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Director: **Emilio Albi and Jorge Martinez-Vazquez**

Sunday July 17

17:30

Welcome

Monday July 18

10:00 – 10:15

Introduction

Roy Bahl, Dean Andrew Young School of Policy Studies

10:15 – 12:15

Session I

“Tax Incidence, Developments in Cost-Benefit Analysis, and the Past, Present, and Future of Welfare Transfers”

Arnold Harberger

(11:45-12:30) Questions and Answers

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| 12:15 – 14:00 | Lunch | |
| 14:00 – 16:00 | Session II | <p><i>“Education Policy Research: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>Eric Hanushek, Hoover Institution, Stanford University</i></p> <p>(15:30-16:00) Short presentations by participants (16:00-17:00) Questions and Answers</p> |
| 19: 00 - Dinner | | |

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| Tuesday July 19 | | |
| 8:30 – 10:30 | Session III | <p><i>“The Future for the Corporate Income Tax: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>Jack Mintz, Economics Department, University of Toronto</i></p> <p>(9:30-10:00) Short presentations by participants (10:00-10:30) Questions and Answers</p> |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Coffee Break | |
| 10:45 – 12:45 | Session IV | <p><i>“Research in Tax Evasion: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>Mike McKee, University of Tennessee, Knoxville</i></p> <p>(12:15-12:45) Short presentations by participants (12:45-13:15) Questions and Answers</p> |
| 12:15 – 14:00 | Lunch | |
| 14:00 – 16:30 | Session V | <p><i>“Research in Political Economy and Public Finance: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>Stan Winer, Department of Economics, Carleton University</i></p> <p>(16:30-17:00) Short presentations by participants</p> |

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| | | (17:00-17:30) Questions and Answers |
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Wednesday July 20

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| 8:30 – 10:30 | Session VI | <p><i>“Research in Fiscal Decentralization: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>Jorge Martinez-Vazquez, Department of Economics, Georgia State University</i></p> <p>(9:30-10:00) Short presentations by participants (10:00-10:30) Questions and Answers</p> |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Coffee Break | |
| 10:45 – 12:15 | Session VII | <p><i>“Reforming Personal Income Taxation: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>George Zodrow, Economics Department, Rice University</i></p> <p>(12:15-12:45) Short presentations by participants (12:45-13:15) Questions and Answers</p> |
| 12:45 – 15:00 | Lunch | |
| 15:00 – 17:00 | Session VIII | <p><i>“Research in Social Security and Pensions”</i></p> <p><i>Joel Slemrod, University of Michigan</i></p> <p>(16:30-17:00) Short presentations by participants (17:00-17:30) Questions and Answers</p> |

Thursday July 21

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| 8:30 – 10:30 | Session IX | <p><i>“Experimental Research in Public Finance: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>James Andreoni, Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin, Madison</i></p> <p>(9:30-10:00) Short presentations by participants (10:00-10:30) Questions and Answers</p> |
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| 10:30 – 11:00 | Coffee Break | |
| 11:00 – 13:00 | Session X | <p><i>“Issues on Distribution, Poverty, and Inequality”</i></p> <p><i>Peter Lambert, University of Oregon</i></p> <p>(12:15-12:45) Short presentations by participants (12:45-13:15) Questions and Answers</p> |
| 13:00 – 14:30 | Lunch | |

Friday July 22

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| 9:00 – 10:15 | Session XII | <p><i>“Environmental Policy: Issues and Challenges”</i></p> <p><i>Wallace Oates, University of Maryland</i></p> |
| 10:15 | Closing | |