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  Professor Yair Listokin
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- **Crowding in the Ride Sharing Market**
  Professor Soheil Ghili
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- **Education, Migration, and the Returns to Schooling**
  Professor John Eric Humphries
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  Professor Tristan Botelho
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• **Find a Job, Move, Crash the Real Estate Market**  
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  Award: Alissa Ji, Eli Metzner

• **Machine learning on Crowdfunding Platforms to Understand Drivers of Altruism**  
  Professor K. Sudhir  
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  Professor Johannes Hörner  
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• **Planet Earth: The Next 1000 Years**  
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• **Playing Checkers in Chinatown**  
  Professor Jose-Antonio Espin-Sanchez  
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• **Price Impact in Financial Markets**  
  Professor **Eduardo Davila**  
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  Professor **Zeqiong Huang**  
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• **Seasonal Migration in Nepal**  
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  Award: Adam Shaw

• **Shadow Banking**  
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• **Sieve “Parametric” Likelihood Ratio Bootstrapped Confidence Sets for Semiparametric Likelihood Models Under Partial Identification**  
  Professor **Xiaohong Chen**  
  Award: Shawn Luciani

• **Sustainability Metrics and Policy**
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Award: Mathew Jacob

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Professor Abigail Friedman
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The Tragedy of the Groundwater Commons: Adaptation to Environmental Change in Agriculture
Professor Nicholas Ryan
Award: Dalton Boyt

Using Observational Data to Aid in the External Validity of Randomized Controlled Trials
Professor Ed Vytlacil
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Voting Rights of Native Americans
Professor Ebonya Washington
Award: Nikita Raheja

Why So Few Minorities in Economics?
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Award: Vod Vilfort
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  Professor Gerald Jaynes
  Award: Lillian Hua, Brian Cho

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