination and Analysis of the Long-run Relationship between Crude Oil Prices and the Stock Market (Market Capitalization); Evidence from Middle Eastern Economies (2000-2015)*   Mousa Tawfeeq — West Virginia University
* *India's Energy Reform: Regional Impact of Electricity Grid Separation in Gujarat*  Abdul Munasib — BEA, Devesh Roy — International Food Policy Research Institute, Avinash Kishore — International Food Policy Research Institute, Akshay Bhatnagar — International Food Policy Research Institute
* *Costs and Impacts of Reducing Greenhouse Gas Emissions in Brazil*   Edson Paulo Domingues — Cedeplar-UFMG
* *How Do Shocks in Oil Prices Affect Welfare Programs in Kern County?*   Nyakundi Michieka — California State University, Bakersfield

**Discussants:**

 Nyakundi Michieka, California State University, Bakersfield

 Mousa Tawfeeq, West Virginia University

 Abdul Munasib, BEA

 Edson Paulo Domingues, Cedeplar-UFMG

**7. *Formal Paper Session:* Input-Output Methods**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Fernando DePaolis, Middlebury Institute of International Studies

* *Structural Decomposition and Shift-Share Analyses: Let the Parallels Converge*   Erik Dietzenbacher — University of Groningen, Michael L. Lahr — Rutgers University
* *The Coordination of Monetary and Fiscal Policy in Regional Economy: The Case of Indonesia*   Jati Waluyo — Cornell University
* *IMPLAN's Phoenix Project*   Bill Ault — IMPLAN
* *Identification of Key Sectors in the Regional Economy of Metropolitan Areas: A Network Analysis Approach using Input-Output (I-O) data*   Fernando DePaolis — Middlebury Institute of International Studies, Phil Murphy — Middlebury Institute of International Studies
* *Mexico: Economic Performance of Local Economies. 2003-2013.*   Alejandro Davila — UNIVERSIDAD AUTONOMA DE COAHUILA, Miriam Valdes — UAdeC - CISE

**Discussants:**

 Alejandro Davila, UNIVERSIDAD AUTONOMA DE COAHUILA

 Michael L Lahr, Rutgers University

 Jati Waluyo, Cornell University

 Bill Ault, IMPLAN

 Fernando DePaolis, Middlebury Institute of International Studies

**8. *Formal Paper Session:* Migration: Labor Applications**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Chair:**Harris Selod, The World Bank

* *Career Trajectories of Immigrants in Sweden*   Mikaela Backman — Jonkoping International Business School, Esteban Lopez — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Francisco Rowe — University of Liverpool
* *Temporary Migration and the Skill Composition of Native Workers*   Daniel Crown — The Ohio State University, Alessandra Faggian — The Ohio State University, Jonathan Corcoran — University of Queensland
* *Children Left Behind in China: The Role of School Fees*   Hai-Anh Dang — The World Bank, Yang Huang — Paris Schol of Economics, Harris Selod — The World Bank
* *Do Foreigners Crowd Natives out of STEM Degrees and Occupations? Evidence from the U.S. Immigration Act of 1990*   Tyler Ransom — Duke University, John V. Winters — Oklahoma State University

**Discussants:**

 John V Winters, Oklahoma State University

 Mikaela Backman, Jonkoping International Business School

 Daniel Crown, The Ohio State University

 Harris Selod, The World Bank

**9. *Formal Paper Session:* Housing Methods and Applications I**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Rodrigo A Perez, The Ohio State University

* *Heterogeneity of Appreciation Rate Across House Price Distribution in Beijing, China*   Lei Zhang — North Dakota State University, Yimin Yi — North Dakota State University
* *Integrating Social Network Insights into a Spatial Agent-Based Model of Housing Price Dynamics in Beijing*   Ziye Zhang — Cornell University
* *Rent/Value Ratios in Spatial Disequilibrium: Booming versus Lagging Cities*  Alessandra Faggian — The Ohio State University, Philip E. Graves — University of Colorado, Mark Partridge — Ohio State University, Rodrigo A. Perez — The Ohio State University
* *Natural Amenities, Energy Development, and Housing Values*   Amanda L. Weinstein — University of Akron, Heather Stephens — West Virginia University

**Discussants:**

 Amanda L Weinstein, University of Akron

 Lei Zhang, North Dakota State University

 Ziye Zhang, Cornell University

 Rodrigo A Perez, The Ohio State University

**10. *Formal Paper Session:* Migration and Economic Development**--***Pine Lake***

**Chair:**Robert Allen Manduca, Harvard University

* *The Missing Ingredient: Distanceinternal Migration and Its Long Term Impact on Economic Development in the United States*  Viola von Berlepsch — London School of Economics & Political Science
* *Are Chinese Rural Migrants Willing to Convert to Urban Hukou? A Multilevel Model Study*   Zheng Tian — Capital University of Economics and Business, Ming Tian — Beijing Normal University
* *Amenities and Employment in the Migration Decisions of Recent College Graduates*   Robert Allen Manduca — Harvard University
* *Provincial Valuations of Human Capital in Urban China, Inter-provincial Inequality and the Implicit Value of a Guangdong Hukou*  Jeffrey Zax — University of Colorado at Boulder

**Discussants:**

 Jeffrey Zax, University of Colorado at Boulder

 Viola von Berlepsch, London School of Economics & Political Science

 Zheng Tian, Capital University of Economics and Business

 Robert Allen Manduca, Harvard University

***Business Meeting:* NARSC Council Meeting (Invitation Only)**--***Gray's Bay***

**11. *Urban Economics Association:* Location, Regional Integration and Regional Policies**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Simon Ray, Banque of France

* *The Welfare Impact of Tourism in an Urban Setting*   Gianandrea Lanzara — University of Bologna, Gaetano Alfredo Minerva — University of Bologna
* *What Really Drives Spatial Demand? Evidence from Obstetrics*   Ted Rosenbaum — Federal Trade Commission, Devesh Raval — Federal Trade Commission
* *Transport Infrastructure, Regional Integration, and Firm Productivity*   Yi Niu — Capital University of Economics and Business, Beijing
* *Frictions in the Corporate Real-Estate Market, Firms' Relocation and Employment Dynamics*  Antonin Bergeaud — London School of Economics, Simon Ray — Banque of France

**Discussants:**

 Simon Ray, Banque of France

 Yi Niu, Capital University of Economics and Business, Beijing

 Gaetano Alfredo Minerva, University of Bologna

 Ted Rosenbaum, Federal Trade Commission

**12. *Urban Economics Association:* Housing and Real Estate**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Thom Malone, University of Southern California

* *Land-Use Constraints and the Intensive Margin of Housing Supply*   Zhi Wang — Fudan University, Qinghua Zhang — Peking University, Ya Tan — Peking University
* *A Housing Search Model with Mortgage Rates*   Elliot Anenberg — Board of Governors of the FRS, Edward Kung — University of California - Los Angeles
* *Housing Market Spillovers in a System of Cities*   Thom Malone — University of Southern California
* *A Spatiotemporal Modeling for the Housing Market using Real Estate Big Data and GIS technology*   Heonsoo Park — Jeju National University, Haejung Chun — Sungkyul University

**Discussants:**

 Elliot Anenberg, Board of Governors of the FRS

 Thom Malone, University of Southern California

 Qinghua Zhang, Peking University

**13. *Urban Economics Association:* Transportation I**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**Kenzo Asahi, Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile

* *The Geographical Effects of Transportation Infrastructure on Firms' Output and Productivity Patterns across East and West Germany*   Samira Barzin — Imperial College London, Daniel J. Graham — Imperial College London, Sabine DCosta — The University of Westminster
* *How City Changes? The Effect of Public Transport in Urban Agglomeration of Bogota*  Miguel Andrés Garzón Ramírez — University of the Andes
* *Commuting and Land Use in a City with Bottlenecks: Theory and Evidence*   Jinwon Kim — California State University - Long Beach, Mogens Fosgerau — Technical University of Denmark
* *Better Public Transport Accessibility Implies Lower High School Test Scores: Evidence from a Subway Expansion*   Kenzo Asahi — Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile

**Discussants:**

 Miguel Andrés Garzón Ramírez, University of the Andes

 Kenzo Asahi, Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile

 Samira Barzin, Imperial College London

 Jinwon Kim, California State University - Long Beach

**8:30 AM-10:00 AM**

***Business Meeting:* PiRS Editorial Board Meeting (Invitation Only)**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**10:00 AM-10:30 AM**

***:* Coffee Break**--***Atrium***

**10:30 AM-12:00 PM**

***Special Session:* NARSC Presidential Plenary**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**Chair:**Neil Reid, Univ. Of Toledo

* *Two Tales of Two States: Storytelling with Regional Science*   Dan Rickman — Oklahoma State University

**Discussant:**

 Dan Rickman, Oklahoma State University

**12:00 PM-1:30 PM**

***:* Thursday Lunch**--***(On Your Own)***

**12:30 PM-2:30 PM**

***Business Meeting:* PRSCO Council Luncheon (Invitation Only)**--***Gray's Bay***

**1:30 PM-3:30 PM**

**14. *Formal Paper Session:* Local Public Finance and Economic Development I**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Biswa Das, Iowa State University

* *Do Local Governments Use Tax Incentives to Compensate for High Business Property Taxes?*  David Merriman — University of Illinois at Chicago, Joshua M. Drucker — University of Illinois at Chicago, Rick Funderburg — University of Illinois at Springfield, Rachel N. Weber — University of Illinois at Chicago
* *Spatial Distribution of Public Finance in Russia*   Vladimir Klimanov — Institute for Public Finance Reform, Ksenia Budaeva — Institute for Public Finance Reform
* *Significance of Property Tax for Local Governments: An Empirical Study*   Biswa Das — Iowa State University
* *Local Government Consolidation in Pennsylvania and Local Government Expenditures*   Georg Grassmueck — Lycoming College

**Discussants:**

 Georg Grassmueck, Lycoming College

 Joshua M Drucker, University of Illinois at Chicago

 Vladimir Klimanov, Institute for Public Finance Reform

 Biswa Das, Iowa State University

**15. *Formal Paper Session:* Innovation and Spillover I**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**Jiaochen Liang, California State University Fresno

* *Clustering to Coordinate: Who Benefits from Knowledge Spillovers?*   Santiago Truffa — UC Berkeley, Gonzalo Maturana — Emory University, Williams Grieser — Tulane University
* *University Knowledge Spillovers, Geographic Proximity and Innovation: an analysis of patent filings across U.S. counties*  Timothy Slaper — Indiana University, Ping Zheng — Indiana University
* *Technology Intensity and Agglomeration Economies*   Jiaochen Liang — California State University Fresno, Stephan J Goetz — Penn State University
* *Evaluating Spatial Economic Impacts in Cross-border Regions in Japan: A Regional Input Output Model Approach*  Hiroyuki Shibusawa — Toyohashi University of Technology, Yuzuru Yuzuru — Toyohashi University of Technology, Katsuhiro Sakurai — Rissho University
* *A Study on Construction of Biotechnology Industry Clusters in Jeju, South Korea: Establishment and Application of Live Marine Biotechnium (LMB) by using Jeju Lava Seawater*   Duckhee Jang — Korea Institute of Ocean Science & Technology, Soogwan Doh — Catholic University of Daegu, Gil-Mo Kang — Institute of Ocean Science & Technology

**Discussants:**

 Soogwan Doh, Catholic University of Daegu

 Santiago Truffa, UC Berkeley

 Timothy Slaper, Indiana University

 Jiaochen Liang, California State University Fresno

 Hiroyuki Shibusawa, Toyohashi University of Technology

**16. *Formal Paper Session:* Transportation: Methods and Models**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Kieran P. Donaghy, Cornell University

* *Causal Identification of Gentrification and Displacement Effects of Urban Rail Infrastructure*   Eleni Bardaka — Purdue University, Michael Delgado — Purdue University, Raymond J.G.M. Florax — Purdue University
* *Local Elasticities and Urban Equilibrium: Decomposing the Effects of Transit in Los Angeles*   Christopher Severen — University of California, Santa Barbara
* *Estimation and Simulation of a Dynamic Interregional NEG Commodity-Flow Model*   Ziye Zhang — Cornell University, Arash Beheshtian — Cornell University, Ben Brown-Steiner — Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Kieran P. Donaghy — Cornell University
* *Travel Costs and Healthy Food Accessibility: A Case Study of Indianapolis*   V. Dimitra Pyrialakou — West Virginia University, Konstantina Gkritza — Purdue University

**Discussants:**

 V. Dimitra Pyrialakou, West Virginia University

 Eleni Bardaka, Purdue University

 Christopher Severen, University of California, Santa Barbara

 Kieran P. Donaghy, Cornell University

**17. *Formal Paper Session:* Big Data in Regional Science and Transport II**--***Crystal Lake***

**Organizers:**Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University; Emmanouil Tranos, University of Birmingham; Laurie Schintler, George Mason University; Karst Geurs, University of Twente

* *A Ground-up Approach to Emissions Modelling Using Smartphone GPS Data from Regular Drivers and Open Source Road Network*   Amir Zahabi — McGill University, Joshua Stipancic — McGill University, Luis Miranda-Moreno — McGill University
* *Visual Exploration of Movement Patterns and Physics under Prism Constraints*   Ying Song — University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, Harvey J. Miller — Ohio State University, Xuesong Zhou — Arizona State University, Stempihar Stempihar — Arizona State University
* *Externalities of Traffic Congestion: Evidence from the Residential Property Values in the US Great Lakes Megaregion*  Jangik Jin — University of Wisconsin-Madison, Peter Rafferty — University of Wisconsin - Madison
* *Travel analytics: Understanding how destination choice and business clusters are connected based on social media data*   Arthur Huang — Tarleton State University, Luciano Gallegos — University of South California, Kristina Lerman — University of South California

**18. *Formal Paper Session:* Improving Methods for Building and Using Regional Social Accounts and Models**--***Deer Lake***

**Organizer:**Greg Alward, Alward Institute for Collaborative Science

* *Developing Standard Protocols for Impact and Contribution Analyses of Agriculture*   Greg Alward — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science
* *Developing a Standard Protocols for Impact and Contribution Analysis of Forestry*   Greg Alward — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science, David D. Kay — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science
* *Practical Methods to Improve Regional SAMs*   Greg Alward — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science, David D. Kay — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science
* *From Ag Budgets to Input-output Accounts: Measuring the Economic Contribution of Regional Production Agriculture*   David D. Kay — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science, Stephen Cooke — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science, Greg Alward — Alward Institute for Collaborative Science

**Discussants:**

 Greg Alward, Alward Institute for Collaborative Science

 David D Kay, Alward Institute for Collaborative Science

 Larry Leefers, Michigan State University

 Philip Watson, University of Idaho

**19. *Formal Paper Session:* Recovery from Disaster and Environmental Degradation**--***Elk Lake***

**Chair:**Qin Fan, California State University, Fresno

* *Environmental Hazards and Mortgage Credit Risk: Evidence from Texas Pipeline Incidents*  Minhong Xu — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Yilan Xu — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *The Rising of Financial City under the Political Vulnerabilities: Case Study in YC Obsolete Industrial Area, Guangdong, Mainland China*   Chi-Tung Hung — Ming Chuan University, Wen-Yen Lin — Ming Chuan University, Chin-Wei Lu — Ming Chuan University
* *Impacts of the Japan-Earthquake and Effects of Restoration in the Tohoku Region: using of a Regional I-O table and DSCGE Model*   Suminori TOKUNAGA — Reitaku University, Mitsuru Okiyama — Reitaku University
* *Flood Mitigation and Community Rating System*   Meri Davlasheridze — Texas A& M, Galveston, Qin Fan — California State University, Fresno
* *Comparing Apples to Oranges in Economic Impacts of Natural Disasters: Input-Output Models in Assessing the 2007 Chehalis River Flood (WA)*  Andre Fernandes Tomon Avelino — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Sandy Dall Erba — University of Illinois

**Discussants:**

 Andre Fernandes Tomon Avelino, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

 Minhong Xu, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

 Chi-Tung Hung, Ming Chuan University

 Suminori TOKUNAGA, Reitaku University

 Qin Fan, California State University, Fresno

**20. *Formal Paper Session:* Community Development**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**Chair:**Juan D Soto, Latin American Center for Rural Development (RIMISP)

* *Informal Settlements and Labor Informality: A First Approach Relationship for Colombian Cities*   Javier Perez — Banco de la Republica (The Central Bank of Colombia), Jaime Bonet — Banco de la Republica, Edwin Chirivi — Camacol
* *Impacts of Rural Hospital Closures on Housing Values*  Cristina Miller — Economic Research Service
* *The Wealth of Cities: Rural Development*   Juan D. Soto — Latin American Center for Rural Development (RIMISP), Milena Vargas — Rimisp -- Latin American Center for Rural Development, Julio Berdegué — Rimisp -- Latin American Center for Rural Development
* *Analyzing the impact of Transit Oriented Development on gentrification and displacement -- incorporating margins of error of the American Community Survey*   John Cho — Southern California Association of Governments, Frank Wen — Southern California Association of Governments, Simon Choi — Southern California Association of Governments

