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- September 4* **Student Orientation**
- September 25* **Richard Sweeney**, Harvard University. "The Impact of Environmental Regulation on U.S. Oil Refineries."
- October 2* **Antonio Bento**, Cornell University, Daniel Kaffine, University of Colorado, Kevin Roth, University of California, Irvine, and Matthew Aragoza-Watkins, University of California, Berkeley. "The Effects of Regulation in the Presence of Multiple Unpriced Externalities."
- October 16* **Richard Hornbeck**, Harvard University, and Daniel Keniston, Yale University. "Creative Destruction from the Great Boston Fire of 1872: Barriers to Urban Growth Illuminated."
- October 23* **Hunt Allcott**, New York University, and Dmitry Taubinsky, Harvard University. "The Lightbulb Paradox: Using Behavioral Economics for Policy Evaluation."
- November 6* **Joseph Aldy** and Marie-Abele Bind, Harvard University. "Life-Saving Information: Mortality Risk Reduction from Air Quality Index Forecasts."
- November 13* **Robert Barro**, Harvard University. "Environmental Protection, Rare Disasters, and Discount Rates."
- December 4* **Erich Muehlegger**, Harvard University, and Evan Herrnstadt, University of Michigan. "Weather, Salience of Climate Change, and Congressional Voting."

Note: Name of presenter is in **Bold**.

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