**“Introduction to the Economics of Religion”**

**Tentative Grad Workshop Program**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 17**

*(Location: IRES house, 338 North Glassell St.)*

*8:30 AM: Shuttle leaves Ayres Hotel*

*8:45 - 9:15 AM: Coffee/Tea and Pastries*

**9:15 – 10:30 AM: Welcome / Religious Individuals & Groups**

Laurence Iannaccone: Intro & overview / religious household production & capital / religious groups / clubs, free-rider problems, sacrifice & extremism, etc

*10:30 – 10:45 PM: Coffee/Tea Break*

**10:45 – 12:30 PM: Religious Markets**

Michael McBride: Religious markets / supply, demand, monopoly, competition, church-state relationships and regulation, etc.

*12:30 – 2:00 PM: Lunch (local restaurants, downtown Orange)*

**2:00 – 3:15 PM: Religion & Culture**

Jean-Paul Carvalho: Religion and Cultural Transmission

*3:15 – 3:30 PM: Coffee/Tea Break*

**3:30 – 4:45 PM: Personal reflections and Practical Advice**

Julien Gagnon, Jared Rubin, et al.: Surviving your dissertation, finding a job, making tenure, winning a Nobel, etc.

**4:45 – 5:30 Drinks and conversation / catered by Sodexo**

**5:30 – 7:30 Dinner + reception / catered by Jalapeno’s Mexican restaurant**

*7:45 Shuttle leaves Chapman, returns to Ayers hotel*

**FRIDAY, MARCH 18**

*8:30 AM: Shuttle leaves Hotel? (Ayres or Embassy Suites?)*

*7:45 – 9:00 AM: Coffee/Tea and Pastries*

**9:00 – 10:30 AM: ASREC Parallel Sessions 1**

* 1A: Networks and Cooperation – Argyros Forum 209A
* 1B: Religion and Finance – Argyros Forum 209B

*10:30 – 11:00 AM: Coffee/Tea Break*

**11:00 – 12:30 PM: ASREC Parallel Sessions 2**

* 2A: Identity and Social Capital – Argyros Forum 209A
* 2B: Institutions and Culture – Argyros Forum 209B

*12:30 – 2:00 PM: Lunch (local restaurants)*

**2:00 – 3:30 PM: Grad Workshop Session on the Nature of Religion (IRES House)**

* Laurence Iannaccone: Defining and modeling substantive features of supernaturalism, religion vs. magic, private vs. collective religions, moral communities, etc.

*3:30 – 4:00 PM: Coffee/Tea Break*

**4:00 – 5:00 PM: Keynote Address**

Eli Berman: Propositions from Purgatory

**5:00 – 6:30 PM: ASREC Post-Keynote Reception**

**8:00 – 10:00 PM: ASREC Late Night Social (at IRES House, 338 No. Glassell St.)**

*10:00 PM: Shuttle leaves Chapman? (returns to Ayres Hotel or Embassy Suites or both?)*

**SATURDAY, MARCH 19:**

*8:30 AM: Shuttle leaves Hotel? (Ayres or Embassy Suites?)*

*7:45 – 8:30 AM: Coffee/Tea and Pastries*

**8:30 - 10:00 AM: Grad Workshop Session on Data Sources (IRES House)**

* Chris Bader, talking about the ARDA, plus other ASREC researchers sharing their experiences with major data sources, field research methods, creating on-line surveys, ethnographic methods, archival sources, etc.

*10:00 – 10:30 AM: Coffee/Tea Break*

**10:30 - 12:00 PM: ASREC Parallel Sessions 5**

* 5A: Social and Demographic Outcomes – Argyros Forum 209A
* 5B: The Dark Side of Religion and Culture – Argyros Forum 209B

*12:00 – 1:30 PM: Lunch (local restaurants)*

**1:30 – 3:00 PM: ASREC Parallel Sessions 6**

* 6A: Extremism – Argyros Forum 209A
* 6B: Theories of Religion and Culture – Argyros Forum 209B

**3:00 – 4:30 ASREC Closing Reception (Argyros Forum 3rd Fl. South Patio)**

*4:30 PM: Shuttle leaves Chapman? (returns to Ayres Hotel or Embassy Suites or both?)*