**Discussants:**

 John Cho, Southern California Association of Governments

 Javier Perez, Banco de la Republica (The Central Bank of Colombia)

 Cristina Miller, Economic Research Service

 Juan D Soto, Latin American Center for Rural Development (RIMISP)

**21. *Formal Paper Session:* Trade and Economic Development**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Alain Pholo Bala, University of Johannesburg

* *The Regional Impact of the Transatlantic Trade & Investment Partnership (TTIP) on partner and Low Income Countries*   Steven Brakman — University of Groningen, Tristan Kohl — University of Groningen, Charles Van Marrewijk — University of Utrecht
* *Firm Networks, Borders and Regional Economic Integration*   Mark Brown — Statistics Canada, Afshan Dar-Brodeur — , Jesse Tweedle — Statistics Canada
* *The Analysis of Borders Effects in Intra-African Trade*   Alain Pholo Bala — University of Johannesburg, Emilie Kinfack Djoumessi — University of Johannesburg
* *Intra-regional Integration in Americas and the Impact on the Brazilian Economy*   Fernando Salgueiro Perobelli — Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Vinicius A. Vale — Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Admir A. Betarelli — Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Ramon G. Cunha — Federal University of Juiz de Fora

**Discussants:**

 Fernando Salgueiro Perobelli, Federal University of Juiz de Fora

 Steven Brakman, University of Groningen

 Mark Brown, Statistics Canada

 Alain Pholo Bala, University of Johannesburg

**22. *Formal Paper Session:* Economic Theory: Labor**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Jessica Hug, University of Geneva

* *Impact of Displacements Costs on a Spatially Scattered Labor Market: A Theoretical Approach*  El Mehdi Aboulkacem — UniversitÃ© de Lille 1, Hubert Jayet — University of Lille1
* *Gender Differences in the Urban Wage Premium*   Andrew Perumal — University of Massachusetts Boston
* *Can Computerization Explain the Increasing Sorting of High-Skilled Workers into Large Cities?*   Jessica Hug — University of Geneva
* *Spatial Mismatch and Inequality of Opportunity Shaping Urban Labor Markets of a Megacity*   Eduardo A. Haddad — University of Sao Paulo, Ana Maria Bonomi Barufi — USP/Nereus

**Discussants:**

 Ana Maria Bonomi Barufi, USP/Nereus

 El Mehdi Aboulkacem, UniversitÃ© de Lille 1

 Andrew Perumal, University of Massachusetts Boston

 Jessica Hug, University of Geneva

**23. *Formal Paper Session:* Migration and Population (International)**--***Pine Lake***

**Chair:**Abigail M. Cooke, University at Buffalo, SUNY

* *Regional Demographic Forecasts for Japan Using a Multiregional Model Incorporating Economic Conditions*   Kazuyoshi Nakano — Central Research Institute of Electric Power Industry
* *The Dynamics of Villages, Towns and Cities in Sub-Saharan Africa: The Case of Mali*   Brian Blankespoor — The Wolrd Bank, Harris Selod — The World Bank, Sandrine Mesple-Somps — IRD, France, Gilles Spielvogel — Universite Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne
* *Immigrant Diversity and Wages in the Global South: Same-Same or Different?*   Abigail M. Cooke — University at Buffalo, SUNY, Thomas Kemeny — University of Southampton
* *Cohort Size and Transitions into the Labour Market*   Duncan Roth — Institute for Employment Research

**Discussants:**

 Duncan Roth, Institute for Employment Research

 Kazuyoshi Nakano, Central Research Institute of Electric Power Industry

 Harris Selod, The World Bank

 Abigail M. Cooke, University at Buffalo, SUNY

**24. *Urban Economics Association:* Ethnic Minorities, Discrimination and Segregation**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Stephen L Ross, University of Connecticut

* *Efforts for Cultural Assimilation and Graduate School Admissions: Academic Pursuits versus Geographic Preferences?*   Dafeng Xu — Cornell University
* *Transit Access and Neighborhood Segregation. A Study of the Dallas Light Rail System*   Kilian Heilmann — University of California San Diego
* *Moved to Opportunity: The Long-Run Effect of Public Housing Demolition on Labor Market Outcomes of Children*   Eric Theodore Chyn — University of Michigan
* *Veil of Darkness Tests for Racial Profiling in Traffic Stops when Minority Motorists Respond to Visibility*   Jesse Kalinowski — University of Connecticut, Matthew Ross — University of Connecticut, Stephen L Ross — University of Connecticut

**Discussants:**

 Kilian Heilmann, University of California San Diego

 Eric Theodore Chyn, University of Michigan

 Stephen L Ross, University of Connecticut

 Dafeng Xu, Cornell University

**25. *Urban Economics Association:* Urbanization and Housing**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Chair:**Stuart Gabriel, UCLA Anderson School of Management

* *What is Different About Urbanization in Rich and Poor Countries? Cities in Brazil, China, India and the United States*   Juan Pablo Chauvin — Harvard University, Edward L. Glaeser — Harvard University, Yurean Ma — Harvard University, Kristina Tobio — Harvard University
* *All Roads Lead to Rome...and to Sprawl? Evidence from European Cities*   Miquel-Angel Garcia-Lopez — Universitat Autonoma Barcelona
* *An Anatomy of Italian cities: Evidence from Firm Level Data*   Andrea Lamorgese — Bank of Italy, Andrea Petrella — Bank of Italy
* *A Crisis of Missed Opportunities? Foreclosure Costs and Mortgage Modication During the Great Recession*   Stuart Gabriel — UCLA Anderson School of Management, Matteo Iacoviello — Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Chandler Lutz — Copenhagen Business School

**Discussants:**

 Miquel Àngel Garcia Lopez, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

 Andrea Lamorgese, Bank of Italy

 Stuart Gabriel, UCLA Anderson School of Management

**26. *Urban Economics Association:* Housing I**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Stephen Billings, University of Colorado - Boulder

* *The Value of a Healthy Home: Lead Paint Remediation and Housing Values*   Stephen Billings — University of Colorado - Boulder, Kevin Schnepel — University of Sydney
* *Housing Allowance and Rents: Evidence from a Stepwise Subsidy Scheme*  Teemu Lyytikäinen — VATT Institute for Economic Research
* *Housing Supply and Price Growth in Monocentric Cities with Topography*   Joseph Williams — Professors Capital, Jacob Cosman — Johns Hopkins University, Tom Davidoff — University of British Columbia
* *The Effects of Hurricane Sandy on the New York City Housing Market*   Francesc Ortega — CUNY

**Discussants:**

 Teemu Lyytikäinen, VATT Institute for Economic Research

 Jacob Cosman, Johns Hopkins University

 Francesc Ortega, CUNY

 Stephen Billings, University of Colorado - Boulder

**27. *Urban Economics Association:* Spatial Economic Theory I**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**Takatoshi Tabuchi, University of Tokyo

* *Geography, Technology, and Optimal Trade Policy with Heterogeneous Firms*   Antonella Nocco — University of Salento - Lecce, Gianmarco I.P. Ottaviano — London School of Economics, Matteo Salto — European Commission
* *Distorted Monopolistic Competition*   Kristian Behrens — Université du Québec à Montréal, Giordano Mion — , Yasusada Murata — Nihon University, Jens Suedekum — Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE)
* *On the Optimal Commodity Taxation in a Spatial Setting*   Tatsuhito Kono — Tohoku University, David Pines — Tel Aviv University
* *Multi-product Oligopoly and Trade*   Takatoshi Tabuchi — University of Tokyo, Yi-Ling Cheng — Tunghai University

**Discussants:**

 Yasusada Murata, Nihon University

 David Pines, Tel Aviv University

 Takatoshi Tabuchi, University of Tokyo

 Antonella Nocco, University of Salento - Lecce

**3:30 PM-4:00 PM**

***:* Coffee Break**--***Atrium***

**4:00 PM-5:30 PM**

***Business Meeting:* RSAI Long Range Planning Cmte. Meeting (Invitation Only)**--***Cedar Lake***

**4:00 PM-6:00 PM**

**28. *Formal Paper Session:* Labor and Human Capital**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Stephan Brunow, Institute for Employment Research

* *The Effects of Firm's Location on the Persistency of Various Types of innovation*   Charlie Karlsson — Jönköping International Business School, Sam Tavassoli — CIRCLE, Lund University
* *Regional Employment Effects of Technological Change*   Uwe Blien — Institut fuer Arbeitsmarkt- und Berufsforschung, Oliver Ludewig — IAB Institute for Employment Research
* *Is there a lack of STEM specialists? - An empirical analysis for Germany*   Stephan Brunow — Institute for Employment Research, Stefanie Lösch — TU Dresden
* *Health Status and Labor Income in Brazil: Do healthy workers earn more?*   Flavia Chein — Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Esther Grizende Garcia — Federal University of Juiz de Fora

**Discussants:**

 Flavia Chein, Federal University of Juiz de Fora

 Charlie Karlsson, Jönköping International Business School

 Uwe Blien, Institut fuer Arbeitsmarkt- und Berufsforschung

 Stephan Brunow, Institute for Employment Research

**29. *Formal Paper Session:* Trade: Industry and Competition**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Enrique Gilles, Universidad EAN

* *Tax Competition, Imperfect Labor Market and Endogenous Entry of Firms*   Tadashi Morita — Kindai University, Yukiko Sawada — Osaka University, Kazuhiro Yamamoto — Osaka University
* *Painful Birth of Trade under Classical Monopolistic Competition*   Igor Bykadorov — IM SB RAS, NSU, NSUEM, Andrea Ellero — Ca Foscari University of Venice, Stefania Funari — Ca Foscari University of Venice, Sergey Kokovin — Higher School of Economics, Pavel Molchanov — Higher School of Economics
* *Incorporation of Services in Natural Resource-Intensive Goods: Description and Measurement of the Phenomenon*  Enrique Gilles — Universidad EAN, Marcel Vaillant — Universidad de la República
* *Is Trade Harmful for Growth? Evidence from Southeast Asia*   Yuri Mansury — Cornell University, Jingwen Li — Cornell University

**Discussants:**

 Yuri Mansury, Cornell University

 Tadashi Morita, Kindai University

 Igor Bykadorov, IM SB RAS, NSU, NSUEM

 Enrique Gilles, Universidad EAN

**30. *Formal Paper Session:* Big Data in Regional Science and Transport III**--***Crystal Lake***

**Organizers:**Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University; Emmanouil Tranos, University of Birmingham; Laurie Schintler, George Mason University; Karst Geurs, University of Twente

**Chair:**Laurie Schintler, George Mason University

* *Constructing a Routable Transit Network from a Real-time Vehicle Location Feed*   Nate Wessel — University of Toronto, Jeff Allen — University of Toronto, Steven Farber — University of Toronto
* *Location as an Opportunity and Obstacle in the Use, Application and Management of Spatial Big Data*   Laurie Schintler — George Mason University
* *Internet-Based Data for Urban Housing Research*   Zhenhua Chen — Ohio State University

**Discussants:**

 Ying Song, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

 Nate Wessel, University of Toronto

 Laurie Schintler, George Mason University

**31. *Formal Paper Session:* Regional Economic Effects of Disasters**--***Deer Lake***

**Organizer:**Yasuhide Okuyama, University of Kitakyushu

* *The Challenge of Estimating the Impact of Disasters: many approaches, many limitations and a compromise*   Andre Fernandes Tomon Avelino — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
* *A MultiRegional Impact Assessment (MRIA) Model for disaster analysis*   Elco Koks — VU University Amsterdam
* *Long-term Adaptation Planning for Climate-Resilient Infrastructures*  Arash Beheshtian — Cornell University, Kieran P. Donaghy — Cornell University
* *Disaster Impact Analysis with Environmental Consideration*   Yasuhide Okuyama — University of Kitakyushu

**Discussants:**

 Elco Koks, VU University Amsterdam

 Yasuhide Okuyama, University of Kitakyushu

 Andre Fernandes Tomon Avelino, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**32. *Formal Paper Session:* The Environment: Spatial Considerations**--***Elk Lake***

**Chair:**Shanxia Sun, Purdue University

* *A Spatial Econometric Analysis of Urban Water Demand: a case study of Charlotte, North Carolina*   Yuhong Zhou — Medical College of Wisconsin, Jean-Claude F. Thill — Univ. of North Carolina at Charlotte
* *Uncertainties Arising from Selected Sources of Error in Syracuse Blood Lead Level Data*  Monghyeon Lee — The University of Texas Dallas, Yongwan Chun — Universeity of Texas at Dallas, Daniel A. Griffith — The University of Texas at Dallas
* *Spatial Spillovers and Temporal Dynamics: Heterogeneous Impacts of Agricultural Land Use on Water Quality*   Shanxia Sun — Purdue University, Michael Delgado — Purdue University, Juan Sesmero — Purdue University
* *Analyzing the Interfering Relationship and Influential Weights of Disaster Resilience by Using DANP Method*   Wen-Yen Lin — Ming Chuan University, Chi-Tung Hung — Ming Chuan University

**Discussants:**

 Wen-Yen Lin, Ming Chuan University

 Jean-Claude F Thill, Univ. of North Carolina at Charlotte

 Monghyeon Lee, The University of Texas Dallas

 Shanxia Sun, Purdue University

**33. *Formal Paper Session:* Housing Policy and Practice I**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**Chair:**Nicholas B. Irwin, Ohio State University

* *Housing Affordability: The Land Use Regulation link to Informal Tenure in Developing Countries*  Cynthia Goytia — Torcuato Di Tella University, Ricardo Pasquini — Torcuato Di Tella University
* *House Price Determination, Loss Aversion, and Negative Equity: Seller Behavior in the Absence of Down-Payment Constraints*  Joep Steegmans — CPB Netherlands Bureau for Economic Policy Analysis, Wolter Hassink — Utrecht University
* *Equitable Urban Revitalization and Access to Amenities*   Nicholas B. Irwin — Ohio State University
* *Public Rental Housing Really Open a door for Rural Migrants?--Based on study about Rural Migrants' Job Stability and Housing Experiences in Urban China*   Jiemin Wu — University of Maryland-College Park

**Discussants:**

 Jiemin Wu, University of Maryland-College Park

 Cynthia Goytia, Torcuato Di Tella University

 Joep Steegmans, CPB Netherlands Bureau for Economic Policy Analysis

 Nicholas B. Irwin, Ohio State University

**34. *Formal Paper Session:* Spatial Econometric Methods**--***Gray's Bay***

**Chair:**Xue Zhang, Cornell University

* *Important Overlooked IVs in Spatial Models*  Gianfranco Piras — CUA, Harry H. Kelejian — University of Maryland - College Park
* *Spatial Autoregressive Discrete Choice Models for Grouped Data Flows*   Patricio Aroca — Adolfo Ibáñez University, Coro Chasco — Madrid Autonomus University
* *Spatial Holes, Missing Neighbors, Global Processes and the Challenge of Spatial Analysis Should we consider the utility of spatial analysis when there is no neighbor in the survey sample?*   Xue Zhang — Cornell University
* *Estimating Bayesian Spatial Econometric Models with Hamiltonian Monte Carlo*   Levi John Wolf — Arizona State University, Luc Anselin — University of Chicago, Daniel Arribas-Bel — University of Liverpool

**Discussants:**

 Levi John Wolf, Arizona State University

 Gianfranco Piras, CUA

 Coro Chasco, Madrid Autonomus University

 Xue Zhang, Cornell University

**35. *Formal Paper Session:* Econometric Methods and Models**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Daniel A Broxterman, Florida State University

* *"Moneyball for Government" Meets the "Cult of Statistical Significance:" What to Do When Nonsignificant Findings Have Normative Implications?*   Jason P. Brown — Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Dayton M. Lambert — University of Tennessee, David A. McGranahan — USDA Economic Research Service, Timothy Wojan — USDA Economic Research Service
* *State Real GDP and the Coincident Index: A Preliminary Comparison*  Francis Ahking — University of Connecticut
* *An Examination of Shift-Share Demand Indicators: The Bartik Instrument at Twenty-Five*   Daniel A. Broxterman — Florida State University, William D. Larson — Federal Housing Finance Agency
* *Regional Inequality and Economic Crises: An International Panel Analysis (1990-2014)*   Davide Furceri — University of Palermo, Fabio Mazzola — University of Palermo, Pietro Pizzuto — University of Palermo

**Discussants:**

 Fabio Mazzola, University of Palermo

 Jason P. Brown, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

 Francis Ahking, University of Connecticut

 Daniel A Broxterman, Florida State University

**36. *Formal Paper Session:* Future Directions in Population Studies**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Organizer:**Katherine Nesse, Seattle Pacific University

