MAER-Net Colloquium Hendrix College



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Thursday 15th - Saturday 17th September 2016



Thursday, September 15, 2016 {Participants Arrive}		
15:30 - 16:45	(Lecture Hall C, Mills Center - Hendrix Campus)	
	Introduction to Meta-Analysis: Tom Stanley	
18:30 - 20:30	(Mills Library - Hendrix Campus) Opening Reception	
19:00 - 20:00	(Lecture Hall B, Mills Center - Hendrix Campus) Public Lecture: Carter Price (RAND): "Inequality of income and opportunity"	



Friday, September 16, 2016			
{Keynote speech	{Keynote speeches: 35 minutes; Papers: 20 min.; Methods: 15 min; Discussions: 5 min}		
08:00 -	Registration: Worsham Hall (Room 172) Student Life and Technology Center (SLTC)		
08:45 - 09:00	Welcome Address – Bill Tsutsui, President of Hendrix College		
09:00 - 10:30	Plenary Session I: SLTC Worsham Hall (Chair: Megan de Linde Leonard)		
	Heterogeneity in the European Monetary Union – Keynote Andrew Rose University of California, Berkeley, US Best estimate selection bias: Value of a statistical life W. Kip Viscusi Vanderbilt University, Vanderbilt Law School, US Understanding bias across disciplines: A multi-level meta-meta-regression		
10:30 - 10:45	Daniele Fanelli Stanford University; METRICS, US Break		
10:45 - 12:30	Parallel Session Ia: SLTC Worsham Hall (Chair: Carter Price)		
	The rational economist as policy advisor: A model Martin Paldam Aarhus University, Denmark Travel and the built environment: A meta-regression analysis Mark R. Stevens University of British Columbia, Canada Poverty and natural disasters: A meta-regression analysis Azreen Karim Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand The paradox of plenty: A meta-regression analysis Magali Dauvin Université Paris Ouest Nanterre la Défense, France		
10:45 - 12:30	Parallel Session Ib: Mills Library: Finance (Chair: Mehmet Ugur) Socially responsible investing and financial performance: A critical reevaluation Patrice Laroche Université de Lorraine, France Publication selection bias in bank loan financing? Natalia Nehrebecka and Aneta Dzik-Walczak Uniwersytet Warszawski, Poland Does financial education impact financial behavior, and if so, when? Tim Kaiser German Institute for Economic Research (DIW Berlin) Determinants of cash holdings: Evidence from meta-regression J. Felix Weidemann University of Cologne, Germany		
12:30 - 13:40	Lunch - Student Life and Technology Center – Cafeteria		
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13:40 - 15:20	Plenary Session II: SLTC Worsham Hall (Chair: Robert Johnston)
	Inequality of income and opportunity
	Francisco Perez-Arce RAND, US
	The impact of healthcare spending on health outcomes: A meta-regression
	Chris Doucouliagos Deakin University, Australia
	Revisiting the education and growth relationship: Multilevel MRA model
	Denise Hawkes UCL Institute of Education, London UK
	R&D and productivity: A hierarchical meta-regression analysis
	Mehmet Ugur University of Greenwich, Business School, UK
15:20 - 15:40	Break
15:40 - 17:20	Parallel Session IIa: SLTC Worsham Hall (Chair: Robert Reed)
	The impact of financial transaction tax: A meta-analysis
	Gunther Capelle-Blancard Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, FR
	Taxes and economic growth in OECD countries: A meta-regression analys
	Nazila Alinaghi, University of Canterbury, New Zealand
	Corporate tax competition: A meta-analysis
	Nikol Labikova, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic
	The impact of social security contributions on employment. A meta-analysi
	Vicente Royuela University of Barcelona, Spain
15:40 - 17:20	Parallel Session IIb: Mills Library: Psychology (Chair: Leslie Templeton
	Endogenous peer effects: Fact or fiction?
	Ryan Yeung Hunter College, US
	Another look at choice overload: Re-analyzing a meta-analysis
	Gabriel Gonzales Pennsylvania State University, US
	Meta-analytic tests of the depletion effect: Self-control does not seem to rel
	on a limited resource
	Evan Carter University of Minnesota, US
	The effect of electronic word of mouth on sales: A meta-analytic review
10.00 20.20	Ana Babić Rosario University of Denver, US
19:00 - 20:30	Dinner – Student Life and Technology Center – Hendrix Campus



