Fall 2014
Seminar Schedule

Sept. 19th  Human Trafficking in Southeast Asia: Results from a Pilot Project in Rural Vietnam
Jim W. Hughes, Thomas Sowell Professor, Dept. of Economics, Bates College
Seminar is in 141 Bennett Hall

October 3rd  Bringing Imagination Back to the Economics Classroom: A Model for Understanding Creative Arts in Teaching
Mary E. Davis, Associate Professor, Dept. of Urban and Environmental Policy and Planning, Tufts University

October 10th  International Regulatory Harmonization
Danielle Jones, Policy Analyst, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, U. S. Office of Management and Budget
Seminar is from 1:10-2:00 in 206 Rogers Hall (part of ECO 450/590)

October 17th  A Look at Maine’s Economic and Fiscal Future
Joel Johnson, Economist, Maine Center for Economic Policy

October 24th  Mitigating the Costs of a Health Condition: Family Insurance in the PSID
Daniel LaFave, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Economics, Colby College

October 31st  Foreign Ownership and Firm Productivity: Evidence from a Large Sample of Countries
Andreas Waldkirch, Associate Professor, Dept. of Economics, Colby College

Nov. 7  The Context and Culture of Collective Action: Insights from Coastal Ecuador
Christine Beitl, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Anthropology, UMaine

Nov. 14  Grassroots Community Energy
Sharon W. Klein, Assistant Professor, School of Economics, UMaine

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