Northwestern Institute on Complex Systems



Complexity Conference

March 28-29, 2007

Seating is limited and registration is required; for more information, see http://www.northwestern.edu/nico/complexity-conference/

Wednesday, March 28, 2007

1:00-1:30 p.m. Registration

1:30-1:45 p.m. Welcome

1:45-4:15 p.m.

Networks and Chains Suppliers and Customers

David Simchi-Levi, MIT Duncan Watts, Columbia

4:15-4:45 p.m. Break

4:45-5:30 p.m. Student Presentations

Thursday, March 29, 2007

8:30-9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m.-12:45 p.m. **Cortical Neural Circuits** Structure and Function

Marcus Kaiser, Newcastle Dietmar Plenz, NIH Ivan Soltesz, UC Irvine

12:45-2:00 p.m. Lunch

1:15-2:00 p.m. Poster Session

2:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m.

Firms and Markets

Robert Axtell, George Mason J. Doyne Farmer, Santa Fe Institute Felix Reed-Tsochas. Oxford

The Northwestern Institute on Complex Systems is offering students a chance to present their work at the conference. (For relevant topics, please view the NICO web site.) A two-page abstract (in pdf format) should be submitted via e-mail by March 9, 2007 to complexity-conference@northwestern.edu. Abstracts chosen by a selection committee will be asked to give a brief presentation. Nine finalists will be chosen: six will be invited to display posters at the conference and will be awarded \$100; the top three submissions will be invited to present their work orally and will receive \$300.