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January 24 Erich Muehlegger, University of California, Davis, and **Richard Sweeney**, Boston College. Pass-Through of Input Cost Shocks Under Imperfect Competition: Evidence from the U.S. Fracking Boom.

January 31 Kent Daniel, Columbia University, Robert Litterman, Kepos Capital, and **Gernot Wagner**, Harvard University. Applying Asset Pricing Theory to Calibrate the Price of Climate Risk.

February 7 Kenneth Gillingham, Yale University, and **James Stock**, Harvard University. AEfficient Mitigation of Climate Change.

February 28 **Joseph Aldy**, Harvard University. Evaluating a Discretionary Safety Valve: The Economic and Environmental Impacts of Waiving Fuel Content Regulations in Response to Supply Shocks.

March 7 **Martin Weitzman**, Harvard University. Why Prices or Quantities Dominate Banking and Borrowing.

March 28 **Cass Sunstein**, Harvard University, Sebastian Bobadilla-Suarez, Stephanie Lazzaro, and Tali Sharot, University College London. How People Update Beliefs about Climate Change: Good News and Bad News. (Joint with HLS Behavioral Economics, Law, and Public Policy Seminar) Taubman Building 5th floor, Nye B-C.

April 18 **Janhavi Nilekani**, Harvard University. Driving Down Demand for Diesel: Does a Bus Driver Training and Incentive Program Increase Fuel Efficiency?

April 25 Dietrich Earnhart, University of Kansas, **Sarah Jacobson**, Williams College, Yusuke Kuwayama, Resources for the Future, and Richard Woodward, Texas A&M University. Variances: Regulatory Flexibility for Good or for Ill.

Note: Name of presenter is in **Bold**.

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