

RIDGE FORUM V WORKSHOP ON ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

EAFIT, Medellín, Colombia

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WORKSHOP PROGRAM

NOTICE: All times are in Colombia Time (UTC-5)

Presenters will have 20 minutes for their presentation, discussants 5 minutes, and there will be an additional 5 minutes for Q&A

December 15, Friday – EAFIT, Block 19, Room 805

9:00 - 09:05 Brief Welcome: Marcelo Cafferla (Director, RIDGE Environmental Economics Workshop)

09:05 -10:30 **Session 1: Environmental Quality and Conservation**

Chair: **Jorge Maldonado** (Universidad de los Andes)

The non-green effects of “going green”: Local environmental and economic consequences of lithium extraction in Chile

Presenter: **Vaios Triantafyllou** (Cornell University)

Discussant: **Alipio Ferreira** (Southern Methodist University)

Early Indigenous Extinctions and Modern Deforestation in the Amazon

Presenter: **Alipio Ferreira** (Southern Methodist University)

Discussant: **Xin Jin** (University of Tennessee)

Air Pollution and Students' High-stakes Exam Performance: Evidence from Mexico

Presenter: **Xin Jin** (University of Tennessee)

Discussant: **Vaios Triantafyllou** (Cornell University)

10:30-11:00 Coffe break

11:00-12:30 **Keynote lecture**

Chair: **Marcelo Cafferla** (Universidad de Montevideo)

THE FUTURE OF STATED PREFERENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

Presenter: **Vic Adamowicz** (University of Alberta)

13:10-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:30

Session 2: Energy and Natural Resources

Chair: **Felipe Vásquez** (Universidad del Desarrollo)

Electricity Pricing and the Energy Transition for Commercial and Industrial Consumers

Presenter: **Shaun McRae** (ITAM)

Discussant: **Max García** (Boston University)

Governing the Privatized Commons: Evidence from the introduction of Water Boards

Presenter: **Max García** (Boston University)

Discussant: **Elías Cisneros** (University of Texas at Dallas)

Losing Territory: The Effect of Administrative Splits on Land Use in the Tropics

Presenter: **Elías Cisneros** (University of Texas at Dallas)

Discussant: **Shaun McRae** (ITAM)