* *Demography and Demographic Methods in an Era of Big Data*   Bruce Newbold — McMaster University, Mark Brown — Statistics Canada
* *A Search for a Relationship Between Neighborhood Disorder and the Demographic Characteristics of the Residents*  Katherine Nesse — Seattle Pacific University
* *The View from Over the Hill: Regional Research in a Post--Demographic Transition World*   Rachel S. Franklin — Brown University, David Plane — University of Arizona
* *Borrowing from the Demographer's Toolbox: Longitudinal Methods in Regional Science*  Verena Mecklenbrauck — Purdue University, Brigitte Waldorf — Purdue University

**Discussant:**

 Katherine Nesse, Seattle Pacific University

**37. *Formal Paper Session:* Impacts on Housing Prices I**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Cristina Miller, Economic Research Service

* *The Persistence of Foreclosure Shocks on the Housing Price*   Xian Bak — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Geoffrey Hewings — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *Impact of Home Purchase Restrictions on Housing Prices in China*   Xin Li — City University of Hong Kong
* *Pipeline Incidents and Residential Property Values in Texas*   Cristina Miller — Economic Research Service, Minhong Xu — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Yilan Xu — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *Flood Hazards Impact on Neighborhood House Prices*   Lei Zhang — North Dakota State University

**Discussants:**

 Lei Zhang, North Dakota State University

 Xian Bak, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

 Xin Li, City University of Hong Kong

 Cristina Miller, Economic Research Service

**38. *Formal Paper Session:* Migration and Population (U.S.)**--***Pine Lake***

**Chair:**Bo Feng, The Ohio State University

* *Technological Change and the Diffusion of Mexican Immigrants in the US*   Younjun Kim — University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Eric Thompson — University of Nebraska - Lincoln
* *The Impact of the 2011-2014 Illinois Tax Hike on Migration -- A General Equilibrium Approach*  Yizhou Zhang — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Geoffrey Hewings — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *Interregional Migration and Intergenerational Mobility*   Bo Feng — The Ohio State University, Mark Partridge — Ohio State University
* *Does Intergenerational Mobility of a Region Matter for Millennials Migrants in US?*   Jaewon Lim — University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV)

**Discussants:**

 Jaewon Lim, University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV)

 Younjun Kim, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

 Yizhou Zhang, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

 Bo Feng, The Ohio State University

**39. *Urban Economics Association:* Transportation and Congestion**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Gilles Duranton, University of Pennsylvania

* *Terrorism and the Value of Proximity to Public Transportation: Evidence from the 2005 London Bombings*   Isabela Manelici — University of California - Berkeley
* *Public Transit and Road Congestion in the Eternal City*   Antonio Russo — ETH Zürich, Martin Adler — Free University, Amsterdam, Jos van Ommeren — Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Federica Liberini — ETH Zürich
* *The Effects of Congestion and of Congestion Tolling in the Greater Los Angeles Region*   Alex Anas — SUNY - Buffalo
* *Measuring Congestion in a Highly Congested City: Bogota*   Prottoy A. Akbar — University of Pittsburgh, Gilles Duranton — University of Pennsylvania

**Discussants:**

 Antonio Russo, ETH Zürich

 Alex Anas, SUNY - Buffalo

 Gilles Duranton, University of Pennsylvania

 Isabela Manelici, University of California - Berkeley

**40. *Urban Economics Association:* China**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Wei Xiao, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

* *Does Adversity Affect Long-Term Consumption and Financial Behaviour? Evidence from China's Rustication Programme*   Yi Fan — National University of Singapore
* *Housing Price and Fundamentals in A Transition Economy: The Case of Beijing Market*   Bing Han — University of Toronto, Lu Han — University of Toronto, John Zhu — University of Alberta
* *The Value of Centralization: Evidence from a Political Hierarchy Reform in China*   Shiyu Bo — London School of Economics
* *Agricultural Land and Rural-Urban Migration in China: A New Pattern*   Wei Xiao — Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

**Discussants:**

 Bing Han, University of Toronto

 Shiyu Bo, London School of Economics

 Wei Xiao, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

 Yi Fan, National University of Singapore

**41. *Urban Economics Association:* Crime**--***Wayzata Bay***

* *Do More Eyes on the Street Reduce Crime? Evidence from Chicago's Safe Passage Program*  Daniel McMillen — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Ignacio Martin Sarmiento Barbieri — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Ruchi Singh — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *Marijuana and Commercial Rents*   Erik B Johnson — University of Richmond, Stephen Billings — University of Colorado - Boulder, Sriram Villupuram — University of Texas - Arlington
* *Why Do Kids Get into Trouble on School Days? Evidence from Teacher Work Days*   Stephen Billings — University of Colorado - Boulder, David C Phillips — University of Notre Dame

**Discussants:**

 Erik B Johnson, University of Richmond

 David C Phillips, University of Notre Dame

 Ignacio Martin Sarmiento Barbieri, University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign

**8:00 PM-9:00 PM**

***Special Session:* Thursday Evening Reception**--***Atrium***

**Friday, 11 November**

**7:30 AM-5:30 PM**

***Registration and Exhibits:* Conference Registration**--***Registration Room***

**8:00 AM-10:00 AM**

**42. *Formal Paper Session:* Economic Development: Policy and Practice II**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Ksenia Budaeva, Institute for Public Finance Reform

* *An Expanded Look into the Role of Economic Diversity in Economic Growth and Stability*   Jennifer Thorvaldson — IMPLAN Group, LLC, James Squibb III — IMPLAN Group, LLC
* *The Impact of Shale Oil and Gas Development on Local Economies*   Heather Stephens — West Virginia University, Anil Rupasingha — USDA Economic Research Service
* *Regional Strategizing in Russia as a Mechanism for Regional Social and Economic Development*   Anna Mikhaylova — Institute for public finance reform, Ksenia Budaeva — Institute for Public Finance Reform
* *Historic Home Preservation as an Economic Development Strategy*   Steven William Firestone — University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Jean-Claude F. Thill — Univ. of North Carolina at Charlotte

**Discussants:**

 Steven William Firestone, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

 Jennifer Thorvaldson, IMPLAN Group, LLC

 Heather Stephens, West Virginia University

 Ksenia Budaeva, Institute for Public Finance Reform

**43. *Formal Paper Session:* Social Interaction: Spatial Considerations**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**Amy E Hughes, UTSW

* *Fuzzy Analysis for Intuitionistic Preferences on Complex Networks*   Fernando Plascencia — Cornell University
* *Shared Values and Beliefs in a Local Survey*   Giorgio Fazio — Newcastle University, University of Palermo, Enza Maltese — University of Palermo, Giuseppe Notarstefano — University of Palermo, Davide Piacentino — University of Palermo
* *Neighborhood Enclaves in CRC Screening*   Amy E. Hughes — UTSW
* *Social Interaction Potential and Employment Patterns Across US MSAs*   Steven Farber — University of Toronto, Nate Wessel — University of Toronto

**Discussants:**

 Nate Wessel, University of Toronto

 Fernando Plascencia, Cornell University

 Giorgio Fazio, Newcastle University, University of Palermo

 Amy E Hughes, UTSW

**44. *Formal Paper Session:* Labor: Spatial and Economic Applications**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Duncan Roth, Institute for Employment Research

* *How Do Labor Reforms Impact Employment Outcomes? Hartz Reforms and the Constituents of Employment in Germany*  Abdul Munasib — BEA, Malte Ehrich — Georg-August-University Goettingen, Devesh Roy — International Food Policy Research Institute
* *Regional Labour Market Consequences of Automatization in Europe*   Sierdjan Koster — University of Groningen, Arjen Edzes — University of Groningen
* *Heterogeneous Impacts of Ageing on the German Labour Market*   Duncan Roth — Institute for Employment Research, Thomas de Graaff — Free University, Amsterdam, Ceren Ozgen — Free University, Amsterdam
* *Spatial Modeling of Poverty and Policy Implications in South Asia: Evidence from Bangladesh*   Md. Mizanur Rahman Sarker — Hitotsubashi University, Hidetoshi Yamashita — Hitotsubashi University

**Discussants:**

 Md. Mizanur Rahman Sarker, Hitotsubashi University

 Abdul Munasib, BEA

 Sierdjan Koster, University of Groningen

 Duncan Roth, Institute for Employment Research

**45. *Formal Paper Session:* Regional/Rural Development I: Firm Dynamics and Agglomeration**--***Deer Lake***

**Organizers:**Sarah A Low, USDA; Stephan Weiler, Colorado State University

**Chair:**Anil Rupasingha, USDA Economic Research Service

* *Determinants of Firm Relocation along the Rural-Urban Continuum: Evidence from the National Establishment Time-Series Database*   Anil Rupasingha — USDA Economic Research Service, Alexander Marre — USDA Economic Research Service
* *USDA's Business and Industry (B&I) Loan Program and Business Dynamics*   John Pender — USDA Economic Research Service, Anil Rupasingha — USDA Economic Research Service, Daniel Crown — The Ohio State University
* *How Do Agglomeration Economies Vary Over Time? Evidence from New Firm Location Decisions Over the Last Two Decades*  Younjun Kim — University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Georgeanne Artz — Iowa State University
* *Rural Migration Patterns and Entrepreneurship*   Steven Deller — University of Wisconsin-Madison, Tessa Conroy — University of Wisconsin - Madison, Matthew Kures — University of Wisconsin - Madison

**Discussants:**

 Younjun Kim, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

 Steven Deller, University of Wisconsin-Madison

 Anil Rupasingha, USDA Economic Research Service

 John Pender, USDA Economic Research Service

**46. *Formal Paper Session:* Natural Resources: Models and Applications II**--***Elk Lake***

**Chair:**Elham Erfanian,

* *Exploration on the Planning for the Protection and Development of the East Part of the South Mountainous Area of Jinan*   Xiong Guoping — southeast university
* *North Dakota Agricultural Land Conversion: A Spatial Simultaneous Equation Approach*   Nazea Khan Chowdhury — North Dakota State University, David C. Roberts — North Dakota State University
* *Water Utility Pricing and Minimum Charges: What Explains the Differences in West Virginia?*  Elham Erfanian — , Alan Collins — West Virginia University
* *Observer Effects in the Gulf of Maine Ground Fish Sector*   Angela Muench — NOAA Northeast Fisheries Science Center, Chad Demarest — NOAA

**Discussants:**

 Angela Muench, NOAA Northeast Fisheries Science Center

 Xiong Guoping, southeast university

 Nazea Khan Chowdhury, North Dakota State University

 Elham Erfanian,

**47. *Formal Paper Session:* Spatial Developments in Demographic Methods**--***Gray's Bay***

**Organizer:**Katherine Nesse, Seattle Pacific University

* *Measuring Social Vulnerability*   Seth E. Spielman — University of Colorado
* *Delineating Labor-Sheds from Commuter-Flow Data for the U.S.: A Generalized Method for Defining Functional Regions with Quality of Fit Statistics*   Christopher S. Fowler — Penn State University, Danielle Rhubart — Pennsylvania State University, Leif Jensen — Pennsylvania State University
* *Estimating 1990 & 2000 Characteristics of 2010 Census Areas for NHGIS Time Series Tables*   Jonathan Schroeder — University of Minnesota
* *Assessing the impact of areal interpolation methodologies on subpopulations: Comparing the Neighborhood Change Database, the Longitudinal Tract Data Base, and NHGIS*   David Van Riper — University of Minnesota, Kyle Walker — Texas Christian University, Steven Manson — University of Minnesota - Twin Cities

**Discussant:**

 Katherine Nesse, Seattle Pacific University

**48. *Formal Paper Session:* Amenities and Real Estate Pricing Dynamics**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Chair:**Roxana Fernandez, Tilburg University

* *Age Effects in the Price of Commercial Real Estate*   Edwin Buitelaar — Netherlands Environmental Assesment Agency, Or Levkovich — VU University Amsterdam, Jan Rouwendal — Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
* *Decomposing the Impact of a Change in Mass Transit System on Location Rent Accounting for Anticipation Effect.*   Jean Dube — Universite Laval, Diègo Legros — University of Burgundy, Nicolas Devaux — University of Quebec - Rimouski
* *Intra-School District Capitalization of Property Tax Rates*   Mitchell R. Livy — California State University, Fullerton
* *Spillover Effects and Competition in the Food Service Industry*   Roxana Fernandez — Tilburg University, Catherine Schaumans — National Bank of Belgium
* *Do Benefits of Voluntary Brownfield Cleanup Programs Justify Their Costs? Evidence from New York.*  Olesya Savchenko — University of Illinois Urbana Champaign, John B. Braden — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign

**Discussants:**

 Olesya Savchenko, University of Illinois Urbana Champaign

 Or Levkovich, VU University Amsterdam

 Jean Dube, Universite Laval

 Mitchell R. Livy, California State University, Fullerton

 Roxana Fernandez, Tilburg University

**49. *Formal Paper Session:* Housing Methods and Applications II**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Luis Estevez, St. Cloud State University

* *An Ex-Ante Analysis of Housing Location Choices Due to Housing Displacement: The Case of Bristol Place*   Esteban Lopez — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Andrew Greenlee — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *An Investigation of Nugget Effect of Housing Price in Beijing*   Ziye Zhang — Cornell University
* *An Index to Characterize Local Land Use Regulatory Environments for Residential Markets: A Regional Perspective*   Luis Estevez — St. Cloud State University
* *Long-Run Neighborhood Effects of Sales of Suburban Public Rental Housing*   Paul E. Thorsnes — University of Otago

**Discussants:**

 Paul E Thorsnes, University of Otago

 Esteban Lopez, University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign

 Ziye Zhang, Cornell University

 Luis Estevez, St. Cloud State University

**50. *Formal Paper Session:* Entrepreneurship I**--***Pine Lake***

**Organizers:**Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University; Alexandra A Tsvetkova, Ohio State University

**Chair:**Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University

* *New Firm Entry as a Response to Business Closure and Contraction*   Henry C. Renski — University of Massachusetts Amherst, Ian Walsh — University of Massachusetts - Amherst, Bruce Skaggs — University of Massachusetts - Amherst
* *Self-employment Effects on Regional Growth: A Bigger Bang for a Buck?*   Alexandra A. Tsvetkova — Ohio State University, Mark Partridge — Ohio State University, Michael Betz — Ohio State University
* *New Venture Activity and Broadband Provision*  Elizabeth A. Mack — Michigan State University, Ana Moreno — Rovira i Virgili University
* *Crowdfunding from the Heart? Unraveling the Drivers and Outcomes of Globally Crowdfunded Entrepreneurship*   John P. Berns — University of Mississippi, Maria Figueroa-Armijos — George Mason University, Serge P. da Motta Veiga — American University, Timothy C. Dunne — Boise State University

**Discussants:**

 Maria Figueroa-Armijos, George Mason University

 Henry C. Renski, University of Massachusetts Amherst

 Mark Partridge, Ohio State University

 Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University

**51. *Special Session:* Poverty: People, Places, and Policy I**--***Crystal Lake***

**Organizer:**Brigitte Waldorf, Purdue University

**Chair:**Michael Delgado, Purdue University

* *Local Wealth and Upward Mobility: Do the Correlates of Upward Mobility Vary Across Localities?*  J. Matthew Fannin — Louisiana State University @ Baton Rouge, Vikash Dangal — Louisiana State University, Bruce Weber — Oregon State University
* *Trajectories and Influential Factors of Childhood Exposure to Poverty*  Tracey Farrigan — USDA Economic Research Service, Michele Ver Ploeg — Economic Research Service, Lisa Mancino — USDA Economic Research Service, Tom Hertz — USDA Economic Research Service, Chris Dicken — USDA Economic Research Service
* *Childhood Poverty Exposure and Income Mobility: A Generalized Propensity Score Approach*   Tim Smith — Purdue University
* *Does the Progressivity of Education Increase Intergenerational Mobility? Quasi-Experimental Evidence from School Finance Reforms*   Minghao Li — Pennsylvania State University

**Discussants:**

 David J Peters, Iowa State University

 Carsten Ochsen, University of Applied Labour Studies and Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research

 Michele Ver Ploeg, Economic Research Service

 Michael Delgado, Purdue University

***Business Meeting:* RSAI Council Meeting (Invitation Only)**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

***Business Meeting:* Regional Science Academy Meeting (Invitation Only)**--***Lafayette Bay***

**52. *Urban Economics Association:* Location and Neighborhoods**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Keren Mertens Horn, University of Massachusetts - Boston

* *Does Minimum Lot Size Zoning Stabilize Neighborhood Redevelopment?*   Weihua Zhao — University of Louisville
* *Is Localization Changing Over Time?*  Andrew J Cassey — Washington State University
* *Where to Locate Your Business Under the Borrowing Constraint?*   Jungho Lee — Singapore Management University, Jianhuan Xu — Singapore Management University
* *School Accountability and Residential Location Patterns: Evaluating the Unintended Consequences of No Child Left Behind*   Keren Mertens Horn — University of Massachusetts - Boston

**Discussants:**

 Andrew J Cassey, Washington State University

 Jungho Lee, Singapore Management University

 Keren Mertens Horn, University of Massachusetts - Boston

 Weihua Zhao, University of Louisville

**53. *Urban Economics Association:* Transportation II**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Jeffrey Lin, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

