8th Annual Empirical Microeconomics Conference

Friday, March 22 – McCord Hall Rm 164
12:00p-1:00p  lunch
1:10p-1:50p  jesse bruhn  brown university
  “what's in a question? using item response data to uncover the hidden structure of student achievement”
1:50p-2:30p  minseon park  yale university
  “a dynamic framework of school choice: effects of middle schools on high school choice”
2:30p-2:50p  coffee break
2:50p-3:30p  matt wiswall  university of wisconsin-madison
  “demand-side child care subsidies when caregiver supply matters: an equilibrium analysis”
3:30p-4:10p  limor golan  washington university in st. louis
  “estimating a life-cycle model of pay and task assignment: productivity, discrimination, and racial gaps”
4:10p-4:20p  break
4:20p-5:00p  tomas larroucau  arizona state university
  “college application mistakes and the design of information policies at scale”
6:30p-9:00p  reception/dinner: gertrude’s, desert botanical gardens, phoenix

Saturday, March 23 – McCord Hall Rm 164
8:00a-9:00a  breakfast
9:00a-9:40a  barbara biassi  yale university
  “supermajority requirements and voter preferences in U.S. school capital investments”
9:40a-10:20a  laura pilossof  duke university
  “labor market search with imperfect information and learning”
10:20a-10:40a  coffee break
10:40a-11:20a  luigi pistaferrri  stanford university
  “assortative mating and wealth inequality”
11:20a-12:00p  hanno foerster  boston college
  “the colocation friction: dual-earner job search and labor market outcomes”
12:00p-1:30p  lunch
1:30p-2:10p  corinne low  university of pennsylvania
  “winning the bread and baking it too: women’s excess home production time and household inefficiency”
2:10p-2:50p  ben friedrich  northwestern university
  “families’ career investments and firms’ promotion decisions”

conference organizers:
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