



HELP Workshop 2023

Sponsored by the Department of Economics & Monash Business School

Workshop Program – December 11 & 12, 2023

All sessions will be held in the Sky room at Monash University's CBD location: Level 14, 30 Collins St. Melbourne, VIC 3000. Each presenter will have 30 minutes followed by a 15-minute Q & A.

| Monday, December 11 (9am-5pm) | |
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| 8:45-9:00am Registration & Coffee | |
| 9:00-9:05am Welcome | |
| 9:10-10:40 am Session 1: Public | Chair: Deborah Cobb-Clark (University of Sydney) |
| Paper | Presenter |
| <i>Early Pension Withdrawal as Stimulus</i> | Steve Hamilton (George Washington University) |
| <i>Welfare Program Spillovers</i> | Claudio Labanca (Monash University) |
| 10:40-11am Break & Refreshments | |
| 11:00-12:30pm Session 2: Labour I | Chair: Gordon Dahl (UC San Diego) |
| Paper | Presenter |
| <i>Does Better Information Reduce Gender Discrimination in the Technology Industry?</i> | Ash Craig (ANU) |
| <i>CEO Gender Bias in the Formation of Firm-to-Firm Transactions</i> | Hitoshi Shigeoka (University of Tokyo) |
| 12:30-1:15pm Lunch | |
| 1:15-2:20pm Keynote Address: Lesley Turner (University of Chicago) | |
| 2:20-2:35pm Break & Refreshments | |
| 2:35-5:00pm Session 3: Health | Chair: Susan Mendez (University of Melbourne) |
| Paper | Presenter |
| <i>Disentangling Sources of Variation in C-Section Rates</i> | Corey White (Monash University) |
| <i>Getting a Second Chance? Prenatal Health Shocks and Access to Infant Health Care</i> | Chris Karbownik (Emory University) |
| <i>Water Works: Causes and Consequences of Safe Drinking Water in America</i> | David Molitor (University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign) |

Note: A small workshop dinner will be held from 6-9pm on December 11th for workshop presenters and session chairs.

Tuesday, December 12 (9am-12:30pm)**9:00-10:30am Session 4: Education****Chair: Stefanie Fischer (Monash University)**

| Paper | Presenter |
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| <i>Rethinking the Gender Wage Gap: Education Performance, Firm Sorting and Earnings Growth Dynamics</i> | Silvia Griselda (e61 Institute, Sydney) |
| <i>Longer-Term Effects of Teachers: Evidence from a Random Assignment of Teachers to Students</i> | Rigissa Megalokonomou (Monash University) |

10:30-10:50am Break & Morning Tea**10:50-12:20pm Session 5: Labour II****Chair: Pom Chirakijja (Monash University)**

| Paper | Presenter |
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| <i>Labor Market Shocks and Wealth Accumulation</i> | Kaveh Majlesi (Monash University) |
| <i>Wage and Employment Effects of Wage Subsidies</i> | Maxime Gravoueille (Monash University) |