

# WEGMANS CONFERENCE

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

November 13-14, 2004

**A great thanks to the Wallis Institute for financial support for the conference.**

**Friday, November 12, 2004**

**7:00 pm: DINNER at (TBA)**

**Saturday, November 13, 2004**

### **SESSION I**

9:15 am: Dror Goldberg: "Sectoral Shocks and Policy Responses in a Monetary Economy"

9:40 am: Adalbert Mayer: "Intergenerational Relationships over the Lifecycle and the Determination of Wages"

10:05 am: Samuel Danthine: "Business Turnover and the Search for Location"

**10:30 am - 10:45 am: Break**

10:45 am: Nezih Guner: "Endogenous Social Security"

11:10 am: Charles Leung: "Property Markets and Public Policy - Spillovers through Collateral Effect"

**12:15 pm – 1:45 pm: LUNCH at (TBA)**

### **SESSION II**

2:00 pm: Guillaume Vandenbrouke: "The American Frontier: a Hundred Years of Western Settlement"

2:25 pm: Marla Ripoll: "Agriculture, Aggregation, and Development Accounting"

2:50 pm: Rui Castro: "Legal Institutions, Sectoral Heterogeneity, and Economic Development"

**3:15 pm - 3:30 pm: Break**

3:30 pm: Jianjun Miao: "TBA"

3:55 pm: Rui Albuquerque: "Why is there a Home Bias?"

**4:20 pm - 5:05 pm – SENIOR SPEAKER: Michele Boldrin  
"TBA"**

**6:00 pm – 8:00 pm: SOCCER at the Field House**

**8:30 pm: DINNER at (TBA)**

**Sunday, November 14, 2004**

**SESSION III**

9:15 am: Aysegul Sahin: “On the Welfare Effect of Cyclical Policies under Incomplete Markets and Labor Market Frictions”

9:40 am: Burhan Kuruscu: “The Effect of Minimum Wages on Employment and Training”

10:05 am: Toshihiko Mukoyama: “Learning-by-Doing and Persistence of the Business Cycle”

**10:30 am - 10:45 am: Break**

10:45 am: Daniele Coen Pirani: “Shareholders Unanimity with Incomplete Markets”

11:10 am: Juan Carlos Cordoba: “U.S. Inequality: Debt Constraints or Incomplete Markets?”

11:35 am: Jorge Soares: “Borrowing Constraints, Parental Altruism and Human Capital Accumulation”

**12:00 am - 12:45 pm - SENIOR SPEAKER: Pierre Sarte**  
**“Productivity, Employment, and Inventories in a Sticky Price Model”**