

“Health and Mortality”
Laboratory for Aggregate Economics and Finance (LAEF)
University of California, Santa Barbara
March 9-10, 2012

Friday, March 9, 2012
The Garden Room at the Upham

note that speakers are highlighted in author listings

- **10:45-11:45:** **The Joint Effects of Social Security and Medicaid on Incentives and Welfare**
Karen Kopecky (*Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta*), **R. Anton Braun** (*Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta*) and **Tatyana Koreshkova** (*Concordia University*)
 - **11:45-12:00:** *Coffee Break*
- **12:00-01:00:** **Income Inequality and Health Care Expenditures over the Life Cycle**
Serdar Ozcan (*Federal Reserve Board*)
 - **01:00-02:30:** *Lunch – Louie’s Bistro, Upham Courtyard*
- **02:30-03:30:** **Health and Wealth in a Life-Cycle Model**
Karl Scholz (*University of Wisconsin, Madison*) and **Ananth Seshadri** (*University of Wisconsin, Madison*)
 - **03:30-03:45:** *Coffee Break*
- **03:45-04:45:** **A Quantitative Theory of HIV Diffusion**
Rodolfo Manuelli (*Washington University, St. Louis*) and **Raul Santaella-Llopis** (*Washington University, St. Louis*)
 - **04:45-05:00:** *Coffee Break*
- **05:00-06:00:** **Healthy Life Expectancy: Estimates and Implications for Retirement Age Policy**
David M. Cutler (*Harvard and NBER*), **Ellen Meara** (*Dartmouth and NBER*) and **Seth Richards-Shubik** (*Carnegie Mellon University*)

8:15: *Dinner – The Boathouse at Hendry’s Beach*

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- **09:30-10:30:** **On the Rise of Health Spending and Longevity**
Raquel Fonseca (*RAND*), **Pierre-Carl Michaud**, Titus Galama (*RAND*), and Arie Kapteyn (*RAND, IZA and NETSPAR*)
 - **10:30-10:45:** *Coffee Break*
- **10:45-11:45:** **Health and Heterogeneity**
Josep Pijoan-Mas (*CEMFI, Spain*) and José-Victor Ríos-Rull (*University of Minnesota*)
 - **11:45-12:00:** *Coffee Break*
- **12:00-01:00:** **Quantitative Analysis of Health Insurance Reform: Separating Regulation from Redistribution**
Svetlana Paschenko (*Uppsala University*) and Ponpoje Porapakkarm (*University of Macau*)
 - **01:00-02:30:** *Lunch – Chicken and Tri-Tip Barbecue, Upham Courtyard*
- **02:30-03:30:** **Medicaid Insurance in Old Age**
Mariacristina DeNardi (*Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago and NBER*), **Eric French** (*Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago*) and John Bailey Jones (*University at Albany-SUNY*)
 - **03:30-03:45:** *Coffee Break*
- **03:45-04:45:** **Health Insurance Reform: The Impact of a Medicare Buy-In**
Gary D. Hansen (*University of California, Los Angeles*), **Minchung Hsu** (*Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Japan*) and Junsang Lee (*Korea Development Institute*)
 - **04:45-05:00:** *Coffee Break*
- **05:00-06:00:** **Health and Mortality Delta: Assessing the Welfare Cost of Household Insurance Choice**
Ralph S.J. Koijen (*University of Chicago, NBER and NETSPAR*), Stijn Van Nieuwerburgh (*New York University, NBER and CEPR*) and **Motohiro Yogo** (*Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis*)

08:15: *Dinner and entertainment at the home of Finn Kydland*