Friday, February 24 – McCord Hall Rm 276

12:00p-1:00p  Lunch & Registration

1:00p-2:00p  Esteban Aucejo  Arizona State University  
*Catching Up to Girls: Understanding the Gender Imbalance in Educational Attainment Within Race*

2:00p-3:00p  Basit Zafar  Federal Reserve Bank of New York  
*Preference for the Workplace, Investment in Human Capital, and Gender*

3:00p-3:30p  Coffee Break

3:30p-4:30p  Giacomo De Giorgi  Federal Reserve Bank of New York  
*Sequential Banking: Direct and Externality Effects on Delinquency*

4:30p-5:30p  Jesper Bagger  Royal Holloway, University of London  
*An Empirical Model of Wage Dispersion with Sorting*

7:00p  Conference Dinner

Saturday, February 25 – McCord Hall Rm 276

8:00a-8:45a  Breakfast

8:45a-9:45a  Nicholas Papageorge  Johns Hopkins University  
*Genetic Ability, Wealth, and Financial Decision-Making*

9:45a-10:45a  Manasi Deshpande  The University of Chicago  
*Who is Screened Out? Application Costs and the Targeting of Disability Programs*

10:45a-11:00a  Coffee Break

11:00a-12:00p  Claire S. H. Lim  Cornell University  
*What is Behind the Size Effect? The Role of Large Hospitals in the Medicaid DSH Program*

12:00p-1:00p  Lunch

1:00p-2:00p  Edward Kung  UCLA  
*Interest Rates and Housing Market Dynamics in a Housing Search Model*

2:00p-3:00p  Youssef Benzarti  UCLA  
*What Goes Up May Not Come Down: Asymmetric Incidence of Value-Added Taxes*

Conference Organizers: Esteban Aucejo and Dan Silverman  Arizona State University