Participants are given 40 minutes to present their papers, each discussant is allotted 7.5 minutes, and 15 minutes is allotted for general discussion.

**Friday, September 19, 2014**

8:30–9:00 a.m.  Breakfast (at conference venue)

9:00–10:10 a.m.  “Agglomeration: A Dynamic Approach”
William Walker Hanlon, UCLA
Antonio Miscio, Columbia University

Discussants:  Alex Whalley, UC Merced
Ben Faber, UC Berkeley

10:10–10:25 a.m.  Coffee Break

Stephen Redding, Princeton University
Pablo Fajgelbaum, UCLA

Discussants:  Donald Davis, Columbia University
Thomas Holmes, University of Minnesota

11:35–11:50 a.m.  Coffee Break

11:50–1:00 p.m.  “Gross Migration, Housing, and Urban Population Dynamics”
Morris Davis, Rutgers University
Jonas Fisher, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
Marcelo Veracierto, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

Discussants:  Gilles Duranton, University of Pennsylvania
Edward Glaeser, Harvard University

1:00–2:15 p.m.  Lunch (at conference venue)
2:15–3:25 p.m.  “Spatial Patterns and Size Distributions of Cities”
Tomoya Mori, Kyoto University
Wen-Tai Hsu, Singapore Management University
Tony Smith, University of Pennsylvania
Discussants: Jens Suedekum, Heinrich-Heine University Dusseldorf
Jonathan Dingel, University of Chicago

3:25–3:40 p.m.  Coffee Break

3:40–4:50 p.m.  “Is Climate Change Driving Urbanization in Africa?”
Adam Storeygard, Tufts University
Vernon Henderson, LSE
Uwe Deichmann, World Bank
Discussants: Stephen Ross, University of Connecticut
Pierre-Philippe Combes, GREQAM

4:50–5:05 p.m.  Coffee Break

5:05–6:15 p.m.  “Equilibrium and Optimal Urban Systems with Heterogeneous Land”
Frederic Robert-Nicoud, University of Geneva
Kristian Behrens, UQAM
Discussants: David Albouy, UIUC
Klaus Desmet, Universidad Carlos III

7:00 p.m.  Dinner at The Dorrance (mezzanine level)
Saturday, September 20, 2014

8:30–9:00 a.m.  Breakfast (at conference venue)

9:00–10:10 a.m.  “Natural Amenities, Neighborhood Dynamics, and Persistence in the Spatial Distribution of Income”
Sanghoon Lee, University of British Columbia
Jeffrey Lin, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

Discussants:  Jan Brueckner, UC Irvine
Daniel Sturm, LSE

10:10–10:25 a.m.  Coffee Break

10:25–11:35 a.m.  “Admitting Students to Selective Education Programs: Merit, Profiling, and Affirmative Action”
Holger Sieg, University of Pennsylvania
Dennis Epple, Carnegie Mellon University
Dario Cestau, Carnegie Mellon University

Discussants:  Henry Overman, LSE
Kurt Schmidheiny, Universitat Basel

11:35–11:50 a.m.  Coffee Break

11:50–1:00 p.m.  “A Tractable Circular City Model with Endogenous Internal Structure”
Satyajit Chatterjee, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia
Burcu Eyigungor, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

Discussants:  Marcus Berliant, Washington University
Maisy Wong, University of Pennsylvania

1:00–2:00 p.m.  Lunch (at conference venue)