The Sloan-Nomis Program on

**Attentional and Perceptual Foundations of Economic Behavior**

**Inaugural Symposium and Retreat**

Doral Arrowwood Resort, Rye Brook, New York

**October 12-15, 2017**

*PROGRAM OF EVENTS*

***Thursday, October 12, 2017***

***4:00-5:15 PM:* Hotel Check-In Begins *&* Conference Registration**- Hotel Lobby - Level A

***5:30-9:30 PM:***  **Individual/Small Group Buffet Dinner** - Atrium - Level B

***8:00 - 9:30 PM:*****After Dinner Drinks** in the Pub/Game Room on Level B

**\*\*Presentation Format for all Friday and Saturday Sessions:** *Four presentations [30 minutes each, with 10 minutes for discussion], followed by general discussion [40 minutes] of the theme of the session plus two 20-minute coffee breaks*

***\*ALL SYMPOSIUM PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION SESSIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE BRONXVILLE ROOM ON LEVEL B***

***Friday, October 13, 2017***

***7:00 AM:*  Individual/Small Group BuffetBreakfast** - Atrium - Level B

***8:30AM-12:30PM:*** **Session 1:  The Allocation of Attention** [chair: Andrew Caplin]**\***

Presenters: Mark Dean, Jacqueline Gottlieb, Antonio Rangel, Weiji Ma.

***12:30-1:30 PM:* GroupBuffet Lunch** - Atrium - Level B

***1:30PM-5:30PM:*****Session 2: Understanding Contrast Effects and Other Errors in Perception** [chair: Ernst Fehr]**\***

Presenters: Colin Camerer, Paul Glimcher, Alan Stocker.

***5:45 PM:*  Assemble & Board Charter Bus** **for Dinner** - Hotel Main Entrance - OUTSIDE

***6:00 PM:* Charter Bus Departs for Dinner: Blue Hill at Stone Barns**

***6:30-10:00 PM:* Group Gourmet Dinner: Blue Hill at Stone Barns**

***10:15 PM:* Assemble & Board Charter Bus to Return to the Doral Arrowwood Hotel**

***Saturday, October 14, 2017***

***7:00 AM:*  BuffetBreakfast** - Atrium - Level B

***8:30AM-12:30PM:* Session 3: The Perception of Probability and Risk** [chair: Andrei Shleifer]**\***

Presenters: Ulrike Malmendier, Elise Payzan-LeNestour, Monika Piazzesi, Jakub Steiner.

***12:30-2:00 PM:* Group Buffet Lunch** - Atrium - Level B

***2:00-6:00 PM:* Session 4: The Role of Learning, Expectations and Planning in Action Choice** [chair: Michael Woodford]**\***

Presenters: Samuel Gershman, Thomas Griffiths, David Laibson, Luminita Stevens.

***6:15-8:00 PM:* Buffet Dinner - Atrium - Level B**

***8:00-9:45 PM:* Outside Firepit: S’mores, Hot Chocolate & Conversation** - Atrium Patio - Level B

***Sunday, October 15, 2017***

***IMPORTANT NOTE WITH REGARD TO CHECK-OUT:***

Hotel Check out ends at 11 a.m. The hotel is unable to accommodate a late check out for everyone in a group as large as ours. Thus, we ask that you pack up your belongings and officially check out of your hotel room BEFORE 11 AM by bringing your luggage down to the Bronxville Symposium room area after 8 AM. We will be using one of the pullout rooms off the symposium room as a luggage storage area during the morning program and lunch.

***7:00 AM:* Individual/Small Group BuffetBreakfast** - Atrium - Level B

***8:00-9:15 AM*: Session 5:  The Research Agenda*\****

*The program leaders lead a discussion [1 hour, 15 minutes] of scientific progress thus far on understanding the attentional and perceptual foundations of decision making.*

***9:15-9:45 AM:*  Coffee Break**

***9:45-11:00 AM:*****Session 6: Next Steps*\****

*The program leaders and foundation executives lead a roundtable discussion [1 hour, 15 minutes] of programmatic activities that would best serve to advance the field.*

***11:00 AM:* Symposium Adjourns**

***11:30 Group Airport Transportation Starts***

***11:30-1:30 PM:*  Group Buffet Brunch-Lunch** - Atrium - Level B. “To Go” boxes are available at the buffet for those of you who might need to take your lunch with you.