* *Is Uber a Substitute or Complement to Public Transit?*   Jonathan Hall — University of Toronto, Craig Paulsson — Yale, Joseph Price — Brigham Young University
* *Generalized Commuter Mobility and Economic Performance in US Cities*   Justin Tyndall — University of British Columbia
* *Public Transport Connectivity and Housing Price Premium: Evidence from Singapore*   Kecen Jing — National University of Singapore, Wen-Chi Liao — National University of Singapore
* *Freeway Revolts! Highways, Downtown Amenities, and Urban Growth*   Jeffrey C. Brinkman — Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Jeffrey Lin — Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

**Discussants:**

 Justin Tyndall, University of British Columbia

 Wen-Chi Liao, National University of Singapore

 Jeffrey Lin, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

 Jonathan Hall, University of Toronto

**54. *Urban Economics Association:* Cities in Developing Countries**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**Qinghua Zhang, Peking University

* *Illuminating the World Cup Effect: Night Lights Evidence from South Africa*   Gregor Pfeifer — University of Hohenheim, Fabian Wahl — University of Hohenheim, Martyna Marczak — University of Hohenheim
* *The Globe as a Network: Geography and the Origins of the World Income Distribution*   Matthew Johnston Delventhal — Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona and Barcelona GSE
* *The Persistency of Early Chinese Development Zones: FDI Attraction and Urbanization Patterns*   Ying Chen — London School of Economics
* *To Build Outward or Upward: City Leaders and Urban Land Development in China*  Qinghua Zhang — Peking University

**Discussants:**

 Matthew Johnston Delventhal, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona and Barcelona GSE

 Ying Chen, London School of Economics

 Qinghua Zhang, Peking University

 Gregor Pfeifer, University of Hohenheim

**10:00 AM-10:30 AM**

***:* Coffee Break**--***Atrium***

**10:30 AM-12:30 PM**

**55. *Formal Paper Session:* Economic Growth and Success**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Hernan Ocampo Solarte, Universidad Autonoma de Occidente

* *Globalization: Help or Hurt? An Application of Multi-Trade CGE Model on ASEAN*   Jingwen Li — Cornell University
* *Linguistic Distance and Economic Development: Costs of Accessing Domestic and International Centers*   Mariko Nakagawa — University of Tokyo
* *Besides Fundamental and Proximate Causes, Intermediate Causes have a Role in the Economic Development Process (Part II)*   Hernan Ocampo Solarte — Universidad Autonoma de Occidente
* *Chilean Public Procurement System Influences on Territorial Development*   Patricio Aroca — Adolfo Ibáñez University, Sergio Andres Contreras — University of Illinois

**Discussants:**

 Sergio Andres Contreras, University of Illinois

 Jingwen Li, Cornell University

 Mariko Nakagawa, University of Tokyo

 Hernan Ocampo Solarte, Universidad Autonoma de Occidente

**56. *Formal Paper Session:* Innovation and Development**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**Yuan Tian, institute of Policy and Management ,Chinese Academy of Sciences

* *On Research and Development in a Model of Schumpeterian Economic Growth in a Creative Region*   Amit Batabyal — Rochester Institute Of Technology, Seung Jick Yoo — Sookmyung Women's University
* *Cluster and Innovation: Selection or Learning?*   Li Fang — University of Maryland, College Park
* *Development Barriers in European Border Regions*   Roberta Capello — Politecnico di Milano, Andrea Caragliu — Politecnico di Milano, Ugo Fratesi —
* *A Research about the Effect of Informal Institutional Factors on Entrepreneurship*   Yuan Tian — institute of Policy and Management ,Chinese Academy of Sciences, Zheng Wang — Chinese Academy of Sciences
* *Quality of Government and Social Capital as Drivers of Regional Diversification in Europe*  Frank van Van Oort — Utrecht University, Nicola Cortinovis — Utrecht University, Ron Boschma — University of Utrecht

**Discussants:**

 Frank van Van Oort, Utrecht University

 Amit Batabyal, Rochester Institute Of Technology

 Li Fang, University of Maryland, College Park

 Roberta Capello, Politecnico di Milano

 Yuan Tian, institute of Policy and Management ,Chinese Academy of Sciences

**57. *Formal Paper Session:* Theories in Transportation**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Akiko Sakanishi, Nara Prefectural University

* *Moving the Masses: The Electrification of the Streetcar System and the Decline of Mom-and-Pop Stores in Boston 1885-1905*   Wei You — University of California - San Diego
* *Crowding and Optimal Tariffs Under Second-Best Capacity Provision in Public Transport*   Daniel Hörcher — Imperial College London, Daniel J. Graham — Imperial College London
* *Time Allocation and Urban Commuting Patterns: Evidence from US Metropolitan Areas*   Akiko Sakanishi — Nara Prefectural University
* *Transit Investment and Neighborhood Change: On the Likelihood, Timing and Stability of Change*  Isabelle Nilsson — University of North Carolina - Charlotte, Elizabeth Delmelle — University of North Carolina - Charlotte

**Discussants:**

 Isabelle Nilsson, University of North Carolina - Charlotte

 Wei You, University of California - San Diego

 Daniel Hörcher, Imperial College London

 Akiko Sakanishi, Nara Prefectural University

**58. *Formal Paper Session:* Regional/Rural Development II: Entrepreneurship**--***Deer Lake***

**Organizers:**Sarah A Low, USDA; Stephan Weiler, Colorado State University

**Chair:**Tessa Conroy, University of Wisconsin - Madison

* *Do As I Do: An Application of Discrete Choice With Social Interactions to Entrepreneurship*   Tessa Conroy — University of Wisconsin - Madison, Stephan Weiler — Colorado State University
* *The Impact of Latino-owned Business Employment Share on Local Economic Performance: A Sector-Level Assessment Based on Confidential Census Data*  Craig Carpenter — Texas A&M University, Scott Loveridge — Michigan State University
* *Place Based Factors and the Success of Farm Level Agritourism: A Gravity Model of Agritourism in the U.S.*  Anders Van Sandt — Colorado State University, Sarah A. Low — USDA, Dawn Thilmany — Colorado State University
* *Was Access to Capital a Barrier to Entry, Survival, and Growth in the Hinterland? Evidence from the Rural United States*  Sarah A. Low — USDA, Anil Rupasingha — USDA Economic Research Service, Daniel Crown — The Ohio State University

**Discussants:**

 Sarah A Low, USDA

 Tessa Conroy, University of Wisconsin - Madison

 Craig Carpenter, Texas A&M University

 Scott Loveridge, Michigan State University

**59. *Formal Paper Session:* Environmental Issues in Development**--***Elk Lake***

**Chair:**Tuzin Baycan, Istanbul Technical University

* *Cities and biodiversity: spatial efficiency of land use*   Jun Yoshida — Tohoku University, Tatsuhito Kono — Tohoku University
* *The Evaluation of INDCs and Challenges Raised by INDCs*   Zheng Wang —
* *Towards A Post-Carbon City: Istanbul 2050 Roadmap*   Tuzin Baycan — Istanbul Technical University, Aysun Aygun — Istanbul Technical University
* *Assessing the External Net Benefits of Wind Energy: The Case of Iowa's Wind Farms*   Timothy J. Rakitan — Iowa State University

**Discussants:**

 Timothy J Rakitan, Iowa State University

 Jun Yoshida, Tohoku University

 Zheng Wang,

 Tuzin Baycan, Istanbul Technical University

**60. *Formal Paper Session:* Transportation: Community Considerations**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**Chair:**Kakuya Matsushima, Kyoto University

* *Saved By the Morning Bell: School Start Time and Teen Car Accidents*   Valerie K. Bostwick — The Ohio State University
* *Public Opinions on Toll Roads through Data Mining from Social Media: A Case Study of the I-77 HOT Lanes*   Otis Tyler Harris — University of North Carolina - Charlotte, Wenjia Zhang — University of North Carolina - Charlotte, Jean-Claude F. Thill — Univ. of North Carolina at Charlotte
* *Green Apple Bikes, Rolling out Equitable Mobility*   Andrew R. Young — Kansas State University, Gregory Newmark — Kansas State University
* *The Impact of Motorways on Urban Growth in the Presence of Land Development Restrictions*  Or Levkovich — VU University Amsterdam, Jan Rouwendal — VU University Amsterdam

**Discussants:**

 Or Levkovich, VU University Amsterdam

 Valerie K. Bostwick, The Ohio State University

 Jean-Claude F Thill, Univ. of North Carolina at Charlotte

 Andrew R Young, Kansas State University

**61. *Formal Paper Session:* Location and Spatial Analysis I**--***Gray's Bay***

**Organizers:**Alan T. Murray, University of California - Santa Barbara; Ran Wei, University of Utah

**Chair:**Ran Wei, University of Utah

* *The Evolving Location Analytics Toolbox*   Alan T. Murray — University of California - Santa Barbara
* *Maximal Covering Location Problem with Time Period for Dynamic Patrol Routing Using De Facto Population Estimated from Mobile Phone Data*   Gunhak Lee — Seoul National University, Kamyoung Kim —
* *Heterogeneous Space Facility Siting in Order to Maximize Coverage*   Xin Feng — University of California, Santa Barbara, Alan T. Murray — University of California - Santa Barbara
* *Spatial Optimization for Equitable Polling Locations: A Case Study of Leon County, Florida*  Levon Mikaelian — Florida State University, Mark W. Horner — Florida State University

**Discussants:**

 James Gaboardi, Florida State University

 Alan T. Murray, University of California - Santa Barbara

 Ran Wei, University of Utah

 Wangshu Mu, University of Arizona

**62. *Formal Paper Session:* Housing Policy and Practice II**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Coro Chasco, Madrid Autonomus University

* *The Location Choices of Immigrants in Sweden*  Mikaela Backman — Jonkoping International Business School, Janet E. Kohlhase — University of Houston
* *Transport Costs, Local Amenities, and Residential Housing Markets*   Andrew Coleman — University of Otago, Dave Maré — Motu Economic & Public Policy Research
* *An Analysis of Segmentation and Spatial Sorting in the Private Housing Markets in Flanders (Belgium)*   Coro Chasco — Madrid Autonomus University, Ludo Peeters — Hasselt University, Julie Le Gallo — Agrosup Dijon
* *Rent Control and Evictions: Evidence from San Francisco*   Brian J. Asquith — University of California, Irvine

**Discussants:**

 Brian J Asquith, University of California, Irvine

 Janet E. Kohlhase, University of Houston

 Andrew Coleman, University of Otago

 Coro Chasco, Madrid Autonomus University

**63. *Formal Paper Session:* Entrepreneurship II**--***Pine Lake***

**Organizers:**Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University; Alexandra A Tsvetkova, Ohio State University

**Chair:**Alexandra A Tsvetkova, Ohio State University

* *New Business Activity and Inner City Economic Development*   Elizabeth A. Mack — Michigan State University, Kevin Credit — Michigan State University
* *Does the Tide Lift All Boats? Entrepreneurial Response to Economic Conditions Across the Rural-Urban Hierarchy*  Alexandra A. Tsvetkova — Ohio State University, Mark Partridge — Ohio State University, Michael Betz — Ohio State University
* *Sectoral Variations of Startup Activity: Does the Geographical Concentration Matter?*   Haifeng Qian — University of Iowa
* *Corruption and Entrepreneurship: Evidence from US States*   Can Chen — Florida International University, Shaoming Cheng — , Hai Guo — Florida International University

**Discussants:**

 Maria Figueroa-Armijos, George Mason University

 Thomas Klier, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

 Alexandra A Tsvetkova, Ohio State University

 Haifeng Qian, University of Iowa

**64. *Special Session:* Poverty: People, Places, and Policy II**--***Crystal Lake***

**Organizer:**Brigitte Waldorf, Purdue University

**Chair:**Tracey Farrigan, USDA Economic Research Service

* *A Reinvestigation of Differences in the Determinants of Poverty and Persistent Poverty*   Stephan J Goetz — Penn State University
* *New Evidence on Intergenerational Income Mobility in the United States*   Huan Li — Purdue University, Tim Smith — Purdue University, Michael Delgado — Purdue University, Raymond J.G.M. Florax — Purdue University, Brigitte Waldorf — Purdue University, Indraneel Kumar — Purdue University
* *An Analysis of the Exposure to Poor Food Environments and Diet-Related Health*   Michele Ver Ploeg — Economic Research Service, Lisa Mancino — USDA Economic Research Service, Tracey Farrigan — USDA Economic Research Service, Tom Hertz — USDA Economic Research Service, Chris Dicken — USDA Economic Research Service
* *Local Government and Income Inequality Across U.S. Counties*   Victor H. Iturra — Universidad Catolica del Norte, Mark Partridge — Ohio State University, Linda Lobao — Ohio State University, Gregory Hooks — McMaster University

**Discussants:**

 Tim Smith, Purdue University

 Thomas A. Knapp, Pennsylvania State University

 Raymond J.G.M. Florax, Purdue University

 Lisa Mancino, USDA Economic Research Service

**65. *Special Session:* Signatures of Regional Science I**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Peter Nijkamp, VU University, Amsterdam

* *Great Minds in Regional Science: Edward Ullman*   David Plane — University of Arizona
* *Regional Science Academy Lecture Series: The Millennial Consumer*   Neil Reid — Univ. Of Toledo

**Discussants:**

 David Plane, University of Arizona

 Neil Reid, Univ. Of Toledo

**66. *Urban Economics Association:* Spatial Labor Markets I**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Hans R.A. Koster, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

* *Spatial Wage Disparities -- Workers, Firms, and Assortative Matching*   Jens Suedekum — Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE), Wolfgang Dauth — University of Würzburg, Sebastian Findeisen — University of Mannheim
* *The Long Run Effect of Universities on Local Labor Markets*   Alexander Whalley — University of Calgary, Enrico Moretti — University of California - Berkeley
* *Search, Labor Supply, and Unemployment of Married Women in Cities*   Paola L. Montero Ledezma — University of Chile, Wei Xiao — Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Yves Zenou — Monash University
* *Income Sorting, Amenities and the Social Structure of Cities*   Carl Gaigné — INRA - Rennes, Hans R.A. Koster — Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Fabien Moizeau — Université de Rennes 1, Stephane Riou — Université Jean Monnet, Jacques-Francois Thisse — Université catholique de Louvain

**Discussants:**

 Alexander Whalley, University of Calgary

 Hans R.A. Koster, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

 Jens Suedekum, Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE)

 Paola L. Montero Ledezma, University of Chile

**67. *Urban Economics Association:* Agglomeration, Growth, Labor and Crime**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Chair:**Matthew Freedman, University of California - Irvine

* *Shopping Externalities and Retail Concentration: Evidence from the Netherlands*   Ilias Pasidis — University of Barcelona (UB) and Barcelona Institute of Economics (IEB), Hans R.A. Koster — Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Jos van Ommeren — Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
* *Does Federal Contracting Spur Development?*   Michiel Gerritse — University of Groningen, Andrés Rodríguez-Pose — London School of Economics
* *Does The Public Sector Provide Police Service Inefficiently? Evidence from French Quarter Task Force*   Cheng Cheng — University of Mississippi, Wei Long — Tulane University
* *Persistence in Industrial Policy Impacts: Evidence from Depression-Era Mississippi*   Matthew Freedman — University of California - Irvine

**Discussants:**

 Michiel Gerritse, University of Groningen

 Wei Long, Tulane University

 Matthew Freedman, University of California - Irvine

 Ilias Pasidis, University of Barcelona

**68. *Urban Economics Association:* Neighborhood Effects**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Edward Coulson, University of Nevada - Las Vegas

* *East Side Story: Historical Pollution and Persistent Neighborhood Sorting*   Stephan Heblich — University of Bristol, Alex Trew — University of St. Andrews, Yanos Zylberberg — University of Bristol
* *Structural Demand Estimation with Borrowing Constraints*   Amine Ouazad — INSEAD, Romain G. Rancière — Paris School of Economics
* *The Effects of Charter Schools on Neighborhood and School Segregation Evidence from New York City*   Sarah A. Cordes — Temple University, Agustina Laurito — New York University
* *Tenure Tipping*   Edward Coulson — University of Nevada - Las Vegas, Greg Wommer — Pennsylvania State University

**Discussants:**

 Sarah A. Cordes, Temple University

 Edward Coulson, University of Nevada - Las Vegas

 Stephan Heblich, University of Bristol

**69. *Urban Economics Association:* Networks and Social Interactions**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**Maximilian von Ehrlich, University of Bern

* *Does Network Make Firms Global? Evidence from Firm-to-Firm Transaction*  Ryo Itoh — Tohoku University, Kentaro Nakajima — Tohoku University
* *The Effect of Neighborhood Design on Social Interaction as Measured by Carpooling*   Dhari S. Aljutaili — University of California - Irvine
* *Implications of Local Ties in Spatial Equilibrium*   Mike Zabek — University of Michigan
* *Agglomerations and the Spatial Structure of Social Networks: Evidence from Mobile Phone Data*   Maximilian von Ehrlich — University of Bern, Konstantin Buechel —

