



Western Regional Science Association

49th Annual Meeting

Hilton Sedona ~ Sedona, Arizona

February 21–24, 2010

Welcome to Sedona, to Arizona's Red Rock Country, and to WRSA's Cosmic Convergence – our 49th Annual Meeting.

There may have been some changes since you last checked the Preliminary Program on the WRSA website. So please verify the timing as well as the locations of papers and sessions. The Program Participant Locator, on Pages 17–19, should help you find when and where you and others are scheduled.

The floor plan on Page 20 can help you find conference events. The box at the bottom Page 15 contains important information about how the sessions will be conducted.

This year's Annual Meeting includes a number of special features. The Meeting will formally open on Sunday at 4:15 PM in the Canyon Ballroom, with a plenary talk about Arizona's economy.

The traditional Welcoming Reception will immediately follow. All registrants and those for whom a Banquet and Receptions ticket packet have been purchased may use their included BLUE ticket for a first drink from the bar. Beverages will, in addition, be available on a cash-bar basis. All accompanying persons are encouraged to attend the Opening Session and Welcoming Reception!

The Annual Banquet Luncheon is on Tuesday at 12:30 PM in the Tequa Ballroom (which is across the parking lot from the main hotel building). Bring your PINK ticket to be seated. Accompanying persons who are not paid registrants must have tickets to attend this event. The entrée will be chicken, so vegetarians – please let Lauren at the Registration Desk know by Sunday evening if you would like a meatless meal.

On Tuesday evening, beginning at 6:00 PM, Bob Stimson will host the annual President's Reception. All are welcome at this social function! Use the last of the tickets in your packet (the GOLD one) for a first drink. There will be hors d'oeuvres (thanks to Bob!) and a cash bar for additional beverages.

Best wishes for a productive and stimulating conference, and a peaceful, relaxing time here in Sedona.



Sunday, February 21

2:00 – 6:30 PM, **Registration** (Canyon Foyer)

4:15 – 5:30 PM, **Plenary Opening Session**
(Canyon Ballroom)

5:30 – 7:00 PM, **Welcoming Reception** (Canyon Patio)

Sunday, 4:15 – 5:30 PM

Plenary Opening Session

Canyon Ballroom

Chair: David HOLLAND,
50th WRSA President (2009–2010)

"Arizona's economy and the long road to recovery"
Lee McPETERS
Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA



Sunday, 5:30 – 7:00 PM

Welcoming Reception

Canyon Patio

The Opening Session and the Welcoming Reception are open to all accompanying persons as well as registrants.

Everyone Welcome!

WRSA Internet Café: Canyon Ballroom B

Coffee will be available each morning from 7:00 AM through the morning session break from 9:30 to 10:00. To access the free wireless for conference participants in Canyon Ballroom B (our exhibit area) login with username **WRSA** and password **Science321**. Sit at the tables, chat with colleagues and check your email.



Monday, February 22

7:00 – 10:00 AM, Coffee Available (Canyon Foyer)

7:00 AM – 5:45PM, Exhibits and Internet Café Open
(Canyon Ballroom B)

7:15 AM – 12:15 PM (and 1:15–5:45 PM), Registration
(Canyon Foyer)

8:00 or 8:45 AM – 12:15 PM, Concurrent Sessions:

- 1A** Papers in Honor of G. Mulligan, I (Canyon Ballroom A)
- 1B** Hazards, Infrastructure, Recovery (Oak Creek Canyon A)
- 1C** Urban Structure and Organization (Oak Creek Canyon B)
- 1D** Industry Location, I (Ironwood Suite, Room 1052)
- 1E** Economic Development, I (Oak Suite, Room 1054)
- 1F** Western States Outlook (Juniper Suite, Room 1055)

9:30 – 10:00 AM, Coffee Break (Canyon Foyer)

12:15 – 1:30 PM, Lunch Break (On your own this day)

12:15 – 1:30 PM, Annals Editorial Board Meeting
(By invitation only; Dry Creek Canyon B)

1:15 – 5:45 PM, Registration (Continues, Canyon Foyer)

1:30 – 5:45 PM, Concurrent Sessions:

- 2A** Round Table: Global Financial Crisis (Canyon Ballroom A)
- 2B** Agricultural Analysis and Policy (Oak Creek Canyon A)
- 2C** Industry Location, II (Oak Creek Canyon B)
- 2D** Transportation, I (Ironwood Suite, Room 1052)
- 2E** Economic Development, II (Oak Suite, Room 1054)
- 2F** Fiscal Issues (Juniper Suite, Room 1055)

3:00 – 3:30 PM, Coffee Break (Canyon Foyer/Ballroom B)

3:30 – 5:00 PM, WRSA Board Meeting
(By invitation only; Dry Creek Canyon B)

7:00 PM, Dinner in Honor of Gordon Mulligan

(Cucina Rústica Restaurant; Advance reservations and prepayment required.)



Monday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM

Paper Session 1A ~ Canyon Ballroom A
Papers in Honor of Gordon Mulligan, I

Chair: Geoffrey J. D. HEWINGS, Univ. Illinois,
Urbana-Champaign, USA

8:00–8:45

Gordon Mulligan: A literature review

John I. CARRUTHERS, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, DC, and Alexander C. VIAS, Univ. Connecticut, Storrs, USA

Discussant: Arthur GETIS, San Diego State Univ., CA, USA

8:45–9:30

“Life is short, art is long”: From Bohemian graduates to the creative class

Maria ABREU, Univ. Groningen, Roberta COMUNIAN, Univ. Southampton, Alessandra FAGGIAN, Univ. Southampton, UK, and Philip McCANN, Univ. Groningen, The Netherlands

Discussant: Mark D. PARTRIDGE, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Political and public acceptability of congestion pricing: Ideology and self interest

Björn HÅRSMAN, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden and John M. QUIGLEY, Univ. California, Berkeley, USA

Discussant: Andrew HAUGHWOUT, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, USA

10:45–11:30

Analysing quality of urban life

Robert STIMSON and Rod McCREA, Univ. Queensland, Brisbane, Australia, and Robert MARANS, Univ. Michigan, Ann Arbor

Discussant: Alexander C. VIAS, Univ. Connecticut, Storrs, USA



Monday, 8:45 – 11:30 AM

Paper Session 1B ~ Oak Creek Canyon A

Hazards, Infrastructure, and Recovery

Chair: Alexandra SCHAFFAR, Univ. La Réunion, Saint-Denis, France

8:45–9:30

Estimating the effects of highway infrastructure failure on freight flows for the U.S. highway network

Qisheng PAN, Texas Southern Univ., Houston, Peter GORDON, James E. MOORE and Harry RICHARDSON, Univ. Southern California, JiYoung PARK, State Univ. New York, Buffalo, Joongkoo CHO, SooHyun CHO, Sung-Ho RYU and Eunha JUN, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

Discussant: Bernard WEINSTEIN, Southern Methodist Univ., Dallas, TX, USA

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Hurricanes and the Louisiana state economy

Yu XIAO, Texas A&M Univ., College Station, USA

Discussant: Larry V. ST. LOUIS, Univ. Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada

10:45–11:30

Test of information and hypothetical bias in CVM: Case study of urban restoration project in Seoul

Brian H.S. KIM, Seoul National Univ., Woo-Young CHO, Korea Environment Institute, and Minsu SON, Yonsei Univ., Seoul, Korea

Discussant: Colleen DONOVAN, Univ. California, Berkeley, USA





Monday, 8:00 AM – 12:15 PM
Paper Session 1C ~ Oak Creek Canyon B
Urban Structure and Organization

Chair: Janet KOHLHASE, Univ. Houston, TX, USA

8:00–8:45

An empirical analysis of the innovation and diffusion of deregulation

Junya FUKUMOTO, Tohoku Univ., Sendai City, Japan
 Discussant: Waldo TOBLER, Univ. California, Santa Barbara, USA

8:45–9:30

**Employment center hierarchy & function:
 The manifestation of agglomeration in the Los Angeles metropolitan area**

Genevieve GIULIANO and Christian L. REDFEARN, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

