



Celebration of Scholarship

Political Economy

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 - 9:40 am | Registration Opens Please check in and pick up your name badge at Town Square. |
| 9:40 am - 10:50 am | Session 1 - “Electoral Competition Through the State” Mike Ting , Professor of Political Science and Public Affairs at Columbia University |
| 10:50 am - 11:10 am | Break |
| 11:10 am - 12:20 pm | Session 2 - “Training for Transformation: Overcoming Barriers to Women’s Political Participation” Cecilia Hyunjung Mo , Judith E. Gruber Associate Professor of Political Science at the University of California, Berkeley |
| 12:20 pm - 12:40 pm | Reflections on Jon Bendor’s Work Moderators Ken Shotts , The David S. and Ann M. Barlow Professor of Political Economy and Professor of Political Science (by courtesy), School of Humanities and Sciences, at Stanford University Gregory Martin , Associate Professor of Political Economy at Stanford University |
| 12:40 pm - 2:00 pm | Lunch @ Town Square |
| 2:00 pm - 3:10 pm | Session 3 - “Ideology and Effective Lawmaking in American State Legislatures” Alan Wiseman , Cornelius Vanderbilt Professor of Political Economy and Professor of Political Science and Law at Vanderbilt University |
| 3:10 pm - 3:30 pm | Break |
| 3:30 pm - 4:40 pm | Session 4 - “How Well Do Voting Choice Policies Represent Public and Investor Preferences?” Zachary Peskowitz , Associate Professor of Political Science at Emory University |



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4:40 pm - 5:00 pm

Reflections on Keith Krehbiel's Work

Moderators

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Gregory Martin, Associate Professor of Political Economy at Stanford University

5:00 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.

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Political Economy Social

A special event exclusive to the Political Economy 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.