

**University of Houston-Rice University
Empirical Microeconomics Seminar Series
Spring 2014**

When and Where: Every Tuesday (unless otherwise indicated) from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. at UH (McElhinney Hall Rm 212) or Rice (Baker Hall, room specified below) as indicated.

Tuesday, Feb 18 @ Rice Rush Conference Room	John Donohue (Stanford) "An Empirical Evaluation of the Connecticut Death Penalty System since 1973: Are there Unlawful Racial, Gender and Geographic Disparities?"
Tuesday, Feb 25 @ UH	Matthew Grennan (UPenn Wharton) "Regulating Innovation with Uncertain Quality: Information, Risk and Access in Medical Devices"
Tuesday, March 4 @ UH	Andrea Szabo and Gergely Ujhelyi (UH) "Can Information Reduce Nonpayment for Public Utilities? Experimental Evidence from South Africa"
Tuesday, March 11	UH spring break, no seminar scheduled
Tuesday, March 18 @ Rice Room 102	Kerwin Charles (U of Chicago Harris School) "Housing Booms, Labor Market Outcomes and Educational Attainment"
Tuesday, March 25 @ UH	Mark Stabile (U of Toronto) "Do Stimulant Medications Improve Educational and Behavioral Outcomes for Children with ADHD?"
Tuesday, April 1 @ Rice Room 102	Patrick Kline (UC Berkeley)--CANCELLED
Tuesday, April 8 @ UH	Craig Garthwaite (Northwestern) "Public Health Insurance, Labor Supply and Employment Lock"
Tuesday, April 15 @ Rice Rush Conference Room	Allan Collard-Wexler (NYU) "How Do Electricity Shortages Affect Productivity? Evidence from India"
Tuesday, April 22 @ Rice Rush Conference Room	Jason Lindo (Texas A&M) "Breaking the Link Between Legal Access to Alcohol and Motor Vehicle Accidents: Evidence from New South Wales"
Tuesday, April 29 @ UH	Nick Sanders (William & Mary) "Can Pollution Increase Land Productivity? Agriculture and the Incidence of the Acid Rain Program"

See <http://www.uh.edu/~achin/workshop/> for details and to download papers. Contact Professor Aimee Chin (achin@uh.edu) or Professor Richard Boylan (rboylan@rice.edu) for additional information.