

Festschrift Conference in honor of Tony Lancaster

April 14-15, 2007, Brown University

Venue: Cabinet Building, Mencoff Hall, 68 Waterman St., Providence

Saturday April 14

8.30-9.30 AM Breakfast

9.30-11:10 First Session

Guido Imbens (Harvard) and Susan Athey: “Discrete Choice Models with Multiple Unobserved Choice Characteristics”

Wilbert van der Klaauw (North Carolina) and David Blau: “The Impact of Social and Economic Policy on the Family Structure Experiences of Children in the United States”

11:10-11.40 Coffee/Tea

11.40-12.30 Second Session

Orna Intrator (Brown): “Prospective Modelling of End-of-Life Utilization and Costs”

Lunch: 12.30-2.00

2.00-3.40 Third session

John Treble (Swansea): “Circularity and the Initial Conditions Problem in Dynamic Binary Choice Models”

Devendra Gupta (Delhi): “Population, Development, and Women's Status for India”

3.40-4.10 Coffee/tea

4.10-5.00 Fourth session

Geert Ridder (USC): To be announced.

6 pm. Conference Diner in “The Gatehouse”, 4 Richmond Sq., East Side, Providence

Sunday April 15

8.30-9.30 AM Breakfast

9.30-11:10 Fifth Session

Karsten Hansen (Northwestern): “Recent Developments in Empirical Marketing”

Tiemen Woutersen (Johns Hopkins): “Testing for Heterogeneity in Duration Models: A New Semiparametric Test”

11:10-11.40 Coffee/Tea

11.40-12.30 Sixth Session

Andrew Chesher (CeMMaP, UCL and IFS): “Endogeneity and Discrete Outcomes”

Lunch: 12.30-2.00

2.00-3.40 Seventh session

Sung Jae Jun (Penn State): Weak identification and conditional moment restrictions

Frank Kleibergen (Brown) and Lennart Hoogerheide, Herman van Dijk: Natural Conjugate Priors for the Instrumental Variables Regression Model applied to the Angrist-Krueger data

3.40-4.10 Coffee/tea

4.10-5.00 Eighth Session

Gary Chamberlain (Harvard) and Marcelo Moreira: “Decision Theory Applied to a Linear Panel Data Model”

Organizers: [Peter Dolton](#), Royal Holloway, University of London, and [John Treble](#), University of Wales Swansea.

Local Organizers: [Frank Kleibergen](#), Brown University and [Lauren Gallo](#), Brown University