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BROWN BAG

DATE AND TIME (PST)	SPEAKER	TITLE OF TALK	LOCATION
Monday, December 4, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ASHLESHA DATAR AND LIZHONG LIU** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** Neighborhood Revitalization and Crime: A Case Study of the Jordan Downs Redevelopment	VPD 203 and Zoom
Monday, October 23, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MARCO ANGRISANI** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** Brain Games in the Wild: An Experiment with Cognitive Training in a Population-Representative Panel	VPD 203 and Zoom
Monday, October 9, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**YING LIU** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** Bitter Melon… with a Sweet Finish? Impact of Adding an Easy Ending to a Challenging Cognitive Test	VPD 203 and Zoom
Monday, October 2, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**GRIGORY FRANGURIDI** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** Estimation of panels with attrition and refreshment samples - with Jinyong Hahn, Pierre Hoonhout, Arie Kapteyn, and Geert Ridder	VPD 203 and Zoom
Wednesday, September 13, 2023 12:15 pm – 1:00 pm	**EMMA NICHOLS** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** Associations between air pollution and socio-economic status in India: challenges with the construction of community-level metrics for socio-economic status	VPD 203 and Zoom
Monday, August 21, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ERIK MEIJER** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** How should we measure the cost of dementia?	VPD 203 and Zoom

Monday, March 27, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**YADIRA GARCIA, ANGELICA HERNANDEZ, MARIA JIMENEZ-ORTIZ, AND EVA ORTEGA** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** Lost in Translation: Designing Your Surveys So You Can Overcome Language Barriers	VPD 203 and Zoom
Monday, March 20, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SILVIA BARCELLOS & JACK CHAPEL** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Why is high cognition protective of the risk of COVID-19 infections? The role of subjective risk perceptions and protective health behaviors	VPD 203 and Zoom
Monday, March 13, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**FRANCISCO PEREZ-ARCE** *CESR East*	**Brown Bag** Job Loss During the Pandemic: How the Safety Net Mitigated Adverse Well-Being Effects	Zoom and VPD LL101 (Lower Level Classroom)
Monday, February 13, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**EVAN SANDLIN** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Emotions and Elections: Mapping the Emotional State of Voters After the 2020 Election Using Ecological Momentary Assessment	VPD 203 and Zoom
Monday, January 23, 2023 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ITALO GARCIA LOPEZ AND JILL LUOTO** *USC*	**Brown Bag** But what happens next? Examining the sustained impacts of a group-based parenting intervention on parenting behaviors and early child development in rural Kenya	Zoom and VPD 203
Monday, January 9, 2023 12:00 pm	**DRYSTAN PHILLIPS** *USC*	**Brown Bag** SLACK tutorial	Zoom
Monday, November 7, 2022 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SIMONE SCHANER** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Worth the Effort? The Impact of Woman-Led Auditing on the Social Protection Provision in India	VPD 302 & Zoom
Monday, September 26, 2022 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**KYLA THOMAS** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Structural Classism: A New Framework for Understanding the Social Gradient in Health	VPD 302 & Zoom
Monday, September 19, 2022 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**STEVEN DE LA TORRE** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Exploring the experience of engagement with a year-long digital physical activity intervention (HeartSteps II): A novel mixed methods approach	VPD 302 & Zoom
Monday, August 29, 2022 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ARIE KAPTEYN** *USC*	**Brown Bag** What is the Optimal Time to Spend on a Survey Question?	VPD 302 & Zoom
Monday, August 22, 2022 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**FRANCISCO PEREZ-ARCE** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Musings on Subjective Longevity Expectations after Covid-19. Pilot results and plans for future work	Zoom

