

Preliminary Program

July 9, 1999  
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**Illinois Economics Association  
Twenty Ninth Annual Meeting  
Friday and Saturday,  
October 22-23, 1999**

**Location:** Chicago Circle Center, Rooms 605, 613, 713  
University of Illinois at Chicago  
750 S. Halsted Street, Chicago, IL 60607  
(1 block south of Harrison Street)

**Parking** is available in a UIC parking structure across Halsted from CCC.

**CTA:** Halsted Street exit on the Blue Line.

**Hotel** information is available on the IEA website.

**Annual Meeting Registration Fee:**

\$20.00

\$10.00 for students upon presentation of Student I.D.

Registration fee to be paid by check made out to the: **Illinois Economics Association**

Registration can be done at the IEA meeting.

Registration fee includes participation in the Annual Meetings, 1999/2000 Annual Membership in the IEA, refreshments during coffee breaks and the IEA annual buffet luncheon.

All participants at the meetings are expected to register.

**Friday, October 22**

**8:30 am** Registration and Coffee

**9:00 am – 10:30 am** Concurrent Sessions

A-1 Panel Discussion:

**The U.S. Economic and Financial Market Outlook 2000**

Session Organizer & Chair: Andrew Whitaker, North Central College

Panel Discussants: Andrew Whitaker, North Central College  
Robert W. Morsechi, American Benefits Group  
Deborah A. Jansen, Stein, Roe and Farnham  
Christopher S. Marme, Augustina College  
Peter S. Barger, North Central College

A-2**The Economics of Religion**

Session Organizer & Chair: William Sander, DePaul University

Papers:**“Religion as a Determinant of Entry into Marriage & Cohabitation”**

Evelyn Lehrer, University of Illinois at Chicago

**“The Effectiveness of Catholic Schools”**

Todd Elder, Northwestern University

**“American Jewish Donations to Israel”**

Helen Roberts, University of Illinois at Chicago

Discussants: Maggie Oppenheimer, DePaul University

Carmel Chiswick, University of Illinois at Chicago

William Testa, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

**10:30 am – 10:45 pm**

Coffee Break

**10:45 am – 12:15 pm**

Concurrent Sessions

B-1**The Economic Analysis of Substance Use and Abuse**

Session Organizer & Chair: Frank Chaloupka, University of Illinois at Chicago

Papers:**“The Impact of Price on Youth and Young Adult Smoking”**

Hana Zarubova, University of Illinois at Chicago

**“The Determinants of Smoking Cessation among Adults”**

Michaelyn Corbett, University of Illinois at Chicago

**“The Impact of Alcohol Control Policies on Alcohol Abuse among College Students”**

Christina Czart, University of Illinois at Chicago

**“Alcohol, Drugs, and Youth Delinquency”**

Rima Nair, University of Illinois at Chicago

Discussants: **TBA**B-2**Economics of Sports and Culture**

Session Organizer: Thomas Smith, National-Louis University

Session Chair: **TBA**

Papers:**“Wrigleyville: Corporate-driven Cultural Redevelopment and the Production of Space”**

Costas Spirou, National-Louis University

**“A Longitudinal Analysis of the Earnings of Artists”**

Thomas Smith, National-Louis University

**“Race and Ethnicity Differences in the Nomination Process to the Baseball Hall of Fame”**

John Santos, Robert Morris College

**“TBA...”**

Allan Sanderson, University of Chicago

Discussants: Steven Reiss, Northeastern Illinois University

**12:20 pm – 1:30 pm** IEA Luncheon -- Buffet lunch is included in the registration fee.  
Luncheon Speaker: Carmel U. Chiswick, University of Illinois at Chicago  
**Title: “Economics, Religion and Human Capital”**

**1:45 pm – 3:15 pm** Concurrent Sessions

C-1

**Developments in Economic History**

Session Organizer: Louis Cain, Loyola University  
Session Chair: **TBA**  
Papers: **TBA**

C-2

**Roundtable on Illinois State Finances**

Session Organizer & Chair: J. Fred Giertz, University of Illinois at Urbana/Champaign  
Roundtable Panel  
William Hall, Illinois Economic and Fiscal Commission  
Michael Colsch, Illinois Bureau of the Budget  
Richard Dye, Lake Forest College  
J. Fred Giertz, University of Illinois at Urbana/Champaign

**3:15 pm – 3:30 pm** Coffee Break

**3:30 pm – 5:00 pm** Concurrent Sessions

D-1

**Environmental Justice: Issues and Policy**

Session Organizer: Richard F. Kosobud, University of Illinois at Chicago  
Session Chair: **TBA**

Papers:

**“Recent Explorations of Environmental Justice in the Chicago Area”**

Donald L. Coursey, University of Chicago  
**“Emissions Trading and Environmental Justice”**  
Douglas L. Schreder and Richard F. Kosobud, University of Illinois at Chicago  
**“Is Open Space a Luxury Good?”**  
Jeffrey O. Sundberg, Lake Forest College

Discussants: Kevin G. Quinn, St. Norbert College  
Daniel T. McGrath, Indiana-Illinois Sea Grant Affiliate  
John M. Hall, Environmental Protection Agency

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Session Organizer: Ron Baiman  
 Session Chair: **TBA**

**Saturday, October 23**

**8:45 am – 9:00 am** Coffee

**9:00 am – 10:30 am** Concurrent Sessions

E-1**Doctoral Student Presentations**

Session Organizer & Chair:  
 Judy Temple, Northern Illinois University

Papers: **TBA**

E-2**The Teaching of Economics**

Session Organizer: George Thoma, Elmhurst College  
 Session Chair: **TBA**

Papers:**“Teaching the New Institutionalism of Douglas North”**

Janet Highfill, Bradley University

**“Using Cooperative Learning to Teach a Principles Course”**

Cheryl Coen, Millikin University

**“Teaching in a Smart Classroom”**

Christopher Marme, Augustana College

**“Classroom Research”**

George Thoma, Elmhurst College

**10:30 am – 10:45 am** Coffee Break and Presentation of Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award

**10:45 am – 12:15 pm** Concurrent Sessions

F-1**Open Slot**

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Session Organizer:

F-2**Applied Macroeconomics**

Session Organizer & Chair: George Karras, University of Illinois at Chicago

Papers:

**“Corruption and Economic Growth: Theory and International Evidence”**

Ernst Coupet, Jr., University of Illinois at Chicago

**“Do Investment and Net Exports Respond Aysmmetrically to Productive Shocks?”  
Evidence from the G-7 Countries”**

Agust A. Eiriksson, DePaul University

**“The Relationship between Hardware Developments, Operating System Evolution,  
and Econometric Software Design”**

Houston H. Stokes, University of Illinois at Chicago

[ftp.uic.edu/pub/depts/econ/wpaper/hhstokes/chistory.doc](http://ftp.uic.edu/pub/depts/econ/wpaper/hhstokes/chistory.doc)

Discussants: TBA

**12:15 pm – 1:00 pm**

Annual Meeting of IEA Trustees. Open to all interested members.

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