



9th Summer Workshop in Health Economics 2nd and 3rd February 2012

Thursday, February 2

9:00 **Welcome and coffee**

9:30 **Youjin Hahn (Monash University)**

- “The Effect of Medicaid Physician Fees on Take-up of Public Health Insurance among Children in Poverty”

10:30 **Olena Stavrunova (University of Technology Sydney)**

- “The effect of the Medicare Levy Surcharge on the Demand for Private Health Insurance in Australia”

11:30 **Coffee Break**

12:00 **Jinhu Li (University of Melbourne)**

- “Physician Response to Pay-for-performance - Evidence from a Natural Experiment”

1:00 **Lunch**

2:00 **Elena Capatina (CAER & University of New South Wales)**

- “Life-cycle effects of health risk”

3:00 **Dimitris Christelis (CSEF, SHARE & CFS)**

- “Health insurance and portfolio choice”

4:00 **Coffee Break**

4:30 **James Smith (RAND)**

- “The long economic legacy of childhood health”

6:00 **Pub and dinner**

Dinner at the Banana Palm Restaurant, 260 Arden Street (the southern end of Coogee Beach) at 6:30pm. All workshop participants are welcome to attend. Please join us for pre-dinner drinks at the Coogee Bay Hotel.



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Friday, February 3

9:00 Coffee**9:30 Hayley Fisher (University of Sydney)**

- “The health benefits of marriage: evidence using variation in marriage tax penalties”

10:30 Bobbi Wolfe (University of Wisconsin)

- “A Sibling Death in the Family: Common and Consequential”

11:30 Coffee Break**12:00 Peter Siminski (University of Wollongong)**

- “Effects of Alcohol Availability on Mortality, Morbidity and Crime - Some Preliminary Results”

1:00 End of Workshop**Venue**

The workshop will be held at the Coogee Crown Plaza Hotel in Coogee.

Arrangements

All are welcome. There will be no cost for attending but for catering purposes prospective participants should email Dr. Isabella Dobrescu at dobrescu@unsw.edu.au.

Papers

Where presenters have provided complete papers they will be available at the workshop website: www.caer.unsw.edu.au. Participants are encouraged to download these papers beforehand as hard copies will not be available at the workshop.

Presented by the Health Economics Group of CAER

