

# 11<sup>th</sup> Annual University of Melbourne Health Economics Group workshop

## 18<sup>th</sup> November 2019



**Venue:** Melbourne Institute Seminar Room level 6  
FBE Building, 111 Barry Street, University of Melbourne

**Aim:** The University of Melbourne Health Economics Group (UMHEG) is a cross-faculty network of health economists based primarily at the University of Melbourne. The aim of the workshop is to share the research being undertaken by the members of UMHEG.

**Organisers:** Dajung Jun (Melbourne Institute) and Jemimah Ride (Centre for Health Policy)

10:30-11:00 Welcome and morning tea

*Session chair: Ilias Goranitis*

11:00-12:15

Group overviews

**Tony Scott**, Melbourne Institute: Applied Economic & Social Research

**Stephen Duckett**, Grattan Institute

**Liana Jacobi**, Department of Economics

**Nancy Devlin**, Centre for Health Policy, School of Population and Global Health

**Barbara McPake**, Nossal Institute for Global Health, School of Population and Global Health

**Maarten Ijzerman**, Cancer Health Services Research, School of Population and Global Health

12:15-13:00

**Susan Mendez**, Melbourne Institute: Applied Economic & Social Research

*Gender differences in physician decisions to adopt new prescription drugs*

13:00-14:00

Lunch

*Session chair: John Tayu Lee*

14:00-14:45

**Victoria Baranov**, Department of Economics

*Maternal depression and child development: evidence from a psychotherapy RCT and stress biomarkers from hair*

14:45-15:30

**Nancy Devlin**, Centre for Health Policy, School of Population and Global Health

*A heterodox perspective on health state utilities*

15:30-16:00

Afternoon tea

*Session chair: Susan Mendez*

16:00-16:45

**Patrick Mulcahy**, Nossal Institute for Global Health, School of Population and Global Health

*Does public spending on health reduce inequalities in choice of medical provider in India? Evidence from National Sample Survey in India*

16:45-17:30

Early career researcher 3-minute presentations:

**Tianxin Pan**, Centre for Health Policy & Nossal Institute

*The Association between Mental-Physical Multimorbidity and Disability, Work Productivity and Social Participation: a Panel Data Analysis in China*

**Shuai Shao**, Nossal Institute

*Developing attributes and attribute-levels for three condition-specific discrete choice experiments on healthcare provider preferences in India*

**Michelle Tew**, Centre for Health Policy

*Using Patient-Reported Outcomes to Guide Value-Based Care for Total Knee Replacement*

**Huan Wang**, Department of Economics.

*China's new cooperative medical scheme and its medium-term impact*

**Judith Liu**, Melbourne Institute: Applied Economic & Social Research.

*How do patients respond to complex health insurance cost-sharing design?*

17:30-18:15

**Stephen King**

Productivity Commission

*The economics of the mental health system: the draft Productivity Commission report*

18:30

*Optional: dinner – own expense, please RSVP*