Discussant: Myung-Jin JUN, Chung-An Univ., Seoul, Korea
 9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Ubiquitous geographic information

Tschangho John KIM, Univ. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, and Sung-Gheel JANG, Cleveland State Univ., OH, USA

Discussant: Sungyop KIM, Univ. Missouri, Kansas City, USA

10:45–11:30

Urban structure and economic growth

Peter GORDON and Harry W. RICHARDSON, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

Discussant: Michel DIMOU, Univ. La Réunion, Saint-Denis, France

11:30–12:15

The analysis of the effect of population dispersion on the Seoul metropolitan area on regional economies: A case of development of multifunctional administrative city

ChangKeun LEE, Yujin BAE, and Euijune KIM, Seoul National Univ., Korea

Discussant: L. Michael FARRELL, Univ. Québec, Trois-Rivières, Canada



Monday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM
Paper Session 1D ~ Ironwood Suite, Room 1052
Industry Location, I

Chair: Antoine BAILLY, Univ. Genève, Switzerland

8:00–8:45

Export behavior of firms in urban and rural regions

Sara JOHANSSON and Lars PETTERSSON, Jönköping International Business School and the Swedish Board of Agriculture, Stockholm

Discussant: Gary TOMPKINS, Univ. Regina, SK, Canada
 8:45–9:30

Agglomeration within an urban area

Stephen BILLINGS, Univ. North Carolina, Charlotte, and Erik JOHNSON, Quinnipiac University, Hamden, CT, USA

Discussant: Börje JOHANSSON, Jönköping International Business School and Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Agglomeration and productivity: Evidence from firm-level data

Martin ANDERSSON, Royal Institute of Technology and Jönköping International Business School, and Hans LÖÖF, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

Discussant: Brian P. HOLLY, U.S. Census Bureau, Suitland, MD, USA

10:45–11:30

Trading cultural goods in the era of digital piracy

Stefania LIONETTI, Univ. Lugano, and Roberto PATUELLI, Univ. Lugano, Switzerland, and The Rimini Centre for Economic Analysis, Italy

Discussant: Giang T. NGO, Univ. Texas, Dallas, USA



Monday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM
Paper Session 1E ~ Oak Suite, Room 1054

Economic Development, I

Chair: Lay J. GIBSON, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

8:00–8:45

Attributes influencing enterprise propensity in urban and rural Sweden

Kent ELIASSON, Swedish Agency for Growth Policy and Analysis, Östersund, and Umeå Univ., and Hans WESTLUND, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, and Jönköping International Business School, Sweden

Discussant: Scott N. LIESKE, Univ. Sunshine Coast, Sippy Downs, QLD, Australia

8:45–9:30

Social capital and economic growth: A cross-country investigation

Soogwan DOH, George Mason Univ., Fairfax, VA, USA

Discussant: Alina M. POPESCU-SCHOENBERG, Univ. Bundeswehr Munich, Neubiberg, Germany

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Does the business cycle matter for convergence testing?

Evidence from US commuting zone level data

Chenxi YU, Univ. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA

Discussant: Florence BOUVET, Univ. Sonoma, Rohnert Park, CA, USA

10:45–11:30

What brings the on-location filming activities to local economies: quasi-experimental approach

Junpyo HONG and J. Matthew FANNIN, Louisiana State Univ., Baton Rouge, USA

Discussant: Thomas R. HARRIS, Univ. Nevada, Reno, USA

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Monday, 8:00 AM – 12:15 PM
Session 1F ~ Juniper Suite, Room 1055
Western States Economic Outlook

(Cosponsored by AUBER)

Chair: Timothy D. HOGAN, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

Western States Overview

Lee McPHETERS, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

Arizona

Marshall VEST, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

Colorado

Richard WOBBEKIND, Univ. Colorado, Boulder, USA

9:30–10:00, *Coffee Break*

Montana

Paul POLZIN, Univ. Montana, Missoula, USA

Nebraska

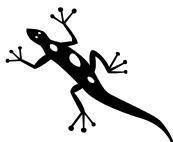
Eric THOMPSON, Univ. Nebraska, Lincoln, USA

Nevada

Mary RIDDEL, Univ. Nevada, Las Vegas, USA

Washington

R. Pete PARCELLS, Whitman College, Walla Walla, USA



Monday, 12:15 – 1:30 PM
Lunch Break (On your own this day)

Monday, 12:15 – 1:30 PM
Annals of Regional Science, Editorial Board
Meeting ~ Dry Creek Canyon B
 (By invitation only)

Convenors: Barbara FESS, Springer Publishing; Börje JOHANSSON, Euijune KIM, and Roger STOUGH, Co-Editors



Submitting Papers to:
The Annals of Regional Science

Annual Meeting participants are cordially invited to submit their papers to WRSA's official journal, *The Annals of Regional Science*.

All three coeditors, Roger R. Stough, Börje Johansson, and Euijune Kim, are participating at the conference and will be happy to discuss potential submissions.

Springer Editor, Barbara Fess, will be available in the Exhibits Area in Canyon Ballroom B throughout the conference.



Monday, 1:30 – 3:00 PM
Round Table Session 2A ~ Canyon Ballroom A
The Global Financial Crisis:
Regional Implications and Responses

Co-Chairs: Antoine BAILLY, Univ. Genève, Switzerland, and Lay J. GIBSON, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

The panel will consider the usefulness of Regional Science in dealing with the world economic and financial crisis and its impacts on regional development.

- *What have been the regional impacts of the crisis in different countries, such as Australia, France, Switzerland, and the USA?*
- *To what extent have public policy responses had explicit regional components or foci?*
- *Has regional science analysis been used to enhance public policy responses and, especially, to promote regional innovation, creativity and development in the responses?*

These questions will be raised at the round table by each of the panel members to highlight what has happened in their countries and what they think should have been done to improve responses to the global financial crisis.

Panelists:

Antoine BAILLY, Univ. Genève, Switzerland,

Lay J. GIBSON, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

Kingsley E. HAYNES, George Mason Univ., Fairfax, VA, USA

Claude LACOUR, Univ. Montesquieu-Bordeaux IV, France

Sylvette PUISSANT, Univ. Montesquieu-Bordeaux IV, France

Robert STIMSON, Univ. Queensland, Brisbane, Australia

Bernard WEINSTEIN, Southern Methodist Univ., Dallas, TX, USA



Monday, 1:30 – 5:00 PM
Paper Session 2B ~ Oak Creek Canyon A
Agricultural Analysis and Policy

Chair: Douglas E. MORRIS, Univ. New Hampshire, Durham, USA
 1:30–2:15

The effects of urban development pressure on agricultural land price in Korea: Application of a geographically weighted regression model

Miyoung KIM, Seoul National Univ., and DeokHo CHO, DaeGu Univ., Korea

Discussant: Kent ELIASSON, Swedish Agency for Growth Policy Analysis, Östersund, and Umeå Univ., Sweden

2:15–3:00

The competitiveness of Hawaii's agricultural exports to Japan
 Hazel PARCON and Run YU, Univ. Hawaii, Manoa, Matthew LOKE, Hawaii Department of Agriculture, Honolulu, and PingSun LEUNG, Univ. Hawaii, Manoa, USA

Discussant: R. Pete PARCELLS, Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA, USA

3:00–3:30, *Coffee Break*

3:30–4:15

Farmland preservation verdicts: Rezoning agricultural land in British Columbia

Tracy STOBBE, Trinity Western Univ., Langley, BC, Canada
 Discussant: Junpyo HONG, Louisiana State Univ., Baton Rouge, USA

4:15–5:00

Gender mediation and outreach issues for national, regional, and local governments in the western region

Eric P. THOR, Pratibha BONITA, and Abbe SLADE, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA
 Discussant: Douglas E. MORRIS, Univ. New Hampshire, Durham, USA



Monday, 1:30 – 5:00 PM

Paper Session 2C ~ Oak Creek Canyon B Industry Location, II

Chair: Martin ANDERSSON, Royal Institute of Technology and Jönköping International Business School, Sweden

1:30–2:15

Endogenous growth theory in motion: Emergence and development dynamics in the U.S. biotechnology sector

Giang T. NGO and Donald A. HICKS, Univ. Texas, Dallas, USA
 Discussant: Erik JOHNSON, Univ. North Carolina, Charlotte, USA

2:15–3:00

Market potential and start-up size

Johan KLAESSON, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden
 Discussant: Sylvain BARDE, OFCE/DRIC, Sophia-Antipolis, France

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

The effect of trade on regional distribution in Mexico

Rafael GARDUÑO-RIVERA, Univ. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA
 Discussant: Haifeng QIAN, George Mason Univ., Fairfax, VA, USA

4:15–5:00

MNF affiliates: Knowledge spillover agents?

