

## **Schedule for the Northeast Ohio Economics Workshop 2009:**

**Registration: 8:30-9:15**

**Session 1: Health Economics 9:15-10:45**

**Session Chair: Myong-Hun Chang (Cleveland State University)**

*Title:* “Health Insurance Cost and Premium Sharing”

*Authors:* Francesco Renna (University of Akron) and **Vasilios D. Kosteas (Cleveland State University)**.

*Title:* “Social Network and Weight Misperception among Adolescents”

*Authors:* **Mir M. Ali (University of Toledo)**, Aliaksandr Amialchuk (University of Toledo) and Francesco Renna (University of Akron).

**Session 2: Public Economics 9:15-10:45**

**Session Chair: Sebastien Buttet (Cleveland State University)**

*Title:* “The Effect of Location Based Tax Incentives on Establishment Location and Employment: Is there a Differential Impact Across Industry Sectors?”

*Authors:* Adrew Hanson (Georgia State University) and **Shawn Rohlin (University of Akron)**.

*Title:* “Discouraged workers and taxes: an empirical analysis of the US”

*Authors:* **Amyaz Moledina (College of Wooster)** and Russell Ormiston (College of Wooster).

**Break 10:45-11:00**

**Session 3: Economics of Crime, 11:00-12:30**

**Session Chair: Myong-Hun Chang (Cleveland State University)**

“The Effect of Plant Closure on Crime,” Mari Rege (Stavenger University, Torbjørn Skardhamar (Statistics Norway), Kjetil Telle (Statistics Norway) and **Mark Votruba (Case Western Reserve University)**.

“The Effect of High Concentration Public Housing on Crime, Construction, and Home Prices: Evidence from Demolitions in Chicago,” **Daniel A. Hartley (UC Irvine)**.

**Session 4: Productivity, 11:00-12:30**

**Session Chair: Sebastien Buttet (Cleveland State University)**

*Title:* “Forecasting IP: Gains from Disaggregating”

*Authors:* **Dandan Liu (Kent State University)**

*Title:* “Cross-border Activities, Human Capital and Efficiency: A Stochastic Frontier Analysis for OECD Countries”

*Authors:* **Sucharita Ghosh (University of Akron)** and Camilla Mastromarco (University of Salento).

**Lunch 12:30-2:00**

**Session 5: Education Economics 2:00-3:30**

**Session Chair: Vasilios D. Kosteas (Cleveland State University)**

*Title:* “Athletic Spending, Uncertainty, and Fan Interest: Evidence from College Football”

*Authors:* **Matthew D. Henry (Cleveland State University)**.

*Title:* “The Changing Nature of Community College Enrollment”

*Authors:* Michael Lovenheim (Cornell University) and **Lockwood Reynolds (Kent State University)**.

**Session 6: Applied Micro 2:00-3:30**

**Session Chair: Murat Tasci (Cleveland Federal Reserve Bank)**

*Title:* “Electoral Turnover and Accountability of Elected Officials”

*Authors:* **Yogesh Uppal (Youngstown State University)** and Amihai Glazer (UC Irvine).

*Title:* “Context Effects in a Negative Externality Experiment”

*Authors:* Kent D. Messer (University of Delaware), Jubo Yan (University of Delaware) and **Jordan F. Suter (Oberlin College)**.