

WGAPE Spring Conference 2012

Blum Center University of California Berkeley

Thursday May 24th

- 10.00 am - 10.20 am** Coffee & Breakfast
- 10.20 am - 10.40 am** Welcome and Introductions, Discussion of WGAPE and Presentation Format, **Edward Miguel, Dan Posner, Adina Rom**
- 10.40 am - 11.30 am** **Brigitte Zimmerman**, Daniel P. Enemark, Clark C. Gibson, Mathew D. McCubbins, *Does Power Corrupt? The Effect of Holding Local Political Office in Zambia on Generalized Trust and Altruistic Reciprocity*, UCSD, Political Science
- 11.30 am - 11.40 am** Coffee Break
- 11.40 am - 12.30 pm** **Jessica Hoel**, *Do Spouses' Responses to Asymmetric Information Match? Laboratory Evidence from Kenya*, University of Michigan, Economics
- 12.30 pm - 1.30 pm** Lunch
- 1.30 pm - 2.00 pm** **Edward Miguel**, *discussion of pre-analysis plans*
- 2.00 pm - 2.50 pm** **Omar Garcia-Ponce** and Leonard Wantchekon, *The Institutional Legacy of African Independence Movements*, New York University, Politics
- 2.50 pm - 3.00 pm** 10 min Break
- 3.00 pm - 3.50 pm** **Kelly Zhang**, *Increasing Citizen Demand for Good Government in Kenya*, Stanford, Political Science
- 3.50 pm - 4.10 pm** Coffee Break
- 4.10 pm - 5.00 pm** **Tristan Reed**, Daron Acemoglu, James A. Robinson, *Chiefs*, Harvard University, Economics
- 5.10 pm - 5.40 pm** *Executive Committee Meeting*

Friday May 25th

- 9.00 am - 9.20 am** Coffee & Breakfast
- 9.20 am - 10.10 am** **Jason Kerwin**, *"Rational Fatalism": Non-monotonic choices in response to risk*, University of Michigan, Economics
- 10.10 am - 10.30 am** Coffee Break
- 10.30 am - 11.20 am** **Gwyneth McClendon**, *Co-ethnicity and democratic governance, An Experiment with South African Politicians*, Princeton University, Politics
- 11.20 am - 11.40 am** Coffee Break
- 11.40 am - 12.30 pm** **Jessica Gottlieb**, *Do low voter expectations undermine government accountability? A field experiment in Mali*, Stanford, Political Science
- 12.30 pm - 12.40 pm** Concluding Remarks