

LAW AND ECONOMICS SEMINAR
Fall 2015 —Louis Kaplow and Steven Shavell

Meetings will be Tuesdays (Hauser Hall 102, 5:00-6:30 PM)

- September 8 **Christopher Yoo** (University of Pennsylvania), “*Modularity Theory and Internet Policy: Towards a Dynamic Theory of Network Architecture and Regulation*”
- September 15 **Mark Roe** (HLS), “*Financial Markets and the Political Center of Gravity*”
- September 22 **Jason Johnston** (University of Virginia), “*Do Product Bans Help Consumers? Questioning the Economic Foundations of Dodd-Frank Mortgage Regulation*”
- September 29 **William Hubbard** (University of Chicago), “*The Discovery Sombrero, and Other Metaphors for Litigation*”
- October 6 **Scott Hemphill** (NYU), “*Less Restrictive Alternatives in Antitrust and Constitutional Law*”
- October 13 Columbus Day – No Class
- October 20 **Assaf Hamdani** (Hebrew University), “*Incentive Fees and Competition in Pension Funds*”
- October 27 **Jill Fisch** (University of Pennsylvania), “*Does Majority Voting Improve Board Accountability?*”
- November 3 **Oren Bar-Gill** (HLS), “*(Mis)perceptions of Law in Consumer Markets*”
- November 10 **Barak Richman** (Duke University), “*An Autopsy of Cooperation: Diamonds, Arbitration, and the Trust Myth*”
- November 17 **Elisabeth de Fontenay** (Duke University), “*Market Information and the Elite Law Firm*”
- November 24 **Louis Kaplow** (HLS), “*On the Relevance of Market Power*”
- December 1 **Alan Sykes** (NYU), “*Economic ‘Necessity’ in International Law*”

Also, two evening sessions for the students will be held in Hauser 102 on **Thursday, October 15**, and **Thursday, November 12**, from 6-9 PM.