**Discussants:**

 Maximilian von Ehrlich, University of Bern

 Ryo Itoh, Tohoku University

 Dhari S Aljutaili, UC Irvine

 Mike Zabek, University of Michigan

**12:00 PM-1:30 PM**

***:* Friday Lunch**--***(On Your Own)***

**12:30 PM-2:30 PM**

***Business Meeting:* RSAI Fellows Luncheon (Invitation Only)**--***Northern Shores Grille (Hotel Restaurant)***

**1:30 PM-3:30 PM**

**70. *Formal Paper Session:* Local Public Finance and Economic Development II**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Renata M Caldas, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco, Brazil

* *Program Budgeting Implementation in Russia's Regions*   Anna Mikhaylova — Institute for public finance reform, Vladimir Klimanov — Institute for Public Finance Reform
* *Tax Policies and Informality in Regional Economies*   Laudo Ogura — Grand Valley State University
* *The Effects of Intergovernmental Transfers on Inter and Intra Regional Inequalities in Brazil*   Renata M. Caldas — Universidade Federal de Pernambuco, Brazil, Yony Sampaio — Universidade Federal de Pernambuco, Brazil
* *Regional Income Disparities in Decentralizing Indonesia, 2001-2007*   Andi Irawan — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Discussants:**

 Andi Irawan, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

 Anna Mikhaylova, Institute for public finance reform

 Laudo Ogura, Grand Valley State University

 Renata M Caldas, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco, Brazil

**71. *Formal Paper Session:* Innovation and Spillover II**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**Yu Qiao, University of Maryland-College Park

* *Do Cross-boundary Spillovers Facilitate Product Evolution in China?*   Canfei He — Peking University
* *The Role of Interregional and Inter-sectoral Knowledge Spillovers on Regional Knowledge Creation Across US Metropolitan Counties*  Sandy Dall Erba — University of Illinois, Dongwoo Kang — Korea Labor Institute, Kun Peng — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *Industrial Concentration, Market Size and R&D Expenditure*   Yu Qiao — University of Maryland-College Park
* *Knowledge Spillovers and Wage Inequality. The Side Effect of the Concentration of Highly Educated Workers in U.S. Cities*  Rodrigo A. Perez — The Ohio State University

**Discussants:**

 Rodrigo A Perez, The Ohio State University

 Canfei He, Peking University

 Sandy Dall Erba, University of Illinois

 Yu Qiao, University of Maryland-College Park

**72. *Formal Paper Session:* Issues in Air Quality in China**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Na Li,

* *Running with a Mask? The Effect of Air Pollution on Marathon Runners' Performance*  Shihe Fu — Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Mengmeng Guo — Southwestern University of Finance and Economics
* *Air Pollution and Perception-Based Averting Behaviour in the Jinchuan Mining Area, China: A Structural Equation Modeling (SEM) Approach*   Henk Folmer — University of Groningen
* *Assessing the Economic Impacts of China's Clean Air Policies in Beijing-Tianjin-Hebei Area*   Na Li —
* *The Economics and Management of China's Volatile Organic Compound Pollution: A Computable General Equilibrium Approach*   Changxin Liu — , Zheng Wang — Chinese Academy of Sciences, Yufei Wang — Tsinghua University

**Discussants:**

 Changxin Liu,

 Shihe Fu, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics

 Henk Folmer, University of Groningen

 Na Li,

**73. *Formal Paper Session:* Location Models and Applications**--***Deer Lake***

**Chair:**Ievgenii L Kudko, State University of New York at Buffalo

* *Institutions and Urban Concentration: The Role of Ethnicity*   Sidney Turner — Fors Marsh Group LLC, Uma Kelekar — Marymount University
* *A Look at Shopping Centers as Business Centers: An Exercise for Cali-Colombia*  Lilian A. Carrillo-Rodriguez — Universidad Autonoma de Occidente, Elizabeth Aponte J — Universidad Autonoma de Occidente, Ana Milena Alvarez C — Universidad Autonoma de Occidente
* *An Analysis of The Reasons Behind Residential Segregation. An Example from the Greater Los Angeles Area*  Ievgenii L. Kudko — State University of New York at Buffalo
* *The Spatial Structure of US Employment*   Robert Allen Manduca — Harvard University

**Discussants:**

 Robert Allen Manduca, Harvard University

 Sidney Turner, Fors Marsh Group LLC

 Lilian A Carrillo-Rodriguez, Universidad Autonoma de Occidente

 Ievgenii L Kudko, State University of New York at Buffalo

**74. *Formal Paper Session:* Migration and Human Capital I**--***Elk Lake***

**Chair:**Isha Rajbhandari, The Ohio State University

* *U.S. Immigration Policy and Brain Waste*   Ayoung Kim — Purdue University, Brigitte Waldorf — Purdue University, Natasha Duncan — Purdue University
* *Highly Skilled Professional Labor and the Trans-Pacific Partnership: Is the Deal the Best Next Step beyond the NAFTA for Canada and the U.S.?*   Kathrine E. Richardson — San Jose State University
* *Migrants and Boomtowns: Micro Evidence from the U.S. Shale Boom*   Isha Rajbhandari — The Ohio State University, Alessandra Faggian — The Ohio State University, Mark Partridge — Ohio State University
* *Industrial Composition and Intergenerational Mobility*   Stephan Whitaker — Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

**Discussants:**

 Stephan Whitaker, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

 Ayoung Kim, Purdue University

 Kathrine E. Richardson, San Jose State University

 Isha Rajbhandari, The Ohio State University

**75. *Formal Paper Session:* Location Modeling and Economic Development**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**Chair:**Graham P Clarke, University of Leeds

* *The Z-axis: Elevation Gradient E
ffects in Urban America*   Yifan Ye — Duke University, Charles M. Becker — Duke University
* *Non-equilibrium Dynamic Simulation of Spatial Evolution of the Polycentric Structure in Metropolitan Area In China*   Ling Xue — Peking University
* *Adding E-Commerce into Retail Location Models*   Graham P. Clarke — University of Leeds, Elena Kirby-Hawkins —
* *Globalization, Coagglomeration and Japanese MNFs' Overseas Location in East Asia: Cases of food, electronics and automobile industries*   Suminori TOKUNAGA — Reitaku University, Yuko Akune — Reitaku University, Maria Ikegawa — Policy Research Institute, MAFF

**Discussants:**

 Suminori TOKUNAGA, Reitaku University

 Yifan Ye, Duke University

 Ling Xue, Peking University

 Graham P Clarke, University of Leeds

**76. *Formal Paper Session:* Location and Spatial Analysis II**--***Gray's Bay***

**Organizers:**Alan T. Murray, University of California - Santa Barbara; Ran Wei, University of Utah

**Chair:**Alan T. Murray, University of California - Santa Barbara

* *An Alternative Classification Scheme for Uncertain Attribute Mapping*   Ran Wei — University of Utah, Tony H. Grubesic — Arizona State University
* *Optimizing Green Space Locations to Reduce Daytime and Nighttime Urban Heat Island Effects in Phoenix, Arizona*  Yujia Zhang — Arizona State University, Alan T. Murray — University of California - Santa Barbara, Billie L. Turner II — Arizona State University
* *On Solving Large p-Median Problems*   Wangshu Mu — University of Arizona, Daoqin Tong — University of Arizona
* *A New p-Median Model That Is Sensitive to Economies of Scale*   Rick Church — University Of California At Santa Barbara, Vladimir Marianov — Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile

**Discussants:**

 Gunhak Lee, Seoul National University

 Levon Mikaelian, Florida State University

 Rick Church, University Of California At Santa Barbara

 Daoqin Tong, University of Arizona

**77. *Formal Paper Session:* Economics of Agriculture I**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Chair:**Zhangliang Chen, University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign

* *The Local Impacts of Agricultural Subsidies: Evidence from the Canadian Prairies*   Shon Ferguson — Research Institute of Industrial Economics (IFN), Ray Bollman — Brandon University
* *Economic Activity and Biofuel-Energy Policy Impact on Land Use Conversion of North Dakota*   Rezwanul Parvez — North Dakota State University, David C. Roberts — North Dakota State University, David Ripplinger — North Dakota State University
* *Do Crop Insurance Programs Preclude Their Recipients from Adapting to New Climate Conditions?*   Zhangliang Chen — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Sandy Dall Erba — University of Illinois
* *Understanding the Role of Agriculture in Ohio Economy*   Janaranjana Herath — University of Mount Olive, Saima Bashir — Central State University

**Discussants:**

 Janaranjana Herath, University of Mount Olive

 Shon Ferguson, Research Institute of Industrial Economics (IFN)

 Rezwanul Parvez, North Dakota State University

 Zhangliang Chen, University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign

**78. *Formal Paper Session:* Housing and Population**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Chun Kuang, George Washington University

* *Homeownership in the Era of Population Decline: Costly Ownership Abandonment and Long-Life Quality Houses*  Masatomo Suzuki — The University of Tokyo, Yasushi Asami — University of Tokyo
* *Factors Influencing the Geography of Residential Location of the Middle Class: A Case of Seoul*  Jungyul Sohn — Seoul National University, Soo Kyoung Oh — Seoul Digital University
* *Life-Cycle Housing Demand and Labor Force Age Composition*   Chun Kuang — George Washington University
* *Decomposing Housing Affordability Problems in Rural America*   Peter J. Han — USDA, John Cromartie —

**Discussants:**

 Peter J Han, USDA

 Masatomo Suzuki, The University of Tokyo

 Jungyul Sohn, Seoul National University

 Chun Kuang, George Washington University

**79. *Formal Paper Session:* Issues in Education**--***Pine Lake***

**Chair:**Cody Hodson, The University of Iowa

* *Schooling Infrastructure and Literacy-Evidence from a National Education Mission in India*   Chitra Jogani —
* *Information Policies and Higher Education Choices: Experimental Evidence from Colombia*   Leonardo Bonilla — UIUC, Nicolas Bottan — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Andres Ham — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *Urban Landscapes and Educational Outcomes: The Connection Between School-Level Reading Performance and Nature in Built Environments*  Cody Hodson — The University of Iowa, Heather A. Sander — University of Iowa
* *The Nexus between Higher Education and Economic Growth: A Comparison of Massachusetts and Ohio.*   Saima Bashir — Central State University, Janaranjana Herath — University of Mount Olive

**Discussants:**

 Saima Bashir, Central State University

 Chitra Jogani,

 Leonardo Bonilla, UIUC

 Cody Hodson, The University of Iowa

**80. *Special Session:* Poverty: People, Places, and Policy III**--***Crystal Lake***

**Organizer:**Brigitte Waldorf, Purdue University

**Chair:**Huan Li, Purdue University

* *Measuring the Spatial and Demographic Burden of Decline in Shrinking U.S. Cities*   Rachel S. Franklin — Brown University
* *Regional and Demographic Differences in Unemployment Dynamics in Germany*   Carsten Ochsen — University of Applied Labour Studies and Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research
* *Impact of Poverty on Community Quality of Life and Social Capital: Longitudinal Analysis of 99 Small Towns in Iowa, 1994-2014*   David J. Peters — Iowa State University
* *The Spatial Predicament of Disability Status and Employment Opportunity.*   Nicholas Garcia — The Ohio State University

**Discussants:**

 Victor H Iturra, Universidad Catolica del Norte

 Steven Deller, University of Wisconsin-Madison

 Cecilie Dohlmann Weatherall, Kraksfond the Institute for Urban Economic Research

 J. Matthew Fannin, Louisiana State University @ Baton Rouge

**81. *Special Session:* Signatures of Regional Science II**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Peter Nijkamp, VU University, Amsterdam

* *Regional Science Academy Lecture Series: The Local Public Sector and Urban Challenges*   Janet E. Kohlhase — University of Houston
* *Ex Libris: Regional Science Publications That Have Influenced Me*   Mark Partridge — Ohio State University, Haifeng Qian — University of Iowa, Roberta Capello — Politecnico di Milano

**Discussants:**

 Janet E. Kohlhase, University of Houston

 Mark Partridge, Ohio State University

 Haifeng Qian, University of Iowa

 Roberta Capello, Politecnico di Milano

**82. *Urban Economics Association:* Urban Policies**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Amy Ellen Schwartz, Syracuse University

* *Long-term Earnings Effects of Living in Subsidized Housing While Young: Evidence from a Natural Experiment Using Public Housing Demolitions*   Fredrik Andersson — Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, John Haltiwanger — University of Maryland, Mark Kutzbach — U.S. Census Bureau, Giordano Palloni — International Food Policy Research Institute, Henry Pollakowski — Harvard University, Daniel Weinberg — Virginia Tech
* *The Short- and Long-Run Effects of the 1930s HOLC "Redlining" Maps*   Daniel Hartley — Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
* *Zoning in the Short and Long Run: Evidence from Seattle*   Tate Twinam — University of Washington
* *Do Housing Vouchers Improve Academic Performance? Evidence from New York City*  Amy Ellen Schwartz — Syracuse University, Keren Mertens Horn — University of Massachusetts - Boston, Ingrid Gould Ellen — New York University, Sarah A. Cordes — Temple University

**Discussants:**

 Amy Ellen Schwartz, Syracuse University

 Tate Twinam, University of Washington

 Mark Kutzbach, U.S. Census Bureau

 Daniel Hartley, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

**83. *Urban Economics Association:* Environmental Issues**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**James Siodla, Colby College

* *Pollution and City Size: Can Cities Be Too Small?*  Rainald Borck — University of Potsdam, Takatoshi Tabuchi — University of Tokyo
* *Environmental Amenities and the Evolution of Industrial Cities*   Yatang Lin — London School of Economics
* *Economic and Ecological Impacts of Compact City Policies: A Laboratory Experiment*   Laurent Denant-Boemont — University of Rennes, Carl Gaigné — INRA - Rennes
* *The 1906 San Francisco Disaster and Industry Localization in the City*   James Siodla — Colby College

**Discussants:**

 Laurent Denant-Boemont, University of Rennes

 James Siodla, Colby College

 Rainald Borck, University of Potsdam

 Yatang Lin, London School of Economics

**84. *Urban Economics Association:* Spatial Economic Theory II**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**Yannis M. Ioannides, Tufts University

* *Heterogeneous Workers and Federal Income Taxes in a Spatial Equilibrium*   Kevin Patrick Hutchinson — eBay Inc, Mark Colas — University of Wisconsin - Madison
* *Internal Structure of Consumer Cities: Core and Subcenters*   Yoon Sang Moon — University at Buffalo
* *The Urban Transport System Choice in a Duocentric City Model*   Santiago M Pinto — Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond
* *International Trade, Intercity Trade, and Housing Prices in US Cities*   Jeffrey P. Cohen — University of Connecticut, Yannis M. Ioannides — Tufts University

**Discussants:**

 Yoon Sang Moon, University at Buffalo

 Santiago M Pinto, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond

 Yannis M. Ioannides, Tufts University

 Kevin Patrick Hutchinson, eBay Inc

**3:30 PM-4:00 PM**

***:* Coffee Break**--***Atrium***

**4:00 PM-6:00 PM**

**85. *Formal Paper Session:* Real Estate: Spatial Considerations**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Michael Foster, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

* *Big Data and a Spatial Hedonic Approach: Addressing the land market information gap and estimating land prices determinants in metropolitan regions from developing countries*   Cynthia Goytia — Torcuato Di Tella University, Guadalupe Dorna — Torcuato Di Tella University
* *What is Near and Recent in Crime for a Homeowner? The Cases of Denver and Seattle*   Juan Tomas Sayago-Gomez — West Virginia University, Adam Nowak — West Virginia University
* *Vacant China - Voids Within the Growth Machine: Using Social Media to Detect Residential Vacancy in China*  Sarah Williams — Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Wenfei Xu — Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Michael Foster — Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Changping Chen — Massachusetts Institute of Technology
* *The Spatial and Time-Varying Social Contagion Effect of Distressed Sales*  Qin Fan — California State University, Fresno, J. Andrew Hansz — Old Dominion University

**Discussants:**

 Qin Fan, California State University, Fresno

 Cynthia Goytia, Torcuato Di Tella University

 Juan Tomas Sayago-Gomez, West Virginia University

 Michael Foster, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

**86. *Formal Paper Session:* Spatial Statistics: Methods and Applications**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**William Orlando Prieto, Catholic University