Sunday, January 23, 2022 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ITALO GARCIA LOPEZ AND JILL LUOTO** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** TBD	Zoom and VPD 203
Thursday, September 23, 2021 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**FRANCISCO PEREZ-ARCE** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Learning about policy preferences through surveys and experiments in the UAS	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, September 16, 2021 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**KATHLEEN MULLEN** *RAND*	**Brown Bag** The Value of Working Conditions in the United States and Implications for the Structure of Wages	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, April 29, 2021 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**MARGY GATZ** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Ascertaining Prevalent Dementia and Mild Cognitive Impairment in Indigenous Bolivian Tsimane and Moseten	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, March 25, 2021 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**DAVE KNAPP**	**Brown Bag** Public Pension Design and Household Retirement Decisions: Cross-Country Comparisons of the United States and Germany	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, March 18, 2021 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SCOTT A. LORCH**	**Brown Bag** Methods to deal with selection bias in studies of perinatal health care delivery	https://usc.zoom.us/j/94572091858
Thursday, February 25, 2021 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**DAN BENNETT**	**Brown Bag** The Economic Impact of Mental Health Care in India	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, February 18, 2021 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**KYLA THOMAS**	**Brown Bag** When Disney Came to Broadway: Assessing the Impact of Corporatization in an Art World	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, January 14, 2021 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**JUAN SAAVEDRA**	**Brown Bag** Economics of Education Reform in Colombia	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, December 10, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**SIMONE SCHANER** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Understanding Impacts of Financial Services on Women's Lives: A Mixed Methods Approach in Kenya	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, December 3, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**ANNA SAAVEDRA**	**Brown Bag** UAS Education Research	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode

Thursday, November 19, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**JEREMY BURKE**	**Brown Bag** The Effects of Financial Education on Financial Well-being	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, November 12, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**SILVIA BARCELLOS**	**Brown Bag** Tracking the Well-Being of a Cohort of Seniors During the COVID-19 Pandemic	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, October 29, 2020 12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	**JILL DARLING**	**Brown Bag** Experiences with the CESR daybreak poll	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, October 22, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**STEFAN SCHNEIDER**	**Brown Bag** What survey response behaviors can tell us about cognitive status	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, October 8, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**LEANDRO CARVALHO**	**Brown Bag** The Great Equalizer? Compulsory Schooling, Early-Life Disadvantages, and Later-life SES	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, October 1, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**SARAH VELASCO** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Leadership: How anyone can (and should) be a leader	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, September 24, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**HAOMIAO JIN** *USC*	**Brown Bag** "Opportunities of Using Deep Learning and MCMC in Research"	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, September 17, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**DRYSTAN PHILLIPS AND ABHISHEK KARMAKAR** *USC*	**Brown Bag** "Tools & Applications for Team Collaboration"	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, September 10, 2020 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	**ARIE KAPTEYN** *USC*	**Brown Bag** “What the UAS is doing with COVID”	Zoom - Contact pawanahu@usc.edu for link and passcode
Thursday, February 20, 2020 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**KAREN LEVY**	**Brown Bag** School-Based Deworming: from evidence to impact at scale	VPD 302
Thursday, February 6, 2020 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SHERVIN ASSARI** *Charles R. Drew University of Medicine and Science*	**Brown Bag** Marginalization-related diminished returns of socioeconomic resources and psychological assets on health and well-being of Americans people	VPD 302

Thursday, December 5, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**RICARDO BASURTO-DAVILA & MARK GRENINGER**	**Brown Bag** LA County CIO Office Talk Title TBD	VPD 106
Thursday, November 21, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ROBERT KAESTNER** *University of Chicago*	**Brown Bag** "Education and Health Over the Life Cycle"	VPD 302
Thursday, November 14, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:15 pm	**NICOLAU MARTIN BASSOLS, PHD CANDIDATE** *Monash University*	**Brown Bag** "Work Activities, Cognitive Reserve and Dementia"	VPD 302
Thursday, October 24, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**URVASHI JAIN** *Postdoctoral Scholar at the Center for Economic and Social Research, University of Southern California*	**Brown Bag** "Early-life Exposure to Malaria Eradication and Later-life Cognition: Evidence from India"	VPD 302
Thursday, October 17, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**CHRISTINE HO** *Singapore Management University*	**Brown Bag** “Strategic Parent Meets Prodigal Child? Parental Intended Bequests and Child Support”	VPD 302
Thursday, August 22, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ANYA SAMEK** *USC*	**Brown Bag** "Do Thank-You Calls Increase Charitable Giving? Expert Forecasts and Field Experimental Evidence"	VPD 302
Thursday, May 16, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**BEATRICE BOUTCHENIK** *Université Paris-Dauphine*	**Brown Bag** Beatrice Boutchenik Talk Title TBA	VPD 302
Thursday, April 25, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MARIA JOSE PRADOS** *USC*	**Brown Bag** “Subjective Expectations, Social Security Benefits, and Savings Behavior”	VPD 302
Thursday, April 18, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**VICTORIA BARANOV** *University of Melbourne*	**Brown Bag** "Maternal Depression, Women’s Empowerment, and Parental Investment: Evidence from a Randomized Control Trial"	VPD 302
Thursday, April 4, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**NEERAJ KAUSHAL** *Columbia University*	**Brown Bag** "Blaming Immigrants: Nationalism and the Economics of Global Movement"	VPD 302

