

# Applied Micro Seminar Schedule Fall 2009

Department of Economics, Northwestern University

Note: The regular meeting time and place for the seminar is  
Friday, 3:30-5:00pm, Andersen 3245

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| September 23 | <b>John Vickers, Oxford</b><br>“A Model of Delegated Project Choice,” (joint with Mark Armstrong)<br>Joint meeting with M&S Seminar, 1:30-3:00, Leverone 619<br><b>Note different time, day, and location.</b> |
| September 25 | No seminar due to Searle/CSIO Antitrust Economics Conference   |
| October 2    | No seminar   |
| October 9    | <b>Ryan McDevitt, Northwestern</b><br>“Oligopolistic Competition in a Setting with Preference Externalities: The Case of Female Urologists”  |
| October 16   | <b>Paul Grieco, Northwestern</b><br>“Discrete Games with Flexible Information Structures: An Application to Local Grocery Markets”   |
| October 23   | <b>Ben Handel, Northwestern</b><br>“Adverse Selection and Choice Complexity in Health Insurance: When Nudging Hurts”   |
| October 30   | <b>Volker Nocke, Oxford</b><br>“Vertical Relations under Credit Constraints,” (joint with John Thanassoulis)   |
| November 6   | No seminar due to Nemmers Prize Conference and Duke/Texas/Northwestern IO Theory Conference  |
| November 13  | <b>Kai-Uwe Kuhn, Michigan</b><br>“Communication, Renegotiation, and the Scope for Collusion”   |
| November 20  | <b>Lanier Benkard, Yale</b><br>“Simulating the Dynamic Effects of Mergers: U.S. Airlines”  |
| November 27  | No seminar due to Thanksgiving   |
| December 4   | <b>Catherine Wolfram, UC Berkeley</b><br>TBA   |