Spring 2018 Tobin Research Projects

- **Bayesian inference in partially identified semiparametric models**
  Professor Xiaohong Chen
  Award:

- **Bidding and Renegotiation in Auctions for New Electricity Generation Capacity in India**
  Professor Nicholas Ryan
  Award: Hideo John Mori, Ryo Tamaki

- **Cognitive Ability and Economic Decision Making**
  Professor Cormac O'Dea
  Award: Lan Luo, Jakub Madej

- **Competition policy**
  Professor Fiona Scott Morton
  Award: Hersh Gupta, Monica Barbosa
  Closed to further applications

- **Demographic and Financial Modeling of the US Jewish Population**
  Professor Edi Pinker
  Award:
• **Discrimination in Diagnosis and Treatment? Evidence from the Emergency Department**  
  Professor Ebonya Washington  
  Award:

• **ESG - product or practice?**  
  Professor Daniel Esty  
  Award: Anjali Bery

• **Estimating Impact of Institutional Rigidities on Corporate Bond Returns after a Rating Change**  
  Professor Matthew Spiegel  
  Award: James Chung

• **Foreclosures and empty houses in CT**  
  Professor Jose-Antonio Espin-Sanchez  
  Award: Noah Stetson

• **Inequality, Neighborhood and Parenting Styles**  
  Professor Fabrizio Zilibotti  
  Award: Nicolas Jimenez

• **Internet freedom and democracy**  
  Professor Ivana Katie  
  Award: Grant Richardson; Lucas Ferrer; William Horvath
• Investigating Equal Access to Electricity in Dhaka, Bangladesh  
  Professor Mushfiq Mobarak  
  Award:

• Investor Classes in Initial Public Offerings  
  Professor Alina Lerman  
  Award: Pascal Ungerboeck, Tamir Rabinovich, Susan Wang

• Is the risk of sea level rise capitalized in residential real estate?  
  Professor Matthew Spiegel  
  Award: Alisa Wang, Michelle Hu

• Large economic shocks and labor market outcomes  
  Professor Costas Arkolakis  
  Award: Narek Alexanian, Andrew Sparkman

• Measuring the "Beta" of Different Tax Bases  
  Professor Yair Listokin  
  Award: William Vester

• Observations on the Globalization Bashing and its Academic Feeders  
  Professor Ernesto Zedillo
Award: Farouq Ghandour

- **Promoting Agricultural Technology through Social Networks in Nepal**  
  Professor Mushfiq Mobarak  
  Award: Bibek Basnet

- **Reducing Hunger During the Lean Season through Temporary Migration**  
  Professor Mushfiq Mobarak  
  Award: Madison Stenzel, Jaclyn Schess  
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- **Sensitivity in Partially Identified Semiparametric Models**  
  Professor Xiaohong Chen  
  Award: David

- **Social Mobility and the Role of Women in Pre-industrial Societies**  
  Professor Jose-Antonio Espin-Sanchez  
  Award: Michael, Lewis

- **The Effect of Public Pensions on Labor Supply: Evidence from a large reform to Polish Pensions**  
  Professor Cormac O'Dea  
  Award: Michael
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