Thursday, February 28, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MATS KOSTER** *Düsseldorf Institute for Competition Economics (DICE)*	**Brown Bag** "Salience and Skewness Preferences“ (joint with Markus Dertwinkel-Kalt)	VPD 302
Thursday, February 14, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ENRICO DIECIDUE** *European Institute of Business Administration (INSEAD)*	**Brown Bag** "Between-prospects comparisons: Regret Theory and Probability Dominance"	VPD 302
Thursday, January 24, 2019 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**HENRY FARBER** *Princeton University*	**Brown Bag** "How Important are Right-to-Work Laws? Free-Riding and the Decline of Unions in the U.S."	VPD 203
Thursday, May 10, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MARTA LACHOWSKA** *W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research*	**Brown Bag** TBAHealth insurance literacy and health insurance choices: Evidence from Affordable Care Act navigator programs	VPD 302
Thursday, May 3, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MATTHEW D. SHAPIRO** *University of Michigan*	**Brown Bag** SeaTE: Subjective ex ante Treatment Effect of Health on Retirement	VPD 302
Thursday, April 26, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MARTINA VIARENGO** *Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva*	**Brown Bag** TBA	VPD 302
Thursday, April 19, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**JOANA NARITOMI** *London School of Economics*	**Brown Bag** Unemployment Insurance Schemes and Consumption: Evidence from Brazil	VPD 302
Thursday, April 5, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**REBECCA MYERSON** *The Schaeffer Center*	**Brown Bag** TBAHealth insurance literacy and health insurance choices: Evidence from Affordable Care Act navigator programs	VPD 302
Thursday, March 29, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ROBERT BOZICK** *RAND*	**Brown Bag** The Effect of Restrictive State Policies on Undocumented Immigrants in the United States	VPD 302
Thursday, March 8, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ERIK MEIJER** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** An introduction to instrumental variables for non-economists	VPD 302

Thursday, March 1, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**TOBIAS ROSSMANN** *Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich*	**Brown Bag** Personal experiences and gasoline price expectations	VPD 302
Thursday, January 18, 2018 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**LEANDRO CARVALHO** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Income Volatility, Uncertainty, and Psychological Health	VPD 203
Thursday, November 30, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**BERNADETTE MCGUINNESS** *Queen's University Belfast*	**Brown Bag** Inflammation and Alzheimer's disease	VPD 302
Thursday, November 9, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MINGMING MA** *Econ, USC*	**Brown Bag** Does Children's Education Matter for Parents' Health and Cognition in Old Age?	VPD 302
Thursday, November 2, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SEUNGWOO CHIN** *Econ, USC*	**Brown Bag** The Heterogeneous Tracking Effects on Students' Performance: Evidence from South Korea	VPD 302
Thursday, October 19, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**TUSHAR BHARATI** *USC, Econ*	**Brown Bag** Recovery from early life shocks: Evidence from Indonesia	VPD 302
Thursday, October 12, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MARTA WALENTYNOWICZ** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** The basics of MTurk	VPD 302
Thursday, September 28, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SANDRA ROZO** *USC Marshall*	**Brown Bag** How do Refugees affect Businesses in Developing Countries? The Case of Syrian Refugees in Turkey	VPD 302
Thursday, September 21, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**DAVID DEVAULT** *USC, Department of Computer Science / Anticipant Speech, Inc*	**Brown Bag** Toward Fluid Conversational Interaction in Spoken Dialogue Systems	VPD 302
Thursday, September 14, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**JUAN SAAVEDRA** *CESR*	**Brown Bag** Overcoming informational and behavioral obstacles in access to tertiary education	VPD 302
Thursday, August 31, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MONICA PEREZ JOLLES** *USC School of Social Work*	**Brown Bag** Addressing Heterogeneity in the Evaluation of Healthcare Delivery Interventions: Patient-Centered Medical Home as a Complex Intervention	VPD 302