Martin ANDERSSON, Urban GRÅSJÖ and Charlie KARLSSON, Centre of Excellence for Science and Innovation Studies, Stockholm, HV Skola, and Jönköping International Business School, Jönköping, Sweden
 Discussant: Stephen BILLINGS, Univ. North Carolina, Chapel Hill, USA



Monday, 1:30 – 5:45 PM

Paper Session 2D ~ Ironwood Suite, Room 1052 Transportation I

Chair: Daoqin TONG, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

1:30–2:15

Inclusionary zoning and the development of urban land

Alastair McFARLANE, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, DC, USA
 Discussant: John QUIGLEY, Univ. California, Berkeley, USA

2:15–3:00

A new spatial model for travel time estimation

Daoqin TONG and Wei-Hua LIN, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA
 Discussant: Genevieve GIULIANO, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

Rider loyalty and satisfaction with light-rail transit: Evidence from St. Louis MetroLink, Missouri and Illinois

Sungyop KIM, Univ. Missouri, Kansas City, USA, and Gudmundur F. ULFARSSON, Univ. Iceland, Reykjavik
 Discussant: Ajay AGARWAL, Queens Univ., Kingston, ON, Canada

4:15–5:00

The failure of the magnetic train project Munich: The lost economic and fiscal effects

Peter FRIEDRICH, Univ. Tartu, Estonia, Alina POPESCU-SCHOENBERG and Heinrich Günter WONNEMANN, Univ. Bundeswehr Munich, Neubiberg, Germany
 Discussant: Kimberly VACHAL, North Dakota State Univ., Fargo, USA

5:00–5:45

Smart growth policies and automobile dependence: Lessons from a comparative study between Seoul, Korea and Portland, USA

Myung-Jin JUN, Chung-Ang Univ., Seoul, Jae Ik KIM, Keimyung Univ., and Jin-Hwi KWON, Keimyung Univ., Daegu, Korea
 Discussant: T. R. LAKSHMANAN, Boston Univ., MA, USA



Monday, 1:30 – 5:00 PM

Paper Session 2E ~ Oak Suite, Room 1054 Economic Development, II

Chair: Hans LÖÖF, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

1:30–2:15

Inflation in the Caribbean: How well does the quantity theory of money explain it?

Moses C.V. POLOGNE, Univ. Texas, Arlington, Lorenzo BLANCO-GONZÁLEZ, Univ. Autónoma Nuevo León, Monterrey, México, and Timothy FORD, Univ. Texas, El Paso, USA
 Discussant: Stein ØSTBYE, Tromsø, Norway

2:15–3:00

Location patterns and industrial growth in México, 1993–2006

Jesús A. TREVIÑO C., Univ. Autónoma de Nuevo León, Ardeshir ANJOMANI, Univ. Texas, Arlington, USA, and Aída ESCOBAR, Univ. Autónoma de Nuevo León, Monterrey, México
 Discussant: Jaewon LIM, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

Rank-size dynamics in China and India: 1981–2004

Alexandra SCHAFFAR and Michel DIMOU, Univ. La Réunion, Saint-Denis, France
 Discussant: Ron McCHESNEY, Three Scale Strategy LLC, Columbus, OH, USA

4:15–5:00

The impact of international trade flows on the growth of Brazilian states

Marie DAUMAL, Univ. Paris, and Selin OZYURT, Univ. Paris-Dauphine, Paris, France
 Discussant: Sara JOHANSSON, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden



Monday, 1:30 – 5:45 PM
Paper Session 2F ~ Juniper Suite, Room 1055
Fiscal Issues

Chair: Richard WOBBEKIND, Univ. Colorado, Boulder, USA
 1:30–2:15

Direct democracy, term limits, and fiscal decisions in U.S. Municipalities

Colleen DONOVAN, Univ. California, Berkeley, USA
 Discussant: Steven G. CRAIG, Univ. Houston, TX, USA
 2:15–3:00

Property taxation, education finance reform, and tax base growth
 Mark SKIDMORE, Laura REESE, and Sung Hoon KANG, Michigan State Univ., East Lansing, USA
 Discussant: Marshall VEST, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA
 3:00–3:30, *Coffee Break*

3:30–4:15
Cities and suburbs: Expenditure patterns in the urban fiscal system

Steven G. CRAIG and Janet E. KOHLHASE, Univ. Houston, TX, D. Andrew AUSTIN, Congressional Research Service, and Stephanie BOTELLO, EmployStats, USA
 Discussant: Peter GORDON, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA
 4:15–5:00

A spatially determined production function to model the fiscal impacts of community development

Scott N. LIESKE, Univ. Sunshine Coast, Sippy Downs, QLD, Australia, Donald M. McLEOD and Roger COUPAL, Univ. Wyoming, Laramie, USA
 Discussant: Lena Catharina BIRKELOF, Umeå Univ., Sweden

5:00–5:45
Managing prosperity: Saskatchewan's fiscal and economic challenges

Gary TOMPKINS, Univ. Regina, SK, Canada
 Discussant: Yu XIAO, Texas A&M Univ., College Station, USA



Monday, 3:30 – 5:00 PM
WRSA Board Meeting ~ Dry Creek Canyon B
 (By invitation only)

Convenor: David A. PLANE, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

Our Conference Venue:

Hilton Sedona Golf Resort & Spa
 90 Ridge Trail Drive
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Tuesday, February 23

7:00 – 10:00 AM, *Coffee Available* (Canyon Foyer)

7:00 AM – 5:45PM, *Exhibits and Internet Café Open* (Canyon Ballroom B)

7:45 AM – 12:15 PM (and 2:15–5:45 PM), *Registration* (Canyon Foyer)

8:00 or 8:45 AM – 12:15 PM, *Concurrent Sessions*:

- 3A Industry Location, III (Canyon Ballroom A)
- 3B Housing and Urban Land Use, I (Oak Creek Canyon A)
- 3C Demographic Studies (Oak Creek Canyon B)
- 3D Papers in Honor of G. Mulligan, II (Ironwood Suite, 1052)
- 3E Frontiers in CGE and IO (Oak Suite, Room 1054)
- 3F Remote Regions, I (Juniper Suite, Room 1055)

9:30 – 10:00 AM, *Coffee Break* (Canyon Foyer)

12:30 – 2:15 PM, *Annual Banquet Luncheon* (Tequa Ballroom – across the parking lot from main hotel building)

2:15 – 5:45 PM, *Registration* (Continues, Canyon Foyer)

2:30 – 5:45 PM, *Concurrent Sessions*:

- 4A Remote Regions, II (Canyon Ballroom A)
- 4B Job Stimulation and the ARRA (Oak Creek Canyon A)
- 4C Transportation, II (Oak Creek Canyon B)
- 4D Human Capital (Ironwood Suite, Room 1052)
- 4E Papers in Honor of Gordon Mulligan, III (Oak Suite, 1054)
- 4F Spatial Statistical Modeling, I (Juniper Suite, Room 1055)

4:00 – 4:15 PM, *Coffee Break* (Canyon Foyer)

6:00 – 7:30 PM, *President's Reception* (Tequa Ballroom)



Tuesday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM
Paper Session 3A ~ Canyon Ballroom A
Industry Location, III

