

Searle-Kauffman Institute on Law, Innovation, and Growth II
South Seas Island Resort
Sunday, January 24th—Tuesday, January 26th, 2010

Sunday, January 24th

- 3:30 p.m. **Registration** (Quarterdeck)
- 4:00 **Welcome and Introduction** (Sextant Room A)
Henry N. Butler, Executive Director, Searle Center on Law, Regulation and Economic Growth
- 4:00 to 6:00 **Session One – Law and Growth Economics**
Michael Trebilcock, Chair in Law and Economics, University of Toronto, Faculty of Law
Reading Assignment: *What Makes Poor Countries Poor? Institutional Dimensions of Development*
Chapter 2: Non-Institutional Theories of Development
Chapter 3: Institutional Theories of Development
- 6:00 **Cocktail Reception** (The Overlook Deck)
- 6:45 **Dinner** (The Overlook Deck)
- 7:30 **After Dinner Discussion – Positive Analysis of Government Intervention**

Monday, January 25th

- 8:00 a.m. **Breakfast** (Quarterdeck)
- 8:30 to 10:00 **Session Two – Austrians and Growth** (Sextant Room A)
Donald J. Boudreaux, Department of Economics, George Mason University
Reading Assignment: Joseph A. Schumpeter, *Book II of Capitalism, Socialism, and Democracy*
Prologue, Chapter 1: The Rate of Increase of Total Output, Chapter 2: Plausible Capitalism
Chapter 3: The Process of Creative Destruction, Chapter 4: Monopolistic Practice (partial)
- 10:00 to 10:30 **Break**
- 10:30 to 12:00 **Session Three – Contracting** (Sextant Room A)
Paul H. Rubin, Samuel Candler Dobbs Professor of Economics, Emory University
Reading Assignment: The Theory of the Firm and the Structure of the Franchise Contract, *Journal of Law and Economics*, Vol. 21, No. 1 (April 1978).
- 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. **Lunch** (Quarterdeck)
- 1:00 to 2:30 **Session Four – Entrepreneurial Incentives Experiment** (*Laptop Required for all participants*)
Tim Kane, Senior Fellow, Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation
- 2:30 to 6:00 **Recreation Break**
- 6:00 **Cocktail Reception** (King's Crown Lounge)
- 6:45 **Dinner** (King's Crown Lounge)
- 7:30 **Dinner Speaker: *Enviropreneurs***, Terry L. Anderson, Executive Director, PERC, and John and Jean De Nault
Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution
Reading Assignment: *Advances in the Study of Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Economic Growth*

Tuesday, January 26th

- 8:00 a.m. **Breakfast** (Quarterdeck)
- 8:30 to 10:15 **Session Five – Roundtable Discussion of Research Topics and Projects** (Sextant Room A)
- 10:15 to 10:30 **Break**
- 10:30 to 12:00 **Session Six — Roundtable Discussion of Research Topics and Projects** (Sextant Room A)
- 12:30 p.m. **Shuttle Bus to Airport and Box Lunch Available**