Saturday, September 17	
8:30 - 9:00	MAER-Net Open Forum
9:00 - IO:30	Plenary Session III: SLTC Worsham Hall (Chair: Geoff Pugh)
	Challenges of using meta-regression analysis for environmental
	benefit transfer - Keynote
	Robert J. Johnston Clark University; George Perkins Marsh Institute
	Do consumers really follow a rule of thumb? 3,000 estimates from 130
	studies say "Probably Not"
	Anna Sokolova Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia
	R&D subsidies or R&D tax credits? A comparative meta-regression analysis
10.20 10.45	Geoff Pugh Staffordshire University, Centre for Applied Business Research
10:30 - 10:45	Break
10:45 - 12:30	Parallel Session IIIa: SLTC Worsham Hall (Chair: Ichiro Iwasaki)
	Did business and correlation increase within the EU?
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	Results from meta-analysis Iikka Korhonen, Bank of Finland, Helsinki
	A meta-analysis and the elasticity of trade with respect to trade costs
	Petr Polak Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic
	Settling the inflation targeting debate: A meta-regression analysis
	Wenéyam Balima University of Auvergne, France
	A meta-analysis on field experiments on ethnic discrimination in the housing
	market
	Andreas Schneck University of Munich, Germany
10:45 - 12:30	Parallel Session IIIb: Mills Library: Meta-Research @ Hendrix
	(Chair: Randall Rosenberger)
	The baby penalty: A meta-regression analysis
	Megan de Linde Leonard Hendrix College, US
	Did Malthus have it right? A meta-regression of the effects of population on
	the economy
	Jared Carver Hendrix College, US
	Foreign direct investment and economic growth: Re-analyzing a meta-
	analysis
	Chirag Lala Hendrix College, US
	Using meta-regression to accommodate multiple sources of bias: Nicotine
	replacement therapy
	Shelby Massey Oklahoma State University, College of Medicine, US
12:30 - 13:40	Lunch - Student Life and Technology Center - Cafeteria



Saturday, September 17 - Continued		
13:40 - 15:20	Plenary Session IV: SLTC Worsham Hall: Statistical Methods	
	(Chair: Chris Doucouliagos)	
	Conducting meta-analyses based on p-values: Reservations and recommendations.	
	Robbie C. M. van Aert Tilburg University, Netherlands	
	Meta-Analysis of Multiple Treatments Experiments	
	Samuel D. Zapata Texas A&M University, US	
	Snapshot Bayesian meta-analysis	
	H.E.M. Augusteijn Tilburg University, Netherlands	
	An analysis of the FAT-PET-PEESE procedure	
	W. Robert Reed, University of Canterbury, New Zealand	
	Strengths and limitations of PET-PEESE and other meta-analysis tests and estimators	
	Tom Stanley, Hendrix College, US	
15:20 - 15:40	Break	
15:40 - 17:20	Parallel Session IVa: SLTC Worsham Hall (Chair: Joanna Tyrowicz)	
	Mother education and child outcomes: Evidence from meta-analysis	
	Sridevi Yerrabati Sohar University, Oman	
	Unions: Do they enhance or hurt employment and wage? A meta-analysis.	
	Georgios P. Giotis University of Ioannina and TEI of Epirus, Greece	
	Do incentive payments encourage innovation? A meta-analysis study	
	Zahra Lotfi Friedrich Schiller University, Germany	
	Is there really a gender promotion gap? A meta-analysis on 30 years of research	
	Constantin Schoen University of Zurich, Switzerland	
15:40 - 17:20	Parallel Session IVb: Mills Library: Development & Transition	
	(Chair: Martin Paldam)	
	Decline and growth in transition economies: A meta-analysis	
	Ichiro Iwasaki Hitotsubashi University, Tokyo, Japan	
	Technical inefficiency in organic and conventional agriculture: A meta-regression	
	Justice G. Djokoto Central University, Accra, Ghana	
	Revisiting the effect of regional integration on African trade: A meta-analytic review	
	Sylvanus Kwaku Afesorgbor Aarhus University, Denmark	
	Effects of human capital on agricultural efficiency in Africa: A meta-analysis	
	Kolawole Ogundari University of Delaware, US	
19:30 - 21:00	Dinner at Mike's Place-Front Street Conway starting at about 19:30	