Chair: Brian P. HOLLY, U.S. Census Bureau, Suitland, MD, USA
 8:00–8:45

The non-linear relationship between market potential and business service dynamics

Börje JOHANSSON, Jönköping International Business School and Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, and Johan KLAESSON, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden
 Discussant: Marie DAUMAL, Univ. Paris, France

8:45–9:30
Microfoundations for knowledge spillovers in spatial equilibrium models

Sylvain BARDE, OFCE/DRIC, Sophia-Antipolis, France, and Stein ØSTBYE, Univ. Tromsø, Norway
 Discussant: Koichi MERA, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

9:30–10:00, *Coffee Break*

10:00–10:45

Incubation push or business pull? Investigating the geography of U.S. business incubators

Haifeng QIAN and Kingsley E. HAYNES, George Mason Univ., Fairfax, VA, USA

Discussant: Johan KLAESSON, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden

10:45–11:30

Creation of spin-off entrepreneurs: Case of Bilkent Cyberpark

Neslihan AYDOĞAN-DUDA, İzmir Univ. of Economics, Balçova-İzmir, and İrge ŞENER, Çankaya University, Balgat, Ankara, Turkey

Discussant: Rafael GARDUÑO-RIVERA, Univ. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA



Tuesday, 8:00 AM – 12:15 PM

Paper Session 3B ~ Oak Creek Canyon A Housing and Urban Land Use, I

Chair: Tracy STOBBE, Trinity Western Univ., Langley, BC, Canada

8:00–8:45

Willingness to pay for sustainable housing

Svante MANDELL, VTI, and Mats WILHELMSSON, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

Discussant: Jun-Hyung KIM, Seoul National Univ., Korea

8:45–9:30

The effect of foreclosures on owner-occupied housing prices: Supply or dis-amenity?

Daniel A. HARTLEY, Univ. California, Berkeley, USA

Discussant: Hanna LARSSON, Jönköping Univ., Sweden

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Modeling aggregated new housing supply for the Portland metropolitan area

Hongwei DONG and John GLIEBE Portland State Univ., OR, USA

Discussant: Christian L. REDFEARN, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

10:45–11:30

House price impacts of racial, income, education, and age neighborhood spatial concentration

Andres JAUREGUI, Columbus State Univ., GA, Diane HITE, Auburn Univ., AL, and David M. BRASINGTON, Univ. Cincinnati, OH, USA

Discussant: Lawrence A. BROWN, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA

11:30–12:15

Cultural landscape characteristics and heritage values: A spatially explicit hedonic approachPia NILSSON, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden
Discussant: Maureen KILKENNY, Univ. Nevada, Reno, USA***A photo from the Association's archives...***

Past Presidents John Quigley, Roger Stough and Juanita Liu were among the participants enjoying the Annual Banquet Luncheon the last time we met in Arizona – in Rio Rico in 2003.

***Tuesday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM
Paper Session 3C ~ Oak Creek Canyon B Demographic Studies***Chair: Jack W. OSMAN, San Francisco State Univ., CA, USA
8:00–8:45***Decomposing the entropy index of racial diversity: In search of two types of variance***

Yiming WANG, Cardiff Univ., Wales

Discussant: Bruce NEWBOLD, McMaster Univ., Hamilton, ON, Canada

8:45–9:30

Do local public expenditures for functionally impaired crowd out other local public expenditures?

Lena Catharina BIRKELÖF, Umeå Univ., Sweden

Discussant: ChangKeun LEE, Seoul National Univ., Korea

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Voters on the move: The political effectiveness of migration and its effects on state partisan composition

Jason R. JURJEVICH and David A. PLANE, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

Discussant: Mats JOHANSSON, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

10:45–11:30

The regional distribution of public goods: The case of non-parental child care in Quebec

L. Michael FARRELL, Univ. Québec, Trois-Rivières, Canada

Discussant: Jack W. OSMAN, San Francisco State Univ., CA, USA

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Tuesday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM

Paper Session 3D ~ Ironwood Suite, Room 1052 Papers in Honor of Gordon Mulligan, II

Chair: Ross MacKINNON, Univ. Connecticut, Storrs, USA
8:00–8:45
International immigration and domestic out-migrants: Are domestic migrants moving to new jobs or away from immigrants?
Kamar ALI, Univ. Lethbridge, AB, Canada, Mark D. PARTRIDGE, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, and Dan S. RICKMAN, Oklahoma State Univ., Stillwater, USA

Discussant: Steven DELLER, Univ. Wisconsin, Madison, USA

8:45–9:30

Analyzing student diversity at public universities in the United States: A regional approach

Rachel S. FRANKLIN, Univ. Maryland, College Park, USA
Discussant: Alessandra FAGGIAN, Univ. Southampton, U.K.

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

An exploratory analysis of neighborliness in public and private neighborhoods

Sonya M. GLAVAC, Univ. New England, Armidale, NSW, Australia, and Andrew KIRBY, Arizona State Univ., Glendale, USA

Discussant: Ralph McLAUGHLIN, Univ. Southern Australia, Adelaide

10:45–11:30

The location decisions of U.S. credit unions

Steven DELLER and Reka SUNDARAM-STUKEL, Univ. Wisconsin, Madison, USA

Discussant: Wilner JEANTY, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA



Tuesday, 8:45 AM – 12:15 PM

Paper Session 3E ~ Oak Suite, Room 1054

Frontiers in CGE and IO Modeling

Chair: Harry RICHARDSON, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

8:45–9:30

The economic impact of saltwater sportfishing harvest restrictions in Alaska: An empirical analysis of non-resident anglers

Daniel K. LEW, Alaska Fisheries Science Center and Univ. California, Davis, and Chang K. SEUNG, Alaska Fisheries Science Center, Seattle, WA, USA

Discussant: Max MUNDAY, Cardiff Univ., Wales

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

An interregional input-output analysis of the pollution content of trade flows and environmental trade balances

Soo Jung HA, Univ. Strathclyde, Scotland, Geoffrey J.D. HEWINGS, Univ. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA, Karen TURNER, Univ. Strathclyde, Scotland

Discussant: David HOLLAND, Washington State Univ., Pullman, USA

10:45–11:30

A rectangular approach to the Leontief and Ghoshian price and quantity models

Donald A. GILCHRIST and Larry V. ST. LOUIS, Univ. Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada

Discussant: Karen TURNER, Univ. Strathclyde, Scotland

11:30–12:15

Initial applications of procedures to estimate the economic impacts of alternative agricultural production practices in the Walker River Basin

Elizabeth FADALI and Thomas R. HARRIS, Univ. Nevada, Reno, USA

Discussant: Daniel K. LEW, Alaska Fisheries Science Center and Univ. California, Davis, USA



Tuesday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM

Paper Session 3F ~ Juniper Suite, Room 1055

Remote Regions, I

Chair: Douglas N. JONES, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA

8:00–8:45

Sámi entrepreneurship arising from reindeer in the Jokkmokk area of Northern Sweden

Aldene MEIS MASON, Univ. Regina, Leo Paul DANA, Univ. Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand, Robert ANDERSON, Univ. Regina, SK, Canada

Discussant: Stephanie MARTIN, Univ. Alaska, Anchorage, USA

8:45–9:30

Indigenous people and the extractive industry in Russia: A case of Eastern Siberia–Pacific Ocean oil pipeline

Natalia YAKOVLEVA, ESRC Research Centre for Business Relationships, Accountability, Sustainability, and Society, UK

Discussant: Douglas N. JONES, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Importing natural gas to Alaska: Regional realism in the global marketplace

Greg PROTASEL, Univ. Alaska, Anchorage, USA

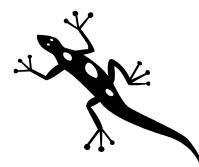
Discussant: Olle WESTERLUND, Umeå Univ., Sweden

10:45–11:30

The high north in a change: Geopolitical point of view

Lassi HEININEN, Univ. Lapland, Rovaniemi, Finland

Discussant: Lee HUSKEY, Univ. Alaska, Anchorage, USA



Winners of the Charles M. Tiebout Prize in Regional Science, 1987–2009

This is the 24th consecutive Annual Meeting at which the Charles M. Tiebout Prize will be presented. The Prize is awarded to the best paper submitted by a graduate student. The winner receives \$1,000 to help defray the costs of attending the conference.

