



Agenda

Economics Institute for Judges

Sunday, May 7 to Friday, May 12, 2017

Sunday, May 7

4:30 – 5:00 pm

Registration

5:00 – 6:30 pm

Welcome

D. Bruce Johnsen, Director of Judicial Education Program and Professor of Law, Law & Economics Center, George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School

Icebreaker Activity

John J. Kornacki, Director of Education, Law & Economics Center, George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School

6:30 – 8:30 pm

Reception and Dinner

History of the LEC

D. Bruce Johnsen, George Mason University Foundation Professor of Law, Executive Director, Law & Economics Center, George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School

Monday, May 8

7:00 – 7:30 am

Breakfast, Residence Inn

8:00 – 9:15 am

Economic Thinking | Johnsen

9:30 – 10:45 am

Supply Demand, and Mutually Beneficial Exchange I Johnsen

11:00 – 12:15pm

Scientific Methodology

James S. Trefil, Robinson Professor of Physics, George Mason University

12:15 - 1:00pm

Lunch

1:00 – 2:15 pm

Expert Testimony | Trefil

2:30 – 3:45 pm

Market Magic and Price Formation

Cesar Martinelli, Professor of Economics, George Mason University

Tuesday, May 9

7:00 – 7:30 am

Breakfast

8:00 – 9:15 am

Agency Costs and Contracting

Henry Butler, Dean and Professor of Law, George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School

9:30 – 10:45 am

Competition and Monopoly

James Cooper, Professor of Law, George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School

11:00 -12:15 am

Cartels and Mergers

Murat C. Mungan, Associate Professor of Law, George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School

12:15 – 1:00 pm

Lunch

1:00– 2:15 pm

Economics of Information and Privacy | Cooper

2:30 – 3:45 pm Introduction to Behavioral Economics | Cooper

Wednesday, May 10

7:00 – 7:30 am

Breakfast

8:00 – 9:15 am

Externalities, Property Rights, and the Coase Theorem | Johnsen

9:30 – 10:45 am **Property Rights and Exchange | Johnsen**

11:00 - 12:15pm **Markets in Action**

Bruce H. Kobayashi, Associate Dean for Research & Faculty Development and Professor of Law, George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School

12:15 - 1:00 pm **Lunch**

1:00 – 2:15 pm **Economics of Civil Procedure I | Kobayashi**

2:30 – 3:45 pm **Economics of Civil Procedure II | Kobayashi**

Thursday, May 11

7:00 – 7:30 am **Breakfast**

8:00 – 9:15 am **Risk, Injury, and Liability I Johnsen**

9:30 – 10:45 am **Statistics in an Hour**

Jonathan Klick, Professor of Law University of Pennsylvania Law School

11:00 – 12:15 pm **When is Correlation Causation? | Klick**

12:15 -1:15 pm **Lunch**

1:15 - 2:45 pm **Using Empirical Research to Guide Policy Making | Klick**

2:45 – 3:00 pm **Group Photo**

3:15 pm **Optional Guided Tour of the Law School**

6:00 pm **Bus departs**

6:30 – 9:00 pm **Reception and Dinner**

9:00 pm **Bus departs**

Friday, May 12

7:00 – 7:45 am **Breakfast**

8:00 – 9:15 am **Public Choice: Concepts**

Todd J. Zywicki, George Mason University Foundation Professor of Law,
Executive Director, Law & Economics Center, George Mason University Antonin
Scalia Law School

9:15 – 9:45 am **Break, *Check Out of Hotel – Check Bags***

9:45 – 11:00 am **Public Choice: Applications | Zywicki**

11:15 am – 12:00 pm **Review | Johnsen and Kornacki**

12:00 pm **Adjourn**