* *Space-Time Polygon Cluster Detection Using Modified Mahalanobis Distance: A Case Study of Child Vaccination Exemption Rates*  Monghyeon Lee — The University of Texas Dallas
* *Mesoscale Structures in the World City Networks on Cyberspace: A Stochastic Block Modeling Analysis*   Wenjia Zhang — University of North Carolina - Charlotte, Jean-Claude F. Thill — Univ. of North Carolina at Charlotte
* *Determinants of a Higher Regional Probability of Violence After Signing a Peace Agreement in Colombia*  William Orlando Prieto — Catholic University, Hernan Enriquez — Sergio Arboleda University, Johanna Manrique — Catholic University of Colombia, Jhonn Bonilla — Pnud
* *Regional Income Inequality Dynamics: Stochastic Dominance Revisited*  Sergio Rey — Arizona State University, Wei Kang — Arizona State University, Levi John Wolf — Arizona State University
* *Application of Optimization Techniques and Statistical Modeling on Dynamic Pricing and Revenue Management*   Amir Meimand — Zilliant

**Discussants:**

 Sergio Rey, Arizona State University

 Monghyeon Lee, The University of Texas Dallas

 Wenjia Zhang, University of North Carolina - Charlotte

 William Orlando Prieto, Catholic University

**87. *Formal Paper Session:* Environment and Industry**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Aline Souza Magalhaes, Federal University of Minas Gerais

* *A Game Model of New and Remanufactured Goods, Brown and Green Consumers, and Market Share Dominance*   Amit Batabyal — Rochester Institute Of Technology, Hamid Beladi — University of Texas - San Antonio
* *Heat Stress: The Impact of Ambient Temperature on Occupational Injuries in the US*   Lucy E. Page — Williams College, Stephen Sheppard — Williams College
* *Policies for Reduction of Greenhouse Gases Emission and Their Costs and Opportunities for the Brazilian Industry*   Aline Souza Magalhaes — Federal University of Minas Gerais, Terciane Sabadini Carvalho — Federal University of Parana, Edson Paulo Domingues — Federal University of Minas Gerais
* *Health Damage from Excess PM2.5 Pollution in China: A Province Level Analysis*  Kyung-Min Nam — The University of Hong Kong, Xu Zhang — Tsinghua University

**Discussants:**

 Kyung-Min Nam, The University of Hong Kong

 Amit Batabyal, Rochester Institute Of Technology

 Stephen Sheppard, Williams College

 Aline Souza Magalhaes, Federal University of Minas Gerais

**88. *Formal Paper Session:* Inequality in Specific Populations**--***Deer Lake***

**Chair:**Craig Carpenter, Texas A&M University

* *Sorting Urban Inequality*   Santiago Truffa — UC Berkeley
* *Food Deserts and Diet-Related Health Outcomes for the Elderly*   Nadia Greenhalgh-Stanley — Kent State University
* *Which Latino-Owned Businesses Survive? A Comprehensive Picture from Restricted-Access U.S. Census Data*   Craig Carpenter — Texas A&M University, Scott Loveridge — Michigan State University
* *The Effects of Air Pollution on Children's Height*   Margarita Portnykh — Carnegie Mellon University

**Discussants:**

 Margarita Portnykh, Carnegie Mellon University

 Santiago Truffa, UC Berkeley

 Nadia Greenhalgh-Stanley, Kent State University

 Craig Carpenter, Texas A&M University

**89. *Formal Paper Session:* Migration and Human Capital II**--***Elk Lake***

**Chair:**Cory R Yemen, Rutgers University

* *Let Tiebout Pick Up the Tab: Pricing Out Externalities with Free Mobility*   Hiroki Watanabe — Lamar University
* *The Spatial Mobility of Medical Specialists in The Netherlands*   Viktor Andreas Venhorst — University of Groningen, Michiel Daams — University of Groningen
* *How Much Does the Likelihood to Become an Entrepreneur Depend on the Migration Status?*  Udo Brixy — Institute for Employment Research, Wolfgang Dauth — IAB Institute for Employment Research
* *Human Capital Mobility: Do High Ability Workers Move Between Metropolitan Areas With Sufficient Frequency to Support Attraction as a Means of Occupation Based Economic Development?*   Cory R. Yemen — Rutgers University
* *Space-Time Analysis of Economic Development and Inequality: Links between Migration and Foreign Direct Investment in China*   Hao Huang — Illinois Institute of Technology

**Discussants:**

 Hao Huang, Illinois Institute of Technology

 Hiroki Watanabe, Lamar University

 Viktor Andreas Venhorst, University of Groningen

 Udo Brixy, Institute for Employment Research

 Cory R Yemen, Rutgers University

**90. *Formal Paper Session:* Location and Spatial Analysis III**--***Gray's Bay***

**Organizers:**Alan T. Murray, University of California - Santa Barbara; Ran Wei, University of Utah

**Chair:**James Gaboardi, Florida State University

* *An Examination of the Jobs-Housing Balance of Different Categories of Workers Across 26 Metropolitan Regions in 2003 and 2013*  Daniel Schleith — University of Cincinnati, Michael J. Widener — University of Toronto, Changjoo Kim — University of Cincinnati
* *The Effects of Centroid Connector Density on Discrete Spatial Network Optimization Models*   James Gaboardi — Florida State University, Mark W. Horner — Florida State University, David C. Folch — Florida State University
* *Merging Fine and Coarse Resolution Remotely Sensed Data with Household-Level Survey Data to Evaluate Small-Scale Vulnerability to Climate Change in West Africa*   Kathryn Grace — , Greg Husak — University of California - Santa Barbara

**Discussants:**

 Kathryn Grace,

 Daniel Schleith, University of Cincinnati

 Xin Feng, University of California, Santa Barbara

**91. *Formal Paper Session:* Trade: Methods and Models**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Maria Ikegawa, Policy Research Institute, MAFF

* *Market Potential and the Location of French firms in Africa*   Baraka Nafari — University of Johannesburg, Alain Pholo Bala — University of Johannesburg, Michel Tenikue — Luxembourg Institute of Socio-economic Research
* *Industry Relatedness and Trade Shock-induced New Industry Entry*   Jiaochen Liang — California State University Fresno
* *Empirical Analysis of Japanese Exports of Agricultural Products to East Asia : Using Gravity Model and Market Access*   Maria Ikegawa — Policy Research Institute, MAFF
* *A Spatial-Filtering Zero-Inflated Approach to the Estimation of the Gravity Model of Trade*   Rodolfo Metulini — University of Brescia, Roberto Patuelli — University of Bologna, Daniel A. Griffith — The University of Texas at Dallas

**Discussants:**

 Roberto Patuelli, University of Bologna

 Alain Pholo Bala, University of Johannesburg

 Jiaochen Liang, California State University Fresno

 Maria Ikegawa, Policy Research Institute, MAFF

**92. *Formal Paper Session:* Economics of Agriculture II**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Chair:**JaeHee Hwang, Seoul National University

* *The Ricardian Model of Climate Change Impact Meets the Ricardian Model of Interregional Trade: Theory and Evidence*  Sandy Dall Erba — University of Illinois, Fang Fang — University of Arizona, Zhangliang Chen — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *A Monocentric City with Part-time Farmers*  Asao Ando — Tohoku University, Fumio Takuma — Meikai University
* *Does the '6th order industrialization' of agriculture work for increasing farm household income in Korea?*   JaeHee Hwang — Seoul National University, SeongWoo Lee — Seoul National University
* *Agriculture Linkages in the European Union and Its Spatial Pattern*   Vinicius A. Vale — Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Fernando Salgueiro Perobelli — Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Alexandre Gomes — Federal University of São Carlos

**Discussants:**

 Vinicius A Vale, Federal University of Juiz de Fora

 Sandy Dall Erba, University of Illinois

 Asao Ando, Tohoku University

 JaeHee Hwang, Seoul National University

**93. *Formal Paper Session:* Impacts on Housing Prices II**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Herman Li, University of Nevada Las Vegas

* *Charter Schools: Property Value Capitalization*   Carlianne Patrick — Georgia State University, Elena Andreyeva — Georgia State University
* *Neighborhoods, School Quality, and Housing Prices*   Douglas P. Woodward — University Of South Carolina, Joseph Von Nessen — University of South Carolina, Paulo Guimaraes — European Central Bank
* *Contact High: The External Effects of Retail Marijuana Establishments on House Prices*   James Conklin — University of Georgia, Moussa Diop — University of Wisconsin - Madison, Herman Li — University of Nevada Las Vegas
* *House Prices and School Choice: Evidence from Chicago's Magnet Schools Proximity Lottery*   Esteban Lopez — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign, Leonardo Bonilla — UIUC, Daniel McMillen — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign

**Discussants:**

 Esteban Lopez, University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign

 Carlianne Patrick, Georgia State University

 Douglas P. Woodward, University Of South Carolina

 Herman Li, University of Nevada Las Vegas

**94. *Formal Paper Session:* Local Public Finance and Taxation**--***Pine Lake***

**Chair:**Kevin Willardsen, Florida State University

* *The Effect of Urban Sprawl on Local Public Costs in Japan: A Threshold Regression Approach*  Hiroshi Ono — Oita University, Tomoya Ida — Kindai University
* *Tax Competition for Mobile Capital*   Shin-Kun Peng — Academia Sinica, Dao-Zhi Zeng — Tohoku University, Xiwei Zhu — Zhejiang University
* *Vertical and Horizontal Fiscal Interactions in Local Federalism*   Kevin Willardsen — Florida State University
* *Competitive vs. Non-competitive Federal Grants and Yardstick Competition*   Luz Saavedra — University Of St Thomas

**Discussants:**

 Luz Saavedra, University Of St Thomas

 Tomoya Ida, Kindai University

 Dao-Zhi Zeng, Tohoku University

 Kevin Willardsen, Florida State University

**95. *Special Session:* Poverty: People, Places, and Policy IV**--***Crystal Lake***

**Organizer:**Brigitte Waldorf, Purdue University

**Chair:**Michele Ver Ploeg, Economic Research Service

* *Does Changing Neighborhoods Affect Mental Health? Evidence from a Randomized Social Housing Allocation System*  Cecilie Dohlmann Weatherall — Kraksfond the Institute for Urban Economic Research, Bence Boje-Kovacs — Kraksfond, Jane Greve — Kora
* *Poverty, Income Distribution and Small Business Activity: How do Women Entrepreneurs Factor into the Discussion?*   Tessa Conroy — University of Wisconsin - Madison, Steven Deller — University of Wisconsin-Madison, Philip Watson — University of Idaho
* *A Spatially Harmonized Small-Area Based Socioeconomic Database for the United States, 1970 to 2010*  Indraneel Kumar — Purdue University, Yong J. Kim — , Andrey Zhalnin — Purdue University, Huan Li — Purdue University, Michael Wilcox — Purdue University, Lionel Beaulieu —
* *County Poverty in the US: Persistence, Migration, and Space*   Tim Smith — Purdue University, Brigitte Waldorf — Purdue University, Raymond J.G.M. Florax — Purdue University

**Discussants:**

 Minghao Li, Pennsylvania State University

 Stephan J Goetz, Penn State University

 Rachel S. Franklin, Brown University

 Bruce Weber, Oregon State University

***Special Session:* Journal of Regional Science Special Session**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**Organizers:**Steven Brakman, University of Groningen; Edward Coulson, University of Nevada - Las Vegas; Mark Partridge, Ohio State University; Jens Suedekum, Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE)

**Chair:**Mark Partridge, Ohio State University

* *Urban Growth and Its Aggregate Implications*   Diego Puga — CEMFI, Gilles Duranton — University of Pennsylvania
* *JRS Lecture: Edward Glaeser*   Edward L. Glaeser — Harvard University

**Discussants:**

 Alessandra Faggian, The Ohio State University

 William Strange, University of Toronto

**96. *Urban Economics Association:* Empirics of Agglomeration**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**J. Vernon Henderson, London School of Economics

* *Are Clusters Resilient? Evidence from Canadian Textile Industries*   Julien Martin — Université du Québec à Montréal, Kristian Behrens — Université du Québec à Montréal, Brahim Boualam — Université du Québec à Montréal
* *The Birth of Cities: Evidence from the Oklahoma Land Rush of 1889*   John Brown — Clark University, David Cuberes — Clark University
* *Vertical Density and Agglomeration Economies*   William Strange — University of Toronto, Crocker Liu — Cornell University, Stuart Rosenthal — Syracuse University
* *Building the City: Sunk Capital, Sequencing, and Institutional Frictions*  J. Vernon Henderson — London School of Economics, Tony Venables — Oxford University, Tanner Regan — London School of Economics

**Discussants:**

 David Cuberes, Clark University

 William Strange, University of Toronto

 J. Vernon Henderson, London School of Economics

 Kristian Behrens, Université du Québec à Montréal

**97. *Urban Economics Association:* Education, Labor and Segregation**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Arthur O'Sullivan, Lewis & Clark College

* *How Do Thin Marriage Markets Affect Labor Market Outcomes for Single Ph.D. Workers?*  Xirui Zhang — Syracuse University
* *School Segregation and the Foreclosure Crisis*   Keith Ihlanfeldt — Florida State University, Tom Mayock — Office of the Comptroller of the Currency
* *How Segregated is Urban Consumption?*   Donald R. Davis — Columbia University, Jonathan Dingel — University of Chicago, Joan Monras — Sciences Po, Eduardo Morales — Princeton University
* *The Distribution of Jobs Within Cities: Integration, Density, and Accessibility*   Arthur O'Sullivan — Lewis & Clark College

**Discussants:**

 Tom Mayock, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency

 Jonathan Dingel, University of Chicago

 Arthur O'Sullivan, Lewis & Clark College

 Xirui Zhang, Syracuse University

**98. *Urban Economics Association:* Spatial Economic Theory III**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**Yasuhiro Sato, University of Tokyo

* *City Location and Economic Development*   David Krisztian Nagy — Princeton University
* *Geography in Reduced Form*   Oren Ziv — Michigan State University
* *Industrial Structure in Urban Accounting*   Jun Oshiro — Okinawa University, Yasuhiro Sato — University of Tokyo
* *Demographics and Tax Competition in Political Economy*   Tadashi Morita — Kindai University, Yasuhiro Sato — University of Tokyo, Kazuhiro Yamamoto — Osaka University

**Discussants:**

 Yasuhiro Sato, University of Tokyo

 Jun Oshiro, Okinawa University

 Oren Ziv, Michigan State University

 David Krisztian Nagy, Princeton University

**Saturday, 12 November**

**7:30 AM-10:00 AM**

***Registration and Exhibits:* Conference Registration**--***Registration Room***

**8:00 AM-10:00 AM**

***:* Poster Session**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

* *The Net Benefit of Tearing Down Dilapidated Housing: The Case of Detroit*   Dusan Paredes — Catholic University of the North, Mark Skidmore — Michigan State University
* *Location-Based Industrial Cluster Quantitative Identification Research*   Jie Guo —
* *A Multi-Municipality Computable General Equilibrium Analysis for Transport Project Appraisal in Tokyo Metropolitan Area*   Tomoki Ishikura — Tokyo Metropolitan University
* *The Size Rule Case of the Cities in Central American Common Market (CACM-RD)*   Jorge Alberto Orellana Aragon — Universidade Federal do Rio Grande (FURG)
* *Wage Premium: Evidences for the Migrant Workers from Agreste of Pernambuco in Brazil*   Adelson Santos Silva — UFRPE, Roberta Moraes Rocha — Federal University of Pernambuco
* *Who Suffered More During the Economic Recession: Local Residents or Migrants? Evidence from China*   Xiaochen Zhang — Ohio State University
* *Childhood Obesity and Food Consumption Changes*  Juan Tomas Sayago-Gomez — West Virginia University, Randall W. Jackson — Regional Research Institute - WVU, Lesley Cottrell — West Virginia University
* *Labor Pooling: Evidence for the Brazilian Northeast in the Period 2005-2010*   Edilberto Almeida — Federal University of Pernambuco, Roberta Moraes Rocha — Federal University of Pernambuco

**99. *Formal Paper Session:* Urban Economic Theory and Policy**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**William H. Hoyt, University of Kentucky

* *Fundamentals in Urban-Economic Theory*   Oded Hochman — Ben-Gurion University of the Negev
* *Competition, Market Size, and Relative Factor Endowment*   Sergey Kichko — HSE, Philip Ushchev — Hse
* *Bio-fuels, Price Supports, and Urban Growth in the American Heartland*   William H. Hoyt — University of Kentucky, Bo Jiang — Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Jonathan Elliott — New York University
* *Upstream Joint Investment Meets Downstream Technology Choice*   Keizo Mizuno — Kwansei Gakuin University

**Discussants:**

 Keizo Mizuno, Kwansei Gakuin University

 Oded Hochman, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev

 Sergey Kichko, HSE

 William H. Hoyt, University of Kentucky

**100. *Formal Paper Session:* GIS Methods and Applications**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**Zhaoya Gong, UNC Charlotte

* *Assessment of Individual's Access to Healthy Food by Incorporating Mobility and Time Components*  Jingjing Li — University of Cincinnati, Changjoo Kim — University of Cincinnati
* *Reconstruction of Functional Space from Symmetric Spatial Separations*   Zhaoya Gong — UNC Charlotte, Jean-Claude F. Thill — Univ. of North Carolina at Charlotte
* *Municipality Zoning as a Means to Exclude: A GIS Analysis*   Hannah Mead Kling — George Mason University