The Prize honors the memory of Charlie Tiebout for his outstanding contributions to regional science before his untimely death in 1968. In addition to his scholarly achievements, "Charlie" Tiebout brought wit, irreverence, and goodwill to everything he did and everyone he knew. He was particularly good in advising, counseling, and encouraging graduate students: thus, it is fitting that the WRSA's annual prize bearing his name be awarded to the best graduate student paper in regional science.

23rd, 2009: **Yiming Wang**, University of Southern California

22nd, 2008: **Haifeng Qian**, George Mason University

21st, 2007: **Michael Wenz**, Winona State University

20th, 2006: **Rocco R. Huang**, The University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

19th, 2005: **Shaoming Chen**, George Mason University

18th, 2004: **Sandy Dall'Erba**, Université de Pau, France

17th, 2003: Co-winners:

Chokri Dridi, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Bhanu Yerra, University of Minnesota

16th, 2002: **Tracy Gordon**, University of California, Berkeley

15th, 2001: **Brian Mikelbank**, Ohio State University

14th, 2000: **Arno van der Vlist**, Free University of Amsterdam

13th, 1999: **Kara Kockelman**, University of Texas, Austin

12th, 1998: **Alexander C. Vias**, University of Arizona

11th, 1997: Co-winners:

Seong Woo Lee, University of Southern California

Woo Suk Zhee, University of Southern California

10th, 1996: **Steven P. Raphael**, University of California, Berkeley

9th, 1995: **David M. Levinson**, University of California, Berkeley

8th, 1994: **Ricardo Gazel**, University of Illinois

7th, 1993: Co-winners:

Hsin-Ping Chen, University of California, Irvine

Alastair McFarlane, University of Michigan

6th, 1992: **Henry Buist**, University of Pennsylvania

5th, 1991: **Katherine M. O'Regan**, University of California, Berkeley

4th, 1990: **T. Wong**, University of Manitoba

3rd, 1989: **Scott Campbell**, University of California, Berkeley

2nd, 1988: **Stephen J. Appold**, University of North Carolina

1st, 1987: **Timothy J. Fik**, University of Arizona



Tuesday, 12:30 – 2:15 PM

Annual Banquet Luncheon

Canyon Ballroom

(For all registered and paid participants; tickets required.).

Chair: David HOLLAND, 50th WRSA President (2009–2010)

Announcements:

David A. PLANE, WRSA Executive Secretary

The 13th Annual Springer Prize

Presented by:

Börje JOHANSSON, Euijune KIM, and Roger R. STOUGH, Coeditors, *Annals of Regional Science*, and Barbara FESS, Springer Publishers

The 24th Charles M. Tiebout Prize

Presented by:

Geoffrey J. D. HEWINGS, 48th WRSA President (2007–2008) and Chair, 2009–2010 Reading Committee

Presidential Address: And now for something different: Modelling socio-political landscapes

Robert J. STIMSON, 51st WRSA President (2010–2011)

Discussant:

Kingsley E. HAYNES, 32nd WRSA President (1991–1992)



Tuesday, 2:30 – 5:45 PM

Paper Session 4A ~ Canyon Ballroom A

Remote Regions, II: Migration

Chair: Greg PROTASEL, Univ. Alaska, Anchorage, USA
2:30–3:15

Migration and communities: Understanding who stays and why

Stephanie MARTIN, Univ. Alaska, Anchorage, USA

Discussant: Natalia YAKOVLEVA, ERSC Research Centre for Business Relationships, Accountability, Sustainability, and Society, UK

3:15–4:00

Geographical mobility in Sweden: Does the influence of labour market related factors diminish over time?

Olle WESTERLUND, Umeå Univ., and Kent ELIASSON, Umeå Univ. and Swedish Agency for Growth Policy Analysis

Discussant: Greg PROTASEL, Univ. Alaska, Anchorage, USA

4:00–4:15, Coffee Break

4:15–5:00

Migration and settlement patterns among young people and families in Swedish rural and urban areas

Mats JOHANSSON, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

Discussant: Yiming WANG, Cardiff Univ., Wales

5:00–5:45

The role of market and traditional earnings in determining the pattern of migration in Arctic Alaska

Lee HUSKEY, Univ. Alaska, Anchorage, USA

Discussant: Lassi HEININEN, Univ. Lapland, Rovaniemi, Finland



Tuesday, 2:30 – 5:00 PM

Paper Session 4B ~ Oak Creek Canyon A Job Stimulation and the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

Chair: Warren GILL, Simon Fraser Univ.,
Vancouver, B.C., Canada

2:30–3:15

Comparing EU and US regional growth patterns and policies: Guidance for the Presidential Stimulus Package

Sandy DALL'ERBA, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA
Discussant: Mark PARTRIDGE, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA

3:15–4:00

The effects of declining job finding rates on insured unemployment

Jamie R. HAAG, Pacific Univ., Forest Grove, OR, USA
Discussant: Mark SKIDMORE, Michigan State Univ., East Lansing, USA

4:00–4:15, Coffee Break

4:15–5:00

Unemployment with discouraged labor force participation facing economic crisis: Explanatory spatial data analysis among US states

Jaewon LIM, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA
Discussant: Douglas N. JONES, The Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA



Tuesday, 2:30 – 5:45 PM

Paper Session 4C ~ Oak Creek Canyon B Transportation, II

Chair: Qisheng PAN, Texas Southern Univ., Houston, USA
2:30–3:15

Is public transit investment an effective growth management strategy?

Genevieve GIULIANO, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA, and Ajay AGARWAL, Queen's Univ., Kingston, ON, Canada

Discussant: T. John KIM, Univ. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA

3:15–4:00

Economic evolution along dynamic mega corridors: Role of transport investments and structural change in knowledge economy

T.R. LAKSHMANAN, William P. ANDERSON, Y. SONG, and D. LI, Boston Univ., MA, USA, and McMaster Univ., Hamilton, ON, Canada

Discussant: Peter FRIEDRICH, Univ. Tartu, Estonia

4:00–4:15, Coffee Break

4:15–5:00

Corridor location: The Multi-Gateway Model

Maria P. SCAPARRA and Richard L. CHURCH, Univ. California, Santa Barbara, USA

Discussant: Daoqin TONG, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

5:00–5:45

Seat belt use on North Dakota rural roads, 2009

Kimberly VACHAL, Donald MALCHOSE, Mark LOFGREN, Andrea HUSETH, and Laurel BENSON, North Dakota State Univ., Fargo, USA

Discussant: Simon CHOI, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, USA



Tuesday, 2:30 – 5:00 PM

Paper Session 4D ~ Ironwood Suite, Room 1052 Human Capital

Chair: Hans WESTLUND, Royal Institute, Stockholm, Sweden
2:30–3:15

Regional income distribution and human capital formation

Florian W. BARTHOLOMAE and Alina M. POPESCU-SCHOENBERG, Univ. Bundeswehr Munich, Neubiberg, Germany
Discussant: David M. BRASINGTON, Univ. Cincinnati, OH, USA

3:15–4:00

Exploring the geography of educational segregation in Seoul, Korea

Dong Hyun KIM, Sung Chul CHO, and Up LIM, Yonsei Univ., Seoul, Korea

Discussant: Jason R. JURJEVICH, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

4:00–4:15, Coffee Break

4:15–5:00

Smoke-free laws and employee wages

Nola OGUNRO and Ellen HAHN, Univ. Kentucky, Eric THOMPSON, Univ. Nebraska, Lincoln, and Aaron YELOWITZ, Univ. Kentucky, Lexington, USA

