5th Annual Doctoral Workshop in Applied Econometrics

Ottawa-Carleton Graduate School of Economics

University of Ottawa & Carleton University

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Location: University of Ottawa - Faculty of Social Sciences (FSS) 9003

9:15 – 9:30 - Opening Remarks
9:30 – 11:00 - Session I
An Experimental Test of Portfolio Choice with Non-tradable Risk
Diego Pulido (McGill University and CIRANO)
Discussant: Matt Webb (Carleton University)

Student Aid and the Distribution of Educational Attainment Maggie E.C. Jones (Queen's University) Discussant: Abel Brodeur (University of Ottawa) **10:45 – 11:15 - Coffee**

11:15 - 12:00 - Session II

New Measures of Canadian Monetary Policy Shocks and Their Effects James McNeil (Queen's University) Discussant: Abeer Reza (Bank of Canada)

12:00 - 1:30 - Lunch

1:30 - 3:00 - Session III

Confidence sets for inequality measures: Fieller-type methods Abdallah Zalghout (Carleton University) Discussant: Brennan Thompson (Ryerson University)

The Cross-predictability of Industry Returns in International Financial Markets Xin Wang (University of Toronto) Discussant: Lynda Khalaf (Carleton University)

3:00 – 3:15 - Coffee 3:15 – 4:45 - Session IV

Ranking Efficiency in Commodity Futures Market Ehsan Fazel (Concordia University) Discussant: Martin Burda (University of Toronto)

Non-Transferable Skills and the Wage Gap Between Immigrants with Canadian vs. Foreign Education Nick Manuel (University of Guelph) Discussant: Matt Webb (Carleton University)