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Thursday, September 26

- 8:00 am Registration and Breakfast
- 8:30 am Welcome / Opening Remarks
- 8:35 am Casey B. Mulligan, University of Chicago and NBER
The Employer Penalty, Voluntary Compliance, and the Size Distribution of Firms: Evidence from a Survey of Small Businesses
- 9:15 am Jonathan Meer, Texas A&M University and NBER
Benjamin Priday, Texas A&M University
Tax Prices and Charitable Giving: Projected Changes in Donations Under the 2017 TCJA
- 9:55 am Break
- 10:15 am Robert J. Barro, Harvard University and NBER
Brian Wheaton, Harvard University
Taxes, Incorporation, and Productivity
- 10:55 am Break
- 11:15 am John Beshears, Harvard University and NBER
James J. Choi, Yale University and NBER
Mark Iwry, The Brookings Institution
David C. John, AARP Public Policy Institute
David Laibson, Harvard University and NBER
Brigitte C. Madrian, Brigham Young University and NBER
Building Emergency Savings Through Employer-Sponsored Rainy-Day Savings Accounts
- 11:55 am Katherine Baicker, University of Chicago and NBER
Mark Shepard, Harvard University and NBER
Jonathan S. Skinner, Dartmouth College and NBER
One Medicare for All? The Economics of a Uniform Health Insurance Program
- 12:35 pm Lunch
- Lunch Speaker – Kevin Hassett, Former Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers
- 1:50 pm Adjourn

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