Discussant: Jack W. OSMAN, San Francisco State Univ., CA, USA



Tuesday, 2:30 – 5:45 PM

Paper Session 4E ~ Oak Suite, Room 1054 Papers in Honor of Gordon Mulligan, III

Chair: Arthur GETIS, San Diego State Univ., CA, USA
2:30–3:15

Measuring spatial dynamics in metropolitan areas

Sergio J. REY, Luc ANSELIN, and David C. FOLCH, Arizona State Univ., Daniel ARRIBAS-BEL, Univ. Zaragoza, Spain, and Myrna L. SASTRÉ-GUTIÉRREZ, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

Discussant: J. Kim SWALES, Univ. Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland

3:15–4:00

Analytical methods for error propagation in planar space-time prisms

Tetsuo KOBOYASHI and Harvey J. MILLER, Univ. Utah, Salt Lake City, USA, and Walied OTHMAN, Hasselt Univ., Diepenbeek, Belgium

Discussant: Alan T. MURRAY, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

4:00–4:15, Coffee Break

4:15–5:00

Exploring movement object patterns

Alan T. MURRAY, Yin LIU, Sergio J. REY, and Luc ANSELIN,
Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

Discussant: Harvey J. MILLER, Univ. Utah, Salt Lake City,
USA

5:00–5:45

***Coordination and equilibrium selection in games with positive
network effects***

Alexander M. JAKOBSEN, Univ. British Columbia, Vancouver,
B.C., B. Curtis EATON and David KRAUSE, Univ. Calgary, AB,
Canada

Discussant: Jeremiah ALLEN, Univ. Lethbridge, AB, Canada



Tuesday, 2:30 – 5:45 PM

***Paper Session 4F ~ Ironwood Suite, Room 1055
Spatial Statistical Modeling, I***

Chair: Brian H.S. KIM, Seoul National Univ., Korea

2:30–3:15

***Estimating spatially-explicit microdata by using data from small
area statistics and public-use microdata: A new method***

Nicholas N. NAGLE, Univ. Tennessee, Knoxville, USA, Barbara
BUTTENFIELD and Stefan LEYK, Univ. Colorado, Boulder,
USA

Discussant: Chang K. SEUNG, National Marine Fisheries,
Seattle, WA, USA

3:15–4:00

***Sex offenders and residential location: A predictive-analytical
framework***

Elizabeth A. MACK and Tony H. GRUBESIC, Indiana Univ.,
Bloomington, USA

Discussant: Douglas WOODWARD, Univ. South Carolina,
Columbia, USA

4:00–4:15, Coffee Break

4:15–5:00

***Identifying geographical widespread effect of land-use on
housing values and population values: Evidence from a spatial
GMM analysis***

P. Wilner JEANTY, Mark PARTRIDGE, and Elena IRWIN, The
Ohio State Univ., Columbus, USA

Discussant: Xinyue YE, Bowling Green State Univ., OH,
USA

5:00–5:45

Filtering analysis of geographic movement tables

Waldo TOBLER, Univ. California, Santa Barbara, USA

Discussant: Sergio J. REY, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

WRSA Hosts Giant North American Meetings

November 18–21, 2009, WRSA hosted the 56th North American
Meetings of the RSAI at the Grand Hyatt Hotel on Union Square in
San Francisco. With 627 registrants, the conference qualified as
the second largest regional science gathering ever held in North
America – topped by only the 2008, 55th Meetings in Brooklyn.
The final count included 367 North Americans and 260 from other
continents. There were 140 student participants.

Serge Rey did a masterful job organizing the Program;
Dave Plane was the Arrangements Chair. WRSA Fellow John
Quigley served as NARSC's 2009 President. The S.F. Fed
hosted a gracious conference party at the Bank headquarters.

**The 51 WRSA Presidents**

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2 nd	1961	Morgan D. Thomas
3 rd	1962	James N. Tattersall
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5 th	1964	John W. Dyckman
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7 th	1966	Fred E. Case
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19 th	1978	David Seymour
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22 nd	1981	Niles Hansen
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39 th	1998	Lay James Gibson
40 th	1999	Arthur Getis
41 st	2000	John M. Quigley
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43 rd	2002	Roger Stough
44 th	2003	Koichi Mera
45 th	2004	Juanita Liu
46 th	2005	Lee Huskey
47 th	2006	Jack W. Osman
48 th	2007	Geoffrey J. D. Hewings
49 th	2008	T. John Kim
50 th	2009	David W. Holland
51 st	2010	Robert J. Stimson



Wednesday, February 24

7:00 – 10:00 AM, Coffee Available (Canyon Foyer)

7:00 AM – 5:00 PM, Exhibits and Internet Café Open
(Canyon Ballroom B)

7:45 AM – 12:15 PM, Registration
(Continues, Canyon Foyer)

8:00 AM – 12:15 PM, Concurrent Sessions:

- 5A** Spatial Statistical Modeling, II (Canyon Ballroom A)
- 5B** Migration (Oak Creek Canyon A)
- 5C** Papers in Honor of G. Mulligan, IV (Oak Creek Canyon B)
- 5D** Housing & Urban Land Use, II (Ironwood Suite, 1052)
- 5E** Environmental Sustainability (Oak Suite, Room 1054)

9:30 – 10:00 AM, Coffee Break (Canyon Foyer)

12:15 – 1:15 PM, Lunch Break (On your own this day)

1:30 – 5:00 PM, Concurrent Sessions:

- 6A** Environmental Sustainability, II (Canyon Ballroom A)
- 6B** Papers in Honor of G. Mulligan, V (Oak Creek Canyon A)
- 6C** Housing and Urban Land Use, III (Oak Creek Canyon B)
- 6D** Spatial and Statistical Modeling, III (Ironwood Suite, 1052)
- 6E** Labor Markets (Oak Suite, Room 1054)

3:00 – 3:30 PM, Coffee Break (Canyon Foyer)

(5:00 PM, Conference ends)



Wednesday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM Paper Session 5A ~ Canyon Ballroom A Spatial Statistical Modeling, II

Chair: Sandy DALL'ERBA, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA
8:00–8:45

Inter- vs. intraregional income inequality and voting behavior within federations

Florian W. BARTHOLOMAE and Alina M. POPESCU-SCHOENBERG, Univ. Bundeswehr Munich, Neubiberg, Germany
Discussant: Liz Ileana RODRÍGUEZ-GÁMEZ, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

8:45–9:30

A spatial-dependence continuous-time model for regional unemployment change in Germany

Johan H.L. OUD, Radboud Univ., Nijmegen, Henk FOLMER, Univ. Groningen and Univ. Wageningen, The Netherlands, Robert PATUELLI, Univ. Lugano, Switzerland, and Peter NIJKAMP, Free Univ., Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Discussant: Sandy DALL'ERBA, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Forecasting industry employment for a resource-based economy using Bayesian vector autoregressive models
Chang K. SEUNG, National Marine Fisheries Service, Seattle, WA, USA

Discussant: Nicholas N. NAGLE, Univ. Tennessee Knoxville, USA

10:45–11:30

Space-time empirics for economic growth
Xinyue YE and Sergio J. REY, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA
Discussant: Henk FOLMER, Univ. Groningen and Univ. Wageningen, The Netherlands



Wednesday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM Paper Session 5B ~ Oak Creek Canyon A Migration

Chair: Up LIM, Yonsei Univ., Korea

8:00–8:45

Spatial socioeconomic mobility in Mexico
Myrna L. SASTRÉ-GUTIÉRREZ and Sergio J. REY, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

Discussant: Abby Shenbaum TRAIN, New Mexico State Univ., Las Cruces, USA

8:45–9:30

The returns to migration type, education, and social networks
Thomas A. KNAPP, Pennsylvania State Univ., Lehman, Nancy E. WHITE and Amy M. WOLAYER, Bucknell, Univ., Lewisburg, PA, USA

Discussant: Mikko MOILANEN, Univ. Tromsø and Northern Research Institute, Tromsø, Norway

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45

Migration and the transfer of non-earned income among Canadian seniors

Bruce NEWBOLD, McMaster Univ., Hamilton, ON, Canada
Discussant: Nancy E. WHITE, Bucknell Univ., Lewisburg, PA, USA

10:45–11:30

Urban to rural migration patterns and the creative class: A U.S. county-to-county study

