**Archive Departmental Seminars focused on Health  
  
Fall 2009**All seminars will be held at 3:10 in RB 161. Refreshments will be available at 2:30 in RB 453.

**August 28**Sameeksha Desai, George Mason University  
*"Entrepreneurship in Southern Iraq: A Preliminary Investigation"*

**September 4**Jason Fletcher, Yale University  
*"Friendship Networks and Health Behaviors"*

**September 11**Kosali Ilayperuma Simon, Cornell University  
*"Effect of Public Health Insurance Expansions on Hospital Care for Children"*

**September 18**  
 Rui Huang, University of Connecticut  
*"Variety: Consumer Choice and Welfare"*

**September 25**   
Cynthia Bansak, St. Lawrence University  
*"Effects of Remittances on Human Capital Formation in Nepal"*

**October 2**Julie Smith, Lafayette College  
*"PCEPI and CPI Inflation Links"*

**October 9**Aureo de Paula, University of Pennsylvania  
*Topic to be determined*  
  
**October 16**   
Jason Faberman, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia  
*"Revisiting the Role of Home Production in Life-Cycle Labor Supply"*

**October 23**Andreas Blume, University of Pittsburgh  
*Topic to be determined*

**October 30**Anthony LoSasso, University of Illinois at Chicago  
*"The Effects of Consumer-Directed Health Plans on Health Care Spending"*

**November 6**George Wehby, University of Iowa  
*Topic to be determined*

**November 13**   
Shanti Gamper-Rabindran, University of Pittsburgh  
*Topic to be determined*

**November 20**   
Parke Wilde, Tufts University  
*"The Economics of the Thrifty Food Plan"*

**December 4**  
 Kenneth Chay, Brown University  
*Topic to be determined*