

## Fundamentals of Spatial Economics Workshop Schedule

This workshop provides an introduction to foundational work in spatial economics taught by leading economists from inside and outside the Land Grant system.

8:00 **Spatial Economics: Introduction to workshop**

8:30 "Space and Time: Understanding the Changes in the American Landscape."

Sukkoo Kim, Washington University

<http://soks.wustl.edu/papers.html>

9:30 "Optimal Firm Location Behavior and the Total Distance Costs of Logistics Operations"

Philip McCann, University of Waikato, New Zealand

<http://www.mngt.waikato.ac.nz/staff%20List/staffhome.asp?user=pmcann>

10:30 **Break**

11:00 "The Productivity Advantages of Large Markets: Distinguishing Agglomeration from Firm Selection"

Gilles Duranton, University of Toronto

<http://individual.utoronto.ca/gilles/research.html>

Noon **Lunch**

1:30 "Environmental Amenities, Wages and Urban Spatial Structure"

Junjie Wu, Oregon State University

<http://arec.oregonstate.edu/faculty2/wu.htm>

2:30 "Rural-Urban Economic Interdependence: Spread and Backwash Effects in the American Economy"

Mark Partridge, Ohio State University

<http://aede.osu.edu/people/display2.php?user=partridge.27>

3:30 **Break**

4:00 "Frontiers in Rural Economics, Spatial Economics, Regional/Urban Economics"

Sukkoo Kim, Philip McCann, Gilles Duranton, Junjie Wu, Mark Partridge

5:00 **Adjourn**

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