Abby Shenbaum TRAIN, New Mexico State Univ., Las Cruces, USA

Discussant: David A. PLANE, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

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Wednesday, 8:00 – 11:30 AM
**Paper Session 5C ~ Oak Creek Canyon B
 Papers in Honor of Gordon Mulligan, IV**

Chair: Richard MORRILL, Univ. Washington, Seattle, USA
 8:00–8:45
Did local land use regulations create the recession of 2007? A theoretical narrative
 Ralph McLAUGHLIN, Univ. South Australia, Adelaide
 Discussant: Alastair McFARLANE, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, DC, USA
 8:45–9:30

The homeownership gap
 Andrew HAUGHWOUT, Richard PEACH, and Joseph TRACY, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, USA
 Discussant: Rachel FRANKLIN, Univ. Maryland, College Park, USA

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45
Defining urban and rural areas for the 2010 census: Current status of proposed criteria
 Christopher J. HENRIE and Kevin HAWLEY, U.S. Census Bureau, Suitland, MD, USA
 Discussant: Richard MORRILL, Univ. Washington, Seattle
 10:45–11:30
The American way of land use: A spatial hazard analysis of changes through time
 John I. CARRUTHERS, U.S. Department of Housing and Development, Selma LEWIS and Gerrit-Jan KNAAP, Univ. Maryland, College Park, and Robert N. RENNER, U.S. Department of Housing and Development, Washington
 Discussant: Maureen KILKENNY, Univ. Nevada, Reno, USA



Wednesday, 8:00 AM – 12:15 PM
**Paper Session 5D ~ Ironwood Suite, Room 1052
 Housing and Urban Land Use, II**

Chair: Jae-Ik KIM, Keimyung Univ., Daegu, Korea
 8:00–8:45
A methodology to compute the regional housing price index using matching estimator methods
 Dusan PAREDES ARAYA, Univ. Illinois Urbana-Champaign, USA
 Discussant: Mats WILHELMSSON, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden
 8:45–9:30
Do school ratings affect housing prices? The effects of 'No Child Left Behind'
 Joseph C. VON NESSEN, Douglas WOODWARD, and Paulo GUIMARÃES, Univ. South Carolina, Columbia, USA
 Discussant: Pia NILSSON, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

10:00–10:45
The dynamics of the metropolitan housing prices in the U.S.: Evidence of principal components and panel cointegration
 Wei-Choun YU, Winona State Univ., Winona, MN, and Michael WENZ, Northeastern Illinois Univ., Chicago, USA
 Discussant: Michael CARROLL, Bowling Green State Univ., KY, USA

10:45–11:30
Characteristics of successful shopping centres
 Hanna LARSSON, Jönköping Univ., Sweden

Discussant: Michael WENZ, Northeastern Illinois Univ., Chicago, USA

11:30–12:15
Loss aversion and household mobility in Korea
 Jun-Hyung KIM, Seoul National Univ., and Alexander LEWIS, Pantos Logistics, Korea
 Discussant: Hongwei DONG, Portland State Univ., OR, USA



Wednesday, 8:00 AM – 12:15 PM
**Paper Session 5E ~ Oak Suite, Room 1054
 Environmental Sustainability, I**

Chair: Euijune KIM, Seoul National Univ., Korea

8:00–8:45
Time dynamics and the introduction of new technologies within IO analysis
 Christa D. JENSEN and Randall W. JACKSON, West Virginia Univ., Morgantown, USA
 Discussant: Andrew BLOHM, Univ. Maryland, College Park, USA
 8:45–9:30
Strategies for carbon dioxide emissions reductions: Residential natural gas efficiency, economic and ancillary health impacts in Maryland
 Matthias RUTH, Andrew BLOHM, and Steven A. GABRIEL, Univ. Maryland, Benjamin F. HOBBS, Johns Hopkins Univ., Darius IRANI, Towson Univ., Yihsu CHEN, Univ. California, Merced, Joanna MAUER, Univ. Maryland, College Park, and Vijay G. KESANA, Johns Hopkins Univ., Baltimore, MD, USA
 Discussant: Christa D. JENSEN, West Virginia Univ., Morgantown, USA

9:30–10:00, Coffee Break

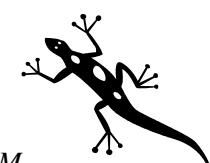
10:00–10:45
Assessing local refinery profitability and rising world oil prices
 Makena COFFMAN, Univ. Hawaii, Manoa, USA

Discussant: Hodjat GHADIMI, West Virginia Univ., Morgantown, USA

10:45–11:30
ArborCycles: Forecasting a growing renewable resource
 Ron McCHESENEY, Three Scale Strategy LLC, Columbus, OH, and Samantha FERRO, Orlando, FL, USA
 Discussant: Eric THOR, Arizona State Univ. Tempe, USA

11:30–12:15
Urban form and greenhouse emissions
 Simon CHOI and Sung Su YOON, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, USA

Discussant: Ronald J. GUNDERSON, Northern Arizona Univ., Flagstaff, USA



Wednesday, 12:15 – 1:30 PM
Lunch Break (On your own this day)



Wednesday, 1:30 – 5:00 PM
Paper Session 6A ~ Canyon Ballroom A
Environmental Sustainability, II

Chair: Henk FOLMER, Univ. Groningen and
Univ. Wageningen, The Netherlands

1:30–2:15

Sustainable economic development in energy rich economies: A regional approach

Hodjat GHADIMI, West Virginia Univ., Morgantown, USA
Discussant: Soo Jung HA, Univ. Strathclyde, Scotland

2:15–3:00

Who creates waste? Different perspectives on waste attribution in a regional economy

Christa D. JENSEN, West Virginia Univ., Morgantown, USA,
Stuart McINTYRE, Univ. Strathclyde, Max MUNDAY, Cardiff
Univ., Wales, and Karen TURNER, Univ. Strathclyde, Glasgow,
Scotland

Discussant: Matthias RUTH, Univ. Maryland, College Park,
USA

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

Envisioning a sustainable Maryland: Comparing alternative development scenarios considering energy consumption and water quality

Andrew BLOHM, Univ. Maryland, Nikhil KAZA, Univ. North
Carolina, Chapel Hill, Jason BECKER, Matthias RUTH, and Gerrit
KNAPP, Univ. Maryland, College Park, and Glenn MOGLEN,
Virginia Technical Univ., Falls Church, USA

Discussant: Randall JACKSON, West Virginia Univ.,
Morgantown, USA

4:15–5:00

Capital structures matrix: A model for public access to project interpretation

Alexandria M. FRAWLEY, Coconino College, and Ronald J.
GUNDERSON, Northern Arizona Univ., Flagstaff, USA
Discussant: Makena COFFMAN, Univ. Hawaii, Manoa, USA



Wednesday, 1:30 – 5:00 PM
Paper Session 6B ~ Oak Creek Canyon A
Papers in Honor of Gordon Mulligan, V

Chair: Richard W. REEVES, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA
1:30–2:15

Rural roads versus African famines

Marie-Fran  oise CALMETTE, Univ. Toulouse, France, and
Maureen KILKENNY, Univ. Nevada, Reno, USA
Discussant: Robert STIMSON, Univ. Queensland, Brisbane,
Australia

2:15–3:00

Integrating the fragmented regional and sub-regional socio-economic forecasting: A spatial regional econometric input-output framework

Jae Hong KIM and Geoffrey J. D. HEWINGS, Univ. Illinois,
Urbana-Champaign, USA

Discussant: Sergio J. REY, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

The export base model with a supply-side stimulus to the export sector

Soo Jung HA and J. Kim SWALES, Univ. Strathclyde, Glasgow,
Scotland

Discussant: Geoffrey J.D. HEWINGS, Univ. Illinois, Urbana-
Champaign, USA

4:15–5:00

The nature of spatial effects: A paper in honor of Gordon Mulligan

Arthur GETIS, San Diego State Univ., CA, USA

Discussant: Sonya M. GLAVAC, Univ. New England,
Armidale, NSW, Australia



Wednesday, 1:30 – 5:00 PM
Paper Session 6C ~ Oak Creek Canyon B
Housing and Urban Land Use, III