**Discussants:**

 Hannah Mead Kling, George Mason University

 Jingjing Li, University of Cincinnati

 Zhaoya Gong, UNC Charlotte

**101. *Formal Paper Session:* Location Modeling and Theory I**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Neil Reid, Univ. Of Toledo

* *Spatial Cournot Competition with an Urban-Rural Framework*   Wen-Chung Guo — National Taipei University, Fu-Chuan Lai — Academia Sinica
* *Retail Competition on a Salop Circle under Linear Demand*   Charles A. Ingene — University of Oklahoma, Amiya Basu — Syracuse University, Atasi Basu — Utica College
* *Evidence of Clustering Among Craft Breweries in American Cities*   Neil Reid — Univ. Of Toledo, Isabelle Nilsson — University of North Carolina - Charlotte, Matthew Lehnert — University of Toledo
* *The Impact of Cultural Discontinuities on the Spatial Decay of Agglomeration Economies*   Daniele Mantegazzi — UniversitÃ  della Svizzera italiana, Philip McCann — University of Groningen, Viktor Andreas Venhorst — University of Groningen

**Discussants:**

 Daniele Mantegazzi, UniversitÃ  della Svizzera italiana

 Fu-Chuan Lai, Academia Sinica

 Charles A Ingene, University of Oklahoma

 Neil Reid, Univ. Of Toledo

**102. *Formal Paper Session:* Topics in Tourism**--***Crystal Lake***

**Chair:**Katsuhiro Sakurai, Rissho University

* *Market Failure, Tourism Policy and the Region*   Oliver M. Fritz — Austrian Institute of Economic Research (WIFO)
* *Do Tourists Tip More Than Local Consumers? Evidence of Taxi Rides in New York City*  Amir Borges Ferreira Neto — West Virginia University, Adam Nowak — West Virginia University, Amanda Ross — University of Alabama
* *Evaluating the Economic Impacts of Tourism in Cross-Border Municipalities in Japan: An Inter-regional Input-Output Approach*   Katsuhiro Sakurai — Rissho University, Hiroyuki Shibusawa — Toyohashi University of Technology, Makoto Yamaguchi — Toyohashi University of Technology
* *Cultural Heritage Buzz in Global Cities*   Karima Kourtit — KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Peter Nijkamp — VU University, Amsterdam, Joao Romao — University of Algarve

**Discussants:**

 Peter Nijkamp, VU University, Amsterdam

 Oliver M. Fritz, Austrian Institute of Economic Research (WIFO)

 Amir Borges Ferreira Neto, West Virginia University

 Katsuhiro Sakurai, Rissho University

**103. *Formal Paper Session:* Regional/Rural Development III: Knowledge and Innovation**--***Deer Lake***

**Organizers:**Sarah A Low, USDA; Stephan Weiler, Colorado State University

**Chair:**Timothy Wojan, USDA Economic Research Service

* *Transfer of Knowledge and How It Can Influence Productivity and Competitiveness: Theoretical Considerations and Case Studies*  Knut I. Westeren — Nord University
* *Impact of Knowledge Management Strategies on Innovation Outcomes for Rural Businesses in the United States*   Kathryn R. Dotzel — The Ohio State University
* *Innovation, Design, and Creative Places: All Origination Has an Address*   Timothy Wojan — USDA Economic Research Service, Bonnie Nichols — National Endowment for the Arts
* *Urban First: USDA Research Impacts on Regional Total Factor Productivity*  Jason Parker — Michigan State University, John T. Mann — Michigan State University, Scott Loveridge — Michigan State University

**Discussants:**

 Kathryn R Dotzel, The Ohio State University

 Knut I Westeren, Nord University

 Jason Parker, Michigan State University

 Timothy Wojan, USDA Economic Research Service

**104. *Formal Paper Session:* Spatial Econometrics I**--***Elk Lake***

**Organizer:**Giuseppe Arbia, UniversitÃ  Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (Italy)

**Chair:**Giuseppe Arbia, UniversitÃ  Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (Italy)

* *Testing the Significance of Impact Measures in Spatial Panel Data Models*   Giuseppe Arbia — UniversitÃ  Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (Italy), Anil Bera — University of Illinois - Urbana-Champaign
* *Highway Infrastructure and State-Level Employment Growth: A Spatio-Temporal Analysis*  Jerome Segura — University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point
* *A spatial diffusion model with common factors and an application to cigarette consumption*   Paul Elhorst — University of Groningen, Carlo Ciccarelli — University of Tor Vergata

**Discussants:**

 Jerome Segura, University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point

 Giuseppe Arbia, UniversitÃ  Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (Italy)

**105. *Formal Paper Session:* Social Capital**--***Gray's Bay***

**Chair:**Can Chen, Florida International University

* *Civic Capital and School Performance: Evidence from a Local Survey*   Giorgio Fazio — Newcastle University, University of Palermo, Enza Maltese — University of Palermo, Davide Piacentino — University of Palermo
* *Multilevel Transmission of Cultural Attitudes and Entrepreneurial Intentions: Evidence from High-School Students*   Annie Tubadji — University of Bologna, Enrico Santarelli — University of Bologna, Roberto Patuelli — University of Bologna
* *Social Interactions, Agglomeration, and Regional Variations in Entrepreneurship*  Jae Beum Cho — Cornell University
* *Coordination of Family Members' Activities with Altruistic Motivation*   Kakuya Matsushima — Kyoto University, Kiyoshi Kobayashi — Kyoto University

**Discussants:**

 Kakuya Matsushima, Kyoto University

 Davide Piacentino, University of Palermo

 Roberto Patuelli, University of Bologna

 Jae Beum Cho, Cornell University

**106. *Formal Paper Session:* Economic Development: Locational Applications**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Patricio Aroca, Adolfo Ibáñez University

* *Regional Business Cycle Synchronization in China*   Xiumin Li — Northeast Normal University
* *Golden Triangle: Maximizing Economic Development*  Melody Muldrow — University of Arkansas at Little Rock, Gregory Hamilton — University of Arkansas at Little Rock
* *Concentration Impact on Brazilian and Chilean Growth*   Patricio Aroca — Adolfo Ibáñez University, Carlos Azzoni — Universidade de Sao Paulo
* *Assessing Indonesia's East Java spatial inequality and convergence process: A holistic approach*  Andi Irawan — University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Discussants:**

 Andi Irawan, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

 Xiumin Li, Northeast Normal University

 Melody Muldrow, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

 Patricio Aroca, Adolfo Ibáñez University

**107. *Formal Paper Session:* The Evolving Geography of North America's Auto Industry**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Organizer:**Thomas Klier, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

**Chairs:**Thomas Klier, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago; Brian Adams, BLS

* *Mexico's Remarkable Growth in Vehicle Production--A Detailed Analysis of Production and Exports*  Thomas Klier — Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, James Rubenstein — Miami University
* *Do We Need a New Framework to Study the Geography of the Automotive Industry? The Question of Agency and Scale in Shaping the Canadian Automotive Industry.*   Brendan A. Sweeney — McMaster University
* *Turnover, Fixed Costs, and Migration in the Auto Industry*   Brian Adams — BLS, Ted Rosenbaum — Federal Trade Commission
* *Motor City's Strength--Evidence of Persistence of the Automotive R&D cluster*   Thomas Klier — Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Thom Walstrum — Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

**Discussants:**

 Thom Walstrum, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

 Thomas Klier, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

 Brendan A Sweeney, McMaster University

 Brian Adams, BLS

**108. *Formal Paper Session:* Economic Issues in Transportation**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Xize Wang, University of Southern California

* *Why Do Greater Lyon Respondents Give Non Responses to the Income Question? Censored Models Helpful for Reducing the Bias of Non-Responses in Transport Survey*  Stephanie Souche-Le Corvec — University of Lyon
* *What Can We Learn from Airline Routing Announcements? Competition and Quality Provision Revisited*   Qi Ge — Skidmore College
* *A Birth- and Immigration-Cohort Analysis for Commute Mode Choice in Los Angeles County, California Using Public-Use Census Microdata*  Xize Wang — University of Southern California
* *On the Sustainability of a Monocentric City: Lower Transport Costs from New Transport Facilities*  Toshitaka Gokan — Institute of Developing Economies JETRO

**Discussants:**

 Toshitaka Gokan, Institute of Developing Economies JETRO

 Stephanie Souche-Le Corvec, University of Lyon

 Qi Ge, Skidmore College

 Xize Wang, University of Southern California

**109. *Formal Paper Session:* Social Issues and Inequality I**--***Pine Lake***

**Chair:**Amanda Ross, University of Alabama

* *Does Multiculturalism Work? Language, Friendship Homophily, and Well-being of Immigrants in Canada*   Qiang Li — National University of Singapore
* *The Effect of Football Games on Crime*   Brad Humphreys — West Virginia University, Amanda Ross — University of Alabama, Ryan Sullivan — Naval Postgraduate School
* *Health and Risk Behavior in Brazil: An Empirical Analysis*   Vitor Luiz Andrade — Ebserh, Flavia Chein — Federal University of Juiz de Fora
* *Sustainability and Displacement: Assessing the Spatial Pattern of Residential Moves Near Rail Transit in Los Angeles County*   Seva Rodnyansky — University of Southern California, Raphael W. Bostic — University of Southern California, Marlon Boarnet — University of Southern California, Raul Santiago-Bartolomei — University of Southern California, Danielle Williams — University of Southern California, Allen Prohofsky — California Franchise Tax Board

**Discussants:**

 Seva Rodnyansky, University of Southern California

 Qiang Li, National University of Singapore

 Amanda Ross, University of Alabama

 Flavia Chein, Federal University of Juiz de Fora

**110. *Urban Economics Association:* Taxation and Local Public Finance**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Michael Suher, New York University

* *Fiscal Zoning, Small Homes, and Their Impacts on the Property Tax*   Ryan Gallagher — Northeastern Illinois University
* *Local Sales Taxes, Employment, and Tax Competition*   Shawn Rohlin — Kent State University, Jeffrey Thompson — Federal Reserve Board of Governors
* *Sub-metropolitan Tax Competition with Households and Capital Mobility*   Tidiane Ly — GATE (Groupe d'Analyse et de Théorie Economique)
* *Is Anybody Home? The Impact and Taxation of Non-Resident Buyers*   Michael Suher — New York University

**Discussants:**

 Shawn Rohlin, Kent State University

 Tidiane Ly, GATE (Groupe d'Analyse et de Théorie Economique)

 Michael Suher, New York University

 Ryan Gallagher, Northeastern Illinois University

**111. *Urban Economics Association:* Tourism, Amenities and Consumption in Cities**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Christian A.L. Hilber, London School of Economics

* *Gentrification and Crime: Evidence from Rent Deregulation*   Christopher John Palmer — University of California - Berkeley, David Autor — Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Parag Pathak — Massachusetts Institute of Technology
* *Tree Canopies, Urban Green Amenities and the Residential Real Estate Market: Remote Sensing and Spatial Hedonic Applications to Lisbon, Portugal*   Jacob Lawrence Macdonald — Nova School of Business and Economics, Sofia F. Franco — Nova School of Business and Economics
* *Welcome! We Have a New Menu: Measuring Product Responses to Competition*   Jacob Cosman — Johns Hopkins University, Nathan Schiff — Shanghai University of Finance and Economics
* *Historic Preservation and Energy Consumption: Evidence for England*   Christian A.L. Hilber — London School of Economics, Charles Palmer — London School of Economics, Ted Pinchbeck — London School of Economics

**Discussants:**

 Jacob Lawrence Macdonald, Nova School of Business and Economics

 Nathan Schiff, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics

 Christian A.L. Hilber, London School of Economics

 Christopher John Palmer, University of California - Berkeley

**112. *Urban Economics Association:* Housing II**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**John Clapp, University of Connecticut

* *How Do Workers Fare After Bankruptcy of the Firm? The Importance of the Housing Market*  Jordy Meekes — Utrecht University, Wolter Hassink — Utrecht University
* *Home Price Index Futures and the Household Portfolio*   Ahmad-Reza Michael Sharifi — University of California - San Diego
* *Giffen and Veblen Go House Shopping: The Market for Inferior, Normal, and Luxury Locations*   Christian Redfearn — University of Southern California
* *Anchoring to Purchase Price and Fundamentals: Unobserved Quality and Sample Selection*   John Clapp — University of Connecticut, Ran Lu-Andrews — University of Connecticut

**Discussants:**

 Ahmad-Reza Michael Sharifi, University of California - San Diego

 Christian Redfearn, University of Southern California

 John Clapp, University of Connecticut

 Jordy Meekes, Utrecht University

**10:00 AM-10:30 AM**

***:* Coffee Break**--***Atrium***

**10:30 AM-12:30 PM**

**113. *Formal Paper Session:* Urban Economic Theory: Population and Development**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Anthony W. Orlando, USC Price School of Public Policy

* *Do Civil Wars Accelerate Urbanization in Africa? The Case of Mozambique 1970-2007*   Peter Mulder — VU University Amsterdam, Raymond J.G.M. Florax — Purdue University, Ramos Muanamoha — Eduardo Mondlane University, Maputo Mozambique
* *Urban Shrinkage and Resurgence in Germany*   Alina M. Schoenberg — IMC University of Applied Sciences, Florian Bartholomae — Bundeswehr University Munich, Chang W. Nam — ifo Institute
* *Stuck in the Middle: The Role of Small and Medium Multifamily Housing in Urban Spatial Structure*   Yeokwang An — University of Southern California, Raphael W. Bostic — University of Southern California, Andrew Jakabovics — Enterprise Community Partners, Anthony W. Orlando — USC Price School of Public Policy, Seva Rodnyansky — University of Southern California
* *Is Urbanization Reducing Poverty in Mexico?*   Ariadna Martinez Gonzalez — The Ohio State University, Mark Partridge — Ohio State University

**Discussants:**

 Ariadna Martinez Gonzalez, The Ohio State University

 Peter Mulder, VU University Amsterdam

 Alina M. Schoenberg, IMC University of Applied Sciences

 Anthony W. Orlando, USC Price School of Public Policy

**114. *Formal Paper Session:* Local Public Finance and Development**--***Cedar Lake***

**Chair:**Shaoming Cheng,

* *Electoral and Party Cycles and Space Interaction in Health and Sanitation Municipal Expenditure in Brazil (1998-2012)*  Suzana Quinet Bastos — Federal University of Juiz de Fora, Eduardo Almeida — UFJF (Federal University of Juiz de Fora), Bruno Moraes Gomes — UFJF (Federal University of Juiz de Fora)
* *U.S. State Government Finances: The Tax Revenue Frontier*   Jerome Segura — University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point
* *Community Associations and Local Government Budget*   Shaoming Cheng — , Hai Guo — Florida International University
* *Impacts of Microcredit Programs on Employment and Income in the Brazilian Semiarid Area*   Renata M. Caldas — Universidade Federal de Pernambuco, Brazil

**Discussants:**

 Renata M Caldas, Universidade Federal de Pernambuco, Brazil

 Suzana Quinet Bastos, Federal University of Juiz de Fora

 Jerome Segura, University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point

 Shaoming Cheng,

**115. *Formal Paper Session:* Location Modeling and Theory II**--***Cook's Bay***

**Chair:**Cecilie Dohlmann Weatherall, Kraksfond the Institute for Urban Economic Research

* *The Mills Model of the Urban Economy Revisited*   John R. Miron — University of Toronto
* *Segregation and Spatial Urban Structure in Barcelona: Does History Really Matter?*  Miquel Àngel Garcia Lopez — Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Rosella Nicolini — Universitat Autonoma de Barcelona, José Luis Roig-Sabaté —
* *Foreign Ownership, Internalization, and Subnational Organization: The Role of Micro-Level Agglomeration*   Christian Geisler Asmussen — Copenhagen Business School, Bo B. Nielsen — University of Sydney, Cecilie Dohlmann Weatherall — Kraksfond the Institute for Urban Economic Research
* *Industrial Localization in Bogota*   Norman Maldonado — , Antonio Avendaño — Secretria Distrital de Planeacion, Alex Araque — Universidad Sergio Arboleda

**Discussants:**

 Norman Maldonado,

 John R Miron, University of Toronto

 Rosella Nicolini, Universitat Autonoma de Barcelona

 Cecilie Dohlmann Weatherall, Kraksfond the Institute for Urban Economic Research

**116. *Formal Paper Session:* Regional Economic Development Methods**--***Crystal Lake***

**Chair:**Eckhardt Bode, Kiel Institute for the World Economy

* *On Measuring the Importance of Local Food to Regional Economies*   Steven Miller — Michigan State University, John T. Mann — Michigan State University
* *The Pre-history of Regional Science Methods in Planning: The Experience of British Planning in the 1940s*  Peter Batey — University of Liverpool
* *Network Contracts and Firm Performance: Evidence from Matching Estimates of a Regional Programme Impact*  Andrea Caragliu — Politecnico di Milano, Paolo Landoni — Politecnico di Torino, Alessandro Sala — Eupolis Lombardia
* *Personality, Education and Regional Human Capital*   Eckhardt Bode — Kiel Institute for the World Economy, Stephan Brunow — Institute for Employment Research
* *Determining the Signal from the Noise in Economic Resilience Estimation*   Lauryn Ringwood — University of Idaho, Philip Watson — University of Idaho