Thursday, June 1, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**DAN BENNETT** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Socioeconomic Status and the Impact of Mental Health Care	VPD 302
Thursday, May 25, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SERENA RHEE** *RAND*	**Brown Bag** Measuring the Effects of Employment Protection Policies: Theory and Evidence from the Americans with Disabilities Act	VPD 302
Thursday, May 11, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**WELMOED VAN DEEN** *Schaeffer CenterClinical Fellow, USC*	**Brown Bag** The development of a preference-weighted symptom score for cost-effectiveness comparisons in a quality collaborative for inflammatory bowel diseases	VPD 302
Thursday, May 4, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**DONNA SPRUIJT-METZ** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Using Cyberphysical Systems and Virtual Humans for Just-In-Time, Adaptive Health Interventions	VPD 302
Wednesday, May 3, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ALEX REES-JONES** *The University of Pennsylvania*	**Brown Bag** Strategic Sophistication in Strategy-Proof Matching Environments: Evidence from Large-Scale Surveys of Medical Students	VPD 302
Thursday, April 27, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ASHLESHA DATAR** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Is Obesity Contagious? Evidence from a Natural Experiment	VPD 302
Thursday, April 20, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**SARAH AXEEN** *Schaeffer Center, USC*	**Brown Bag** Mental Health Transfers from the Emergency Department: The Impact of State Emergency Hold Laws on Rates of Discharge, Transfer, and Hospitalization	VPD 302
Thursday, April 6, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**DR. T. V. SEKHER** *International Institute for Population Sciences*	**Brown Bag** Addressing Gender Disparities through Conditional Cash Transfers: Assessment of Girl Child Programs in India	VPD 302
Thursday, March 23, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**STEFAN SCHNEIDER** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Extracting response styles from self-report scales	VPD 302
Thursday, March 9, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**LUCRECIA SANTIBAÑEZ** *Claremont Graduate University*	**Brown Bag** Effects of a Private Comprehensive Schooling Model on Low-income Children: Experimental Evidence from Mexico	VPD 203
Thursday, March 2, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**CHRISTIAN GROSE** *USC*	**Brown Bag** Social Lobbying	VPD 302

Thursday, February 2, 2017 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**REBECCA MARY MYERSON** *Schaeffer Center, USC*	**Brown Bag** Medicaid Expansions and Initiation of Treatment for Diabetes and Hypertension	VPD 302
Thursday, December 8, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**DOUGLAS BARTHOLD** *Schaeffer Center, USC*	**Brown Bag** Disparities in Alzheimer's disease drug therapy initiation, and associated effects on disease progression	VPD 302
Thursday, December 1, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**KYLA THOMAS** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Intersections of Race- and Class-Based Discrimination in the U.S. Labor Market	VPD 302
Thursday, November 17, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ERIK MEIJER, JINKOOK LEE, AND DAWOON JUNG (ECON)** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Heterogeneous effects of retirement on cognitive decline by occupation	VPD 302
Thursday, November 10, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**GWYN PAULEY** *Schaeffer Center, USC*	**Brown Bag** Lifetime Individual and Population Consequences of Early-life Access to Health Insurance with Étienne Gaudette & Julie Zissimopoulos	VPD 302
Thursday, November 3, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**ANYA SAMEK** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Towards an Understanding of What Works in Preschool Education	VPD 302
Tuesday, October 25, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**GEMA ZAMARRO** *University of Arkansas*	**Brown Bag** The Potential of Survey-Effort Measures to Proxy for Relevant Character Skills: Findings from the Understanding America Study	VPD 302
Thursday, October 20, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**DAN BENNETT** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** The Marriage Market for Lemons: HIV Testing and Marriage in Rural Malawi http://dornsife.usc.edu/assets/sites/1018/docs/marriage.pdf	VPD 302
Thursday, October 13, 2016 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	**MALLORY MONTGOMERY** *CESR, USC*	**Brown Bag** Reversing the Gender Gap in Life Satisfaction	VPD 302