



Celebration of Scholarship

Economics

Monday, September 8, 2025

**Location is Knight Management Center ([Link to Google Maps](#)), All times are in Pacific Time*

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| 9:00 am | Registration Opens
Please check in and pick up your name badge at Town Square. |
| 9:30 am - 10:15 am | Causal Inference under Interference through Designed Markets
Evan Munro , Assistant Professor of Econometrics and Statistics at the University of Chicago |
| 10:15 am - 10:45 am | Break |
| 10:45 am - 11:30 am | Rediscovery
Suraj Malladi , Assistant Professor of Managerial Economics & Decision Sciences at Northwestern University |
| 11:30 am - 12:15 pm | Equilibrium Existence in First-Price Auctions with Private Values
Ron Siegel , Professor of Economics at Penn State University |
| 12:15 pm - 1:45 pm | Lunch |
| 1:45 pm - 2:30 pm | Panel Discussion: Reflections on GSB Contributions to Economics Past and Future
Moderator
Garth Saloner , Botha-Chan Professor of Economics at Stanford GSB
Panelists
Mohammad Akbarpour , Walter and Elise Haas Professor at Stanford GSB
Susan Athey , The Economics of Technology Professor at Stanford GSB
David Kreps , Adams Distinguished Professor of Management at Stanford GSB |
| 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm | Where to Build Affordable Housing? Evaluating the Tradeoffs of Location
Cody Cook , Assistant Professor of Economics at Yale University |
| 3:15 pm - 3:45 pm | Break |



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3:45 pm - 4:30 pm

Data and Markups

Laura Veldkamp, Leon G. Cooperman Professor of Finance & Economics at Columbia University

4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

What Drives the Stock Market?

Andy Atkeson, Stanley M. Zimmerman Professor of Economics and Finance at the University of California, Los Angeles

5:15 pm - 8:00 pm

Celebration of Scholarship BBQ

Reconnect and socialize with fellow guests for a relaxed evening with food, drinks, and conversations as we kick off our celebration. All guests from the seven Academic Areas are invited to attend the BBQ.

6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Economics Social

A special social event exclusive to the Economics area.

Tuesday, September 9, 2025

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7:15 am

Registration Opens

If you have not checked in already, please pick up your name badge at Town Square.

7:30 am - 9:30 am

PhD Alumni Reunion Breakfast

Celebrate the GSB PhD alumni and connect across generations. This breakfast features a poster session highlighting the academic work of current PhD students. All guests from the seven Academic Areas are invited to attend the breakfast

9:40 am - 5:00 pm

Academic Area Sessions

Other academic areas will host their area-specific conference sessions. By invitation only.

5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Scholar's Academic Gala

Grand finale of the Celebration of Scholarship. Close the evening with a moment of inspiration and reflection. Dean Sarah A. Soule will honor the legacy of the Stanford GSB and look to the future. All guests from the seven Academic Areas are invited to attend.