University of Houston Empirical Microeconomics Seminar Series Fall 2021

Seminars are usually Tuesdays 4:00-5:15pm (to 5:30 for Q&A).

- In-person seminars will be in McElhinney Room 122 (an option for attend virtually will be offered; please note a seminar currently designated as in person may end up being changed to virtual depending on public health situation)
- Virtual seminars will be via Zoom (meeting link to be provided day before)
- TBD means format (in-person or virtual) will be determined at a later date

Tues 9/7 @ 4pm TBD	Hugo Jales (Syracuse University) "Minimum Wage and Informality in a Roy Bargaining Economy: Evidence from a Bunching Estimator"
Tues 9/21 @ 4pm	Chris Blattman (University of Chicago Harris School)
VIRTUAL	"Gang Rule: Understanding and Countering Criminal Governance"
Tues 10/12 @ 4pm	Nathan Nunn (Harvard University)
VIRTUAL	"Transhumant Pastoralism, Climate Change and Conflict in Africa"
	Part of Political Economy Speaker Series co-hosted by Center for Public Policy (Hobby School) and Department of Economics (CLASS)
Tues 10/19 @ 4pm	Yeabin Moon (University of Houston job market candidate)
VIRTUAL	"Effects of Entry Economic Conditions on the Career of Economics PhDs"
Tues 10/26 @ 4pm	Joshua Kinsler (University of Georgia)
TBD	"Skill Formation and the Trouble with Child Non-Cognitive Skill Measures"
Tues 11/2 @ 4pm	Francisca Antman (University of Colorado Boulder)
TBD	"Innovation Nation: The Impact of Broadening Access to Graduate School on PhD Outcomes"
Tues 11/9 @ 4pm	Alessandro Lizzeri (Princeton University)
VIRTUAL	"Individual and Collective Information Acquisition: An Experimental Study"
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Tues 11/16 @ 4pm	Juliana Londoño-Vélez (UCLA)
VIRTUAL	"Behavioral Responses to Wealth Taxation: Evidence from Colombia"
Tues 11/30 @ 4pm	Gerard Padró i Miquel (Yale University)
VIRTUAL	"A Model of Media Capture by Special Interest Groups"
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