**Discussants:**

 Lauryn Ringwood, University of Idaho

 Steven Miller, Michigan State University

 Peter Batey, University of Liverpool

 Andrea Caragliu, Politecnico di Milano

 Eckhardt Bode, Kiel Institute for the World Economy

**117. *Formal Paper Session:* Regional/Rural Development IV: The Regional Implications of Individual Decisions**--***Deer Lake***

**Organizers:**Sarah A Low, USDA; Stephan Weiler, Colorado State University

**Chair:**Eric Thompson, University of Nebraska - Lincoln

* *Response of Consumer Debt to Income and Wealth Shocks: The Case of Energy Booms and Busts*   Jason P. Brown — Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City
* *Sources of Active Job Search Among the Rural Residents Whether Employed, Unemployed or Out of the Labor Force*   Eric Thompson — University of Nebraska - Lincoln
* *Multidimensional Inequality in the United Kingdom: Just how unequal we are?*   Deniz Sevinc — University of Leicester
* *Determinants of Regional Growth in China for 1999-2013: An Integrative Analysis*   Dan Rickman — Oklahoma State University, Hongbo Wang — Oklahoma State University

**Discussants:**

 Dan Rickman, Oklahoma State University

 Deniz Sevinc, University of Leicester

 Eric Thompson, University of Nebraska - Lincoln

 Jason P Brown, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

**118. *Formal Paper Session:* Spatial Econometrics II**--***Elk Lake***

**Organizer:**Giuseppe Arbia, UniversitÃ  Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (Italy)

**Chair:**Giuseppe Arbia, UniversitÃ  Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Rome (Italy)

* *Spatial Approach to Principal Component Analysis*  Paolo Postiglione — University of Chieti-Pescara, Alfredo Cartone — University of Chieti-Pescara
* *Non-Metropolitan Areas Local Characteristics: What Impacts on New Business Creation and Business Closure?*   Ismaelh Ahmed Cisse — Laval University, Jean Dube — Universite Laval
* *Identifying High-Leverage Locations in Spatial Autoregressive Models*   Oleg A. Smirnov — University of Toledo
* *Space, time and cities. Analysing the concentration and dynamics of the Chilean urban system.*  Andres Vallone — Autonomous University of Madrid, Coro Chasco — Madrid Autonomus University, Miguel Atienza — Catholic University of the North

**Discussants:**

 Andres Vallone, Autonomous University of Madrid

 Paolo Postiglione, University of Chieti-Pescara

 Ismaelh Ahmed Cisse, Laval University

 Oleg A Smirnov, University of Toledo

**119. *Formal Paper Session:* Urban Spatial Structures**--***Gray's Bay***

**Chair:**Justin Delloye, UniversitÃ© Catholique de Louvain

* *Efficiency Range of Agglomeration and Multiple Equilibria of Non-monocentric urban Configuration*   Mitsuru Ota — University of Tsukuba
* *A New Estimate of Elasticity of Substitution between Land and Structure*   Tian Luan — GWU
* *Distributions of Building Geometric Attributes: A Stochastic Muth-Mills Approach*   Justin Delloye — UniversitÃ© Catholique de Louvain, Dominique Peeters — Université catholique de Louvain, Joe Tharakan — Université de Liège
* *Ubiquitous Digital Technologies and Spatial Structure: A Preliminary Analysis*   Emmanouil Tranos — University of Birmingham, Yannis Ioannides — Tufts University

**Discussants:**

 Emmanouil Tranos, University of Birmingham

 Mitsuru Ota, University of Tsukuba

 Tian Luan, GWU

 Justin Delloye, UniversitÃ© Catholique de Louvain

**120. *Formal Paper Session:* Location and Economic Development: Applications**--***Lafayette Bay***

**Chair:**Ayoung Kim, Purdue University

* *Multinational Enterprises, Regions and Structural Change*   Andrea Ascani — London School of Economics, Simona Iammarino — London School of Economics
* *Above averages: A nonparametric approach to decomposing industrial structure using establishment size distributions*   Michael Chohaney — University of Toledo, Oleg A. Smirnov — University of Toledo
* *A Quasi-Experimental Approach to Measuring Industrial Agglomeration and Regional Productivity in U.S. Metropolitan Areas*   Ayoung Kim — Purdue University, Michael Delgado — Purdue University, Raymond J.G.M. Florax — Purdue University
* *Mapping the On-Demand Economy: The Impact of Home-Based Businesses on Urban Spatial Structure in the Twenty-First Century*   Kevin Kane — University of California, Irvine, William A.V. Clark — University of California - Los Angeles

**Discussants:**

 Kevin Kane, University of California, Irvine

 Andrea Ascani, London School of Economics

 Michael Chohaney, University of Toledo

 Ayoung Kim, Purdue University

**121. *Formal Paper Session:* Transportation GIS**--***Lake Calhoun***

**Chair:**Zhiyuan Yao, University of Cincinnati

* *Modeling Positional Uncertainty Incurred Through Street Geocoding*   Hyeongmo Koo — University of Texas at Dallas, Yongwan Chun — Universeity of Texas at Dallas, Daniel A. Griffith — The University of Texas at Dallas
* *Constructing Human Activity Spaces: A New Approach Incorporating Complex Urban Activity-Travel*  Ran Li — University of Arizona, Daoqin Tong — University of Arizona
* *The Influence of Urban Structure on Commute Time and Commute Mode: An Empirical Study for 50 Metropolitan Statistical Areas*  Zhiyuan Yao — University of Cincinnati, Changjoo Kim — University of Cincinnati
* *Open Technologies in a GIS-T Application for Public Transportation in Arica City (Chile)*  Patricio Aroca — Adolfo Ibáñez University, Monica Navarrete — Universidad de Tarapaca, Ricardo Valdivia — Universidad de Tarapaca, Rodrigo Cornejo — Universidad de Tarapaca

**Discussants:**

 Monica Navarrete, Universidad de Tarapaca

 Hyeongmo Koo, University of Texas at Dallas

 Ran Li, University of Arizona

 Zhiyuan Yao, University of Cincinnati

**122. *Formal Paper Session:* Transportation and Housing**--***Lake Harriet***

**Chair:**Justine Simard, Laval University

* *Discrete Choice Models for Commuting Interactions*   Jan Rouwendal — Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
* *Should My Car Move or Should I? A Model of Residential and Commuting Choices*   Christopher Marshall Clapp — Florida State University
* *Exploring Variation of the Impact of New Bus Rapid Transit Routes on House Prices: An Exploratory Analysis.*   Jean Dube — Universite Laval, Eugénie Andrianary — Laval University, Francois Assad-Déry — Laval University, Janie Poupart — Laval University, Justine Simard — Laval University
* *Environmentally Sustainable and Affordable Housing near Transit in Los Angeles*   Seva Rodnyansky — University of Southern California, Marlon Boarnet — University of Southern California, Raphael W. Bostic — University of Southern California, Raul Santiago-Bartolomei — University of Southern California

**Discussants:**

 Marlon Boarnet, University of Southern California

 Jan Rouwendal, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

 Christopher Marshall Clapp, Florida State University

 Justine Simard, Laval University

**123. *Formal Paper Session:* Social Issues and Inequality II**--***Pine Lake***

**Chair:**Seva Rodnyansky, University of Southern California

* *Globalization, Gender Empowerment and Fertility*   Mizuki Komura — Musashi University, Hikaru Ogawa — University of Tokyo
* *On the Convergence in Female Participation Rates*   Yukiko Abe — Hokkaido University
* *Informality and the Quality of Work: A Case Study for the Colombian Pacific Region*   Luis A. Galvis — Banco de la Republica - Colombia, Javier Perez — Banco de la Republica (The Central Bank of Colombia)
* *Using State-Level Google Search Proxies to Model Gender-Specific Death Rates from Suicide and Substance Abuse*   Courtney A. Cuthbertson — Michigan State University, Jason Parker — Michigan State University, Scott Loveridge — Michigan State University, Mark Skidmore — Michigan State University

**Discussants:**

 Jason Parker, Michigan State University

 Mizuki Komura, Musashi University

 Yukiko Abe, Hokkaido University

 Luis A. Galvis, Banco de la Republica - Colombia

**124. *Urban Economics Association:* Gentrification and Urban Policies**--***Excelsior Bay***

**Chair:**Henry G. Overman, London School of Economics

* *Cities in Motion: Gentrification and Local Businesses*   Kristian Behrens — Université du Québec à Montréal, Brahim Boualam — Université du Québec à Montréal, Julien Martin — Université du Québec à Montréal, Florian Mayneris — Université catholique de Louvain
* *High-Cost Cities, Gentrification, and Voucher Use*   Ingrid Gould Ellen — New York University, Gerard Torrats-Espinosa — New York University
* *Can Urban Renewal Policies Reverse Neighborhood Ethnic Dynamics?*   Nicolas González Pampillón — Universitat de Barcelona & IEB, Jordi Jofre-Monseny — Universitat de Barcelona & IEB, Elisabet Viladecans-Marsal — Universitat de Barcelona & IEB
* *The Local Economic Impacts of Regeneration Projects*   Henry G. Overman — London School of Economics, Steve Gibbons — London School of Economics, Matti Sarvimaki — Aalto University

**Discussants:**

 Gerard Torrats-Espinosa, New York University

 Jordi Jofre-Monseny, Universitat de Barcelona & IEB

 Henry G. Overman, London School of Economics

 Julien Martin, ESG-UQAM

**125. *Urban Economics Association:* Local Public Goods and Taxation**--***Spring Park Bay***

**Chair:**Kurt Schmidheiny, University of Basel

* *Capitalization as a Two-Part Tariff: The Role of Zoning*   H. Spencer Banzhaf — Georgia State University, Kyle D. Mangum — Georgia State University
* *Should We Be Taxed Out of Our Homes? The Optimal Taxation of Housing Consumption*  David Albouy — University of Illinois, Sebastian Findeisen — University of Mannheim
* *Residential Sorting and the Incidence of Local Public Goods: Theory and Evidence from Air Pollution*   Daniel M. Sullivan — Harvard University
* *Taxing Wealth: Evidence from Switzerland*   Marius Brulhart — University of Lausanne, Jonathan Gruber — Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Matthias Krapf — University of Lausanne, Kurt Schmidheiny — University of Basel

**Discussants:**

 David Albouy, University of Illinois

 Daniel M. Sullivan, Harvard University

 Kurt Schmidheiny, University of Basel

 Kyle D. Mangum, Georgia State University

**126. *Urban Economics Association:* Spatial Labor Markets II**--***Wayzata Bay***

**Chair:**Jordan Rappaport, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

* *Local Labor Markets and Human Capital Investments*   Russell Weinstein — Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
* *Minimum Wages and Spatial Equilibrium: Theory and Evidence*   Joan Monras — Sciences Po
* *Income, Race and Geography*   Jenny Schuetz — Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Arturo Gonzalez — Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Jeff Larrimore — Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Ellen Merry — Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Barbara Robles — Federal Reserve Board of Governors
* *How Centralized is Employment in U.S. Metros?*   Jason P. Brown — Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Maeve Maloney — Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Jordan Rappaport — Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Aaron Smalter Hall — Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

**Discussants:**

 Joan Monras, Sciences Po

 Jenny Schuetz, Federal Reserve Board of Governors

 Jordan Rappaport, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

 Russell Weinstein, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

**12:30 PM-2:30 PM**

***Special Session:* NARSC Awards Luncheon**--***Grand Portage Ballroom***

**2:45 PM-4:45 PM**

**127. *Panel:* Open Regional Science: Prospects and Challenges of Data Sharing**--***Deer Lake***

**Organizers:**Laurie Schintler, George Mason University; Karst Geurs, University of Twente; Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University; Emmanouil Tranos, University of Birmingham

**Chair:**Peter Nijkamp, VU University, Amsterdam

**Discussants:**

 Laurie Schintler, George Mason University

 Karst Geurs, University of Twente

 Sergio Rey, Arizona State University

 Roger Stough, George Mason University

 Karima Kourtit, KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm

 Emmanouil Tranos, University of Birmingham

 Elizabeth A Mack, Michigan State University

**128. *Formal Paper Session:* Transportation Externalities and the Environment**--***Birch/Maple Lake***

**Chair:**Jean-Daniel M Saphores, University of California, Irvine

* *Commute Mode Choice and Neighbourhood Sorting: The effect of public transit on income stratification*   Andrea Craig — Queen's University
* *Urban Congestion and Air Pollution in Europe*   Ilias Pasidis — University of Barcelona, Miquel Àngel Garcia Lopez — Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Elisabet Viladecans Marsal — Universitat de Barcelona and Institut de Economia de Barcelona
* *Determinants of Long-distance Commuting: Evidence from the 2012 California Household Travel Survey*   Suman Mitra — University of California - Irvine, Jean-Daniel M. Saphores — University of California, Irvine
* *Impact of Built Environment on Transportation Behavior: The Role of Peer Effects*   Changjoo Kim — University of Cincinnati, Olivier Parent — University of Cincinnati, Rainer vom Hofe — University of Cincinnati

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 Andrea Craig, Queen's University

 Ilias Pasidis, University of Barcelona

 Jean-Daniel M Saphores, University of California, Irvine

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* *Computing Functional Urban Areas Using a Hierarchical Travel Time Approach: An Applied Case in Ecuador*   Vicente Royuela — University of Barcelona (Spain), Moises Obaco — Universitat de Barcelona, Vítores Xavier — Independent Statistical Researcher
* *Efficiency and convergence of the innovation: a study of technological progress for developed and developing countries*   Frederick F. Alves — Federal University of Viçosa/ University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Soraia Madeira — Federal University of Viçosa, Lucas Sousa — University of Brasilia
* *Performance of Centralized and Decentralized Police Systems with a Comparison of High and Low Human Development Countries.*  Grichawat Lowatcharin — Khon Kaen University, Judith Stallmann — University of Missouri

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 Qiang Li, National University of Singapore

 Vicente Royuela, University of Barcelona (Spain)

 Frederick F Alves, Federal University of Viçosa/ University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign

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* *Local and External Markets, Currency Appreciation and Production Costs: What Explains Brazilian Manufacturing Dynamics in the 2005-2011 Period*   Edson Paulo Domingues — Cedeplar-UFMG, Aline S. Magalhães — Cedeplar, Kenia B. Souza — Cedeplar
* *Export Diversification and Its Spatial Evolution in Chinese Manufacturing Sectors*   Qi Guo — Nankai University, Canfei He — Peking University
* *Study on the Evaluation of China's Environmental Regulation Effect: A Spatial Perspective Based on Industrial Green Development*   Peng Wang — Jinan University, Jihong You — Jinan University

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 Peng Wang, Jinan University

 Michael Chohaney, University of Toledo

 Edson Paulo Domingues, Cedeplar-UFMG

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* *Determinants that Explain the Evolution of Extreme Poverty in Honduras from 2001 to 2015*   Oger Roberto Marin Gonzalez — University of Valladolid, Mercedes Prieto Alaiz — University of Valladolid, Carmelo Garcia Perez — University of Alcalá
* *Commuting in a Residential Segregated Region: Implications for the Urban Poor*   Monica Amaral Haddad — Iowa State University
* *The Geography of Despondence: Where U.S. Middle-Age White Mortality Has Been Rising*  David A. McGranahan — USDA Economic Research Service, Tim Parker — USDA Economic Research Service, Shannon Monnat — Pennsylvania State University

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 Scott William Hegerty, Northeastern Illinois University

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* *The Price of Homeowners: An Examination of the First-time Homebuyer Tax Credit*   Erik Hembre — University of Illinois - Chicago
* *The Effect of Interest Rates on Home Buying: Evidence from a Discontinuity in Mortgage Insurance Premiums*   Daniel Ringo — Board of Governors of the FRS, Neil Bhutta — Federal Reserve Board of Governors
* *Credit Constraints and the Composition of Housing Sales. Farewell to First-time Buyers?*   Felipe Carozzi — London School of Economics

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* *Does Differential Treatment Translate to Differential Outcomes for Minority Borrowers? Evidence from Matching a Field Experiment to Loan Level Data*   Andrew R. Hanson — Marquette University, Zackary Hawley — Texas Christian University, Hal Martin — Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland
* *Strategic Sequential Bidding for Government Land Auction Sales - Evidence from Singapore*  Sumit Agarwal — National University of Singapore, Jing Li — Singapore Management University, Ernie Teo — Singapore Management University, Alan Cheong — Savills Valuation and Professional Services Pte Ltd
* *Do Airbnb Properties Affect House Prices?*   Stephen Sheppard — Williams College, Andrew K. Udell — Williams College

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