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Speakers/Authors	Affiliation	Sponsor(s)	Topic	Day	Date & Time	Location	RSVP to:
TBD	University of Southern California	PPD Research	TBD	Wednesday	Feb. 09, 2009 (12:00 pm to 2:00 pm)	RGL 209	
Max Niemann	Public Policy Institute of California	PPD Research	The Meltdown Series	Wednesday	Feb. 25, 2009 (12:00pm to 2:00pm)	RGL 209	egatchal@sppd.usc.edu
Grace Wong	University of Pennsylvania	USC Lusk Center for Real Estate	"The American Dream? The Private and External Benefits of Homeownership"	Friday	March 6, 2009 (12:00pm to 1:30pm)	RGL 100	tibayan@usc.edu
Bill Blaer	University of Southern California	PPD Research	"Simply Numerical Housing Goals, or Back - Door Experiment in National Planning? Or, How and Why the Democrat's Policy Problem Definition and Solutions Were Changed By Republicans (Without Much Complaint) Halfway Through Their Implementing the 1968-78 National Housing Plan to Build 26 million Housing Units Over 10 Years"	Wednesday	March 18, 2009 (12:00pm to 2:00pm)	RGL 209	egatchal@sppd.usc.edu
Crocker Liu	Arizona State University	USC Lusk Center for Real Estate	"Where are the shareholders' mansions? CEOs' home purchases, stock sales, & subsequent company performance"	Friday	March 27, 2009 (12:00pm to 1:30pm)	RGL 308	tibayan@usc.edu
Linqian Hu	University of Southern California	USC Lusk Center for Real Estate	"The Impact of Urban Spatian Transformation on Low-income Individual's Job Accessibility"	Friday	April 3, 2009 (11:30am to 1:00pm)	RGL 100	tibayan@usc.edu
Elizabeth Currid	University of Southern California	PPD Research	"The Geography of Buzz: Art, Culture, and Social Milieu in Los Angeles and New York City"	Wednesday	April 15, 2009 (12:00pm to 2:00pm)	RGL 209	egatchal@sppd.usc.edu

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Thomas Boehm	University of Tennessee	USC Lusk Center for Real Estate	"The Dynamics of Homeownership Across Three Decades: Evidence from the Panel Study of Income Dynamics"	Friday	April 17, 2009 (12:00pm to 1:30pm)	RGL 101	tibayan@usc.edu
Douglas Noonan	Georgia Tech University	USC Lusk Center for Real Estate	"Making-or Picking - Winners: Evidence of Takings and Spillovers in Chicago's Historic Preservation Policies"	Friday	April 24, 2009 (12:00 pm to 1:30 pm)	RGL 308	tibayan@usc.edu