

3rd Annual Empirical Microeconomics Conference

February 23-24, 2018



Friday, February 23 – McCord Hall Rm 422

12:00p-1:00p **Lunch** – *lunch will be served in McCord Hall Rm 456*

1:00p-2:00p **Chao Fu** University of Wisconsin – Madison
Government Expenditure on the Public Education System

2:00p-3:00p **John Eric Humphries** Yale University
The Causes and Consequences of Self-Employment over the Life Cycle

3:00p-3:30p **Coffee Break**

3:30p-4:30p **Greg Veramendi** Arizona State University
The Effect of Secondary Education Choices on College Readiness, Major Choice, and Labor Market Outcomes

4:30p-5:30p **Chris Taber** University of Wisconsin – Madison
Occupational Choice and Changes in the Wage Structure

7:00p **Conference Dinner** – House of Tricks, Tempe

Saturday, February 24 - McCord Hall Rm 422

8:00a-8:45a **Breakfast**

8:45a-9:45a **Corina Mommaerts** University of Wisconsin – Madison
Insurance in Extended Family Networks

9:45a-10:45a **Fan Wang** University of Houston
You are What Your Parents Think: Height and Local Reference Points (with Esteban Puentes, Jere Behrman, and Flavio Cunha)

10:45a-11:00a **Coffee Break**

11:00a-12:00p **Patrick Bayer** Duke University
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1:00p-2:00p **Elliot Anenberg** Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System
Interest Rates and Housing Market Dynamics in a Housing Search Model

2:00p-3:00p **Matthew Turner** Brown University
Piped Water and Health: Evidence from the Alvorada Program in Brazil

Program Organizers:

Esteban Aucejo & Alvin Murphy Arizona State University

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