Chair: Sungyop KIM, Univ. Missouri, Kansas City, USA

1:30–2:15

Forecasting housing prices with Google econometrics: A demand oriented approach

Rajendra KULKARNI, Kingsley E. HAYNES, Roger STOUGH,
and J. H. P. PAELINCK, George Mason Univ., Fairfax, VA, USA

Discussant: Dusan PAREDES ARAYA, Univ. Illinois,
Urbana-Champaign, USA

2:15–3:00

The impact of crime on apartment prices: Evidence of Stockholm, Sweden

Vania CECCATO and Mats WILHELMSSON, Royal Institute of
Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

Discussant: Daniel HARTLEY, Univ. California, Berkeley,
USA

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

Housing policy in geographic context: The American dream writ local

Lawrence A. BROWN and Michael WEBB, The Ohio State Univ.,
Columbus, USA

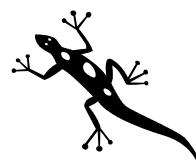
Discussant: Svante MANDELL, VTI, Stockholm, Sweden

4:15–5:00

The effect of urban containment policy on urban development pattern: The case of Daegu metropolitan areas, Korea

Jae Ik KIM, Keimyung Univ., Daegu, and Chang-Hwan YEO,
Daegu Univ., Korea

Discussant: Phil RUDER, Pacific Univ., Forest Grove, OR,
USA





Wednesday, 1:30 – 5:00 PM

**Paper Session 6D ~ Ironwood Suite, Room 1052
Spatial Statistical Modeling, III**

Chair: Paul POLZIN, Univ. Montana, Missoula, USA
1:30–2:15

Spatial analysis of employment in a northwest Mexican city: A spatial econometric perspective in Hermosillo, Sonora (1999–2004)

Liz Ileana RODRÍGUEZ-GÁMEZ and Sandy DALL'ERBA, Univ. Arizona, Tucson, USA

Discussant: Elizabeth A. MACK, Indiana Univ., Bloomington, USA

2:15–3:00

All polycentricity is local: The spatial organization of employment and population in Barcelona and Los Angeles

Miquel-Angel GARCIA-LÓPEZ, Univ. Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain, and Christian L. REDFEARN, Univ. Southern California, Los Angeles, USA

Discussant: Elizabeth A. MACK, Indiana Univ., Bloomington, USA

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

Exploratory space-time analysis of local economic development: Communities at risk

Michael C. CARROLL and Xinyue YE, Bowling Green State Univ., OH, USA

Discussant: Lee MOBLEY, RTI International, Research Triangle Park, NC, USA

4:15–5:00

Managed care spillovers and the diffusion of endoscopic colorectal cancer screening technology in U.S. FSS Medicare markets

Lee MOBLEY, RTI International, Research Triangle Park, NC, and Luc ANSELIN, Arizona State Univ., Tempe, USA

Discussant: Stefania LIONETTI, Univ. Lugano, Switzerland



Wednesday, 1:30 – 4:15 PM
**Paper Session 6E ~ Oak Suite, Room 1054
Labor Markets**

Chair: Aidan VINING, Simon Fraser Univ., Vancouver, BC, Canada

1:30–2:15

No place like home? A study on the returns to staying among young adults

Mikko MOILANEN, Univ. Tromsø and Northern Research Institute, Tromsø, Norway

Discussant: Thomas A. KNAPP, Pennsylvania State Univ., Lehman, USA

2:15–3:00

Wage inequality among Chinese provinces, 1990–2007

Florence BOUVET, Sonoma State Univ., Rohnert Park, and Alyson C. MA, Univ. San Diego, CA, USA

Discussant: Florian W. BARTHOLOMAE, Univ. Bundeswehr Munich, Neubiberg, Germany

3:00–3:30, Coffee Break

3:30–4:15

Four migration catastrophes

Jeremiah ALLEN, Univ. Lethbridge, AB, Canada

Discussant: Jamie R. HAAG, Pacific Univ., Forest Grove, OR, USA



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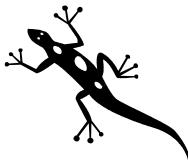
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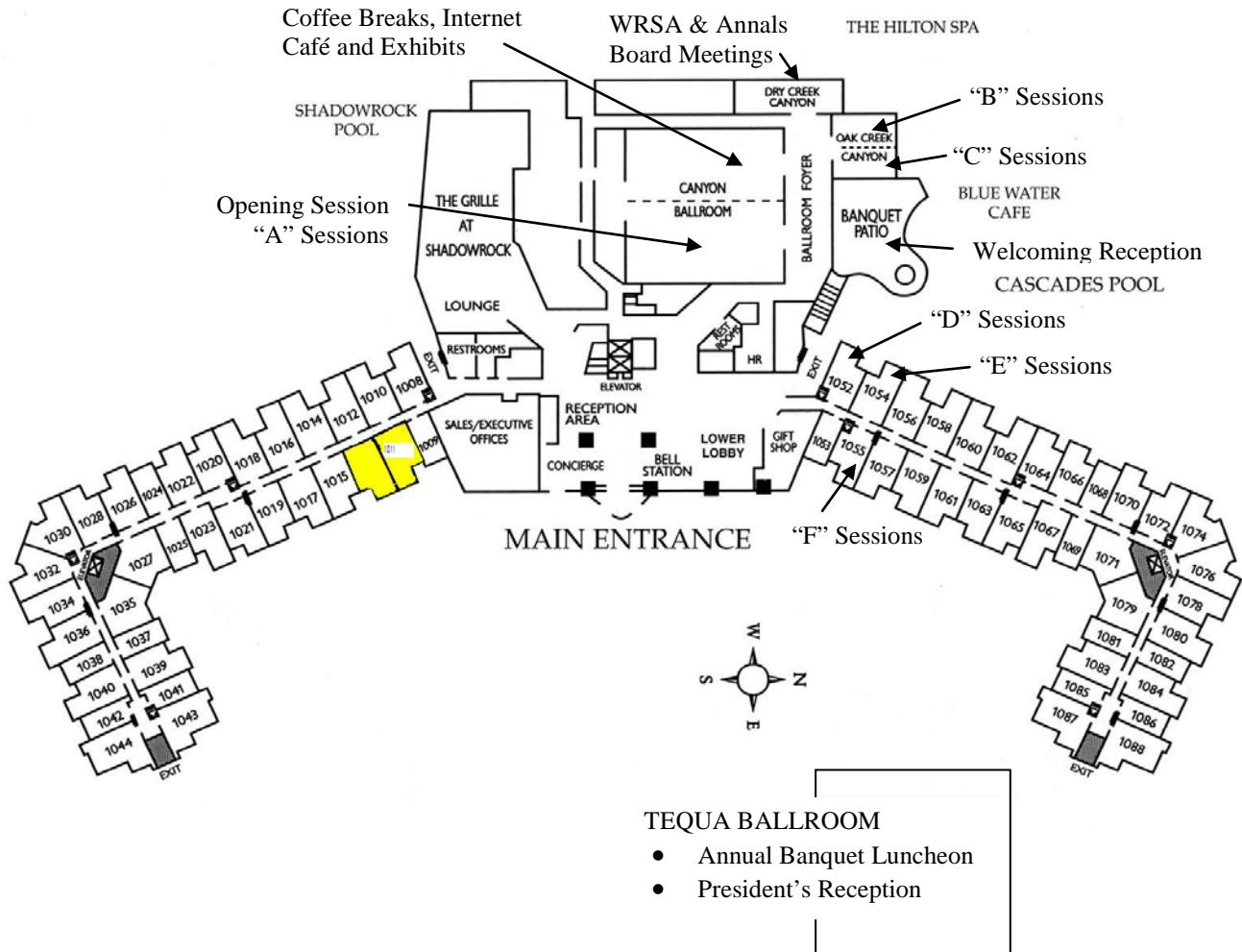
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