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- January 25* **Matthew Ranson**, Harvard University. "What Are the Welfare Costs of Shoreline Loss? Housing Market Evidence from a Discontinuity Matching Design."
- February 1* **Linda Bui** and Samuel Kapon, Brandeis University. "The Impact of Voluntary Programs on Polluter Behavior: Evidence from Pollution Prevention Programs and Toxic Releases."
- February 8* Jesse Anttila-Hughes, Columbia University, and **Solomon Hsiang**, Princeton University. "Destruction, Disinvestment, and Death: Economic and Human Losses Following Environmental Disaster."
- February 22* **Jessica Reyes**, Amherst College. "Lead Exposure and Behavior: Effects on Aggression and Risky Behavior among Children and Adolescents."
- March 7* Robin Burgess, London School of Economics, Matthew Hansen, Peter Potapov, University of Maryland, **Benjamin Olken**, MIT, and Stefanie Sieber, World Bank. "The Political Economy of Deforestation in the Tropics."
- March 28* Esther Duflo, **Michael Greenstone**, Nicholas Ryan, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Rohini Pande, Harvard University. "Truth-telling by Third-Party Auditors: Evidence from a Randomized Field Experiment in India."
- April 18* Jennifer Alix-Garcia, University of Wisconsin, **Katharine Sims**, Amherst College, and Elizabeth Shapiro, Duke University. "Impacts of Mexico's National Payments for Ecosystem Services Program."
- April 25* Richard Hornbeck, Harvard University, and **Pinar Keskin**, Wellesley College. "Distributional Consequences of Water Markets: Local Economic Spillovers from Agricultural Water-use."

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

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