6th Meeting of Trans-Pacific Labor Seminar

Date: December 17th - 18th, 2012

Place: Pacific Room, Hawaii Imin International Conference Center, East West Center

Day 1 (December 17th, 2012) 09:00- Van leaves Hotel New Otani		
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09:30-10:15	Speaker: Peter Kuhn (UC, Santa Barbara)	Are Women More Attracted to Team Incentives Than Men? (with Marie Claire Villeval)
10:15-11:00	Speaker: Hiroko Okudaira (Okayama University)	Older Sisters and Younger Brothers:The Impact of Siblings on Preferences for Competitions (with Yusuke Kinari, Noriko Mizutani, Fumio Ohtake, and Akira Kawaguchi)
11:00-11:15		Break
11:15-12:00	Speaker: Timothy Halliday (University of Hawaii, Manoa	Unemployment and Mortality: Evidence from the PSID
12:00-13:30	Lunch Meeting	
13:30-14:15	Speaker: Kathryn Shaw (Stanford University)	Multi-tasking and Teams: the Role of Incentives
14:15-15:00	Speaker: Hideo Owan (The University of Tokyo)	Dynamics of the Gender Gap in the Workplace: An econometric case study of a large Japanese firm (with Takao Kato and Daiji Kawaguchi)
15:00-15:30	Break	
15:30-16:15	Speaker: Hodaka Morita (Univ. of New South Wales)	Product Market Competition, Labor Turnover, and Firm-Sponsored Training Theory and Evidence
16:15-17:00	Speaker: Masaru Sasaki (Osaka University)	Measuring the impact of natural disasters on income, social capital and happiness: A case of the 1995 Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake (with Fumio Ohtake, Naoko Okuyama, and Kengo Yasui)
17:00-17:45	Speaker: Kengo Yasui (Ritsumeikan University)	The Long Term Effects of the 1995 Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake on the Wage Distribution in Japan (with Fumio Ohtake, Naoko Okuyama and Masaru Sasaki)
18:00-		Van leaves the East West Center
19:00-		Reception
Day 2 (Decen	nber 18th, 2012)	
09:00-	Van leaves Hotel New Otani	
09:30-10:15	Speaker: Till Von Wachter (UC, Los Angeles)	The Effect of UI Extensions on Reemployment Wages
10:15-11:00	Speaker: Ryo Kambayashi (Hitotsubashi University)	Good jobs, Bad jobs, and the Great Recession: Lessons from Japan's Lost Decade (with Takao Kato)
11:00-11:15	Break	
11:15-12:00	Speaker: Edward Lazear (Stanford University)	Making Do with Less
12:00-13:30	Lunch Meeting	
13:30-14:15	Speaker: Daiji Kawaguchi (Hitotsubashi University)	Fewer School days, More Inequality
14:15-15:00	Speaker: Marjorie Pajaron (Stanford University)	Remittances, Informal Loans, and Assets as Risk-Coping Mechanisms :Evidence from Agricultural Households in Rural Philippines
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