Duke University

Econometrics Jamboree
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Organized by: Hanming Fang, Shakeeb Khan and Barbara Rossi

Morning sessions: Social Sciences 111, Duke University

9:00-10:00  Rustam Ibragimov (Harvard), "Copulas and long memory" with George Lentzas

10:30-11:30  Azeem Shaikh (Chicago), “Inference with compromised randomization: the case of the perry preschool program”

11:30-2:00  Lunch

Afternoon sessions: Social Sciences 105, Duke University

2:00-3:00  Anna Mikusheva (MIT), “Robust confidence sets in the presence of weak instruments”

3:30-4:30  Andres Santos (UCSD), "Hoeffding Optimality of Empirical Likelihood, with Azeem Shaikh and Yuichi Kitamura

5:00-6:00  Yuriy Gorodnichenko (Berkeley), "Using firm optimization to evaluate and estimate returns to scale"

6:30  Dinner