Innovation in the Spotlight: The Role of Institutions in Innovation and Innovation in Institutions

Squaw Valley Conference

May 23-27, 2016

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PlumpJack Squaw Valley Inn, Olympic Valley, California
Monday, May 23rd: Afternoon: Arrival
6:00 Reception and Dinner – Valley Room

Tuesday, May 24th:
Morning Chair: Dorothy Glancy
7:30 Breakfast – Mountain Room
8:30-9:00 Welcome and Introductions
9:00-9:15 Innovation Project: Findings and Questions
Monika Cheney

Themes to Address throughout Subjects Listed as Conference Topics:
I. How do institutions address, inhibit or foster innovation and growth – special focus on science, medicine, computing and engineering
II. What are the key conceptual and empirical innovations in law and science relevant to the above?

9:15-11:00 Framing I: Developments from Biology
Sarah Brosnan, Lydia Hopper, Isabel Behncke, Aaron Straight, Michael Alfaro
11:00-11:15 Break
11:15-12:30 Framing II: Developments from Economics
Marshall Van Alstyne, Terry Anderson, Kevin McCabe
12:30-1:30 Lunch – Valley Room

Afternoon Chair: Lydia Hopper
1:30-2:00 Idea Forum I: Understanding Innovation
Richard Webb
2:00-3:30 Idea Forum II: What’s Happening in Law
Daniel Katz, Dorothy Glancy, Amedeo Santosuosso, Lucy Ricca, Orly Lobel
3:30-4:30 Idea Forum III: What’s Happening in Medicine
Michele Goodwin, Joon Yun, Fred Dotzler
4:30 Hikes
6:30 Dinner – Valley Room
Keynote Speaker – Bobbi Low

Wednesday, May 26th:
Morning Chair: Andrew Torrance
7:30 Breakfast – Mountain Room
8:30-9:45 Idea Forum IV: What’s Happening in Finance
Charles Taylor, Lynn Stout, David Gilmour
9:45- 10:45 Idea Forum V: What’s Happening in Economics
Carl Simon, Brian Mannix, Claire Hill
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10:45-11:00 Break

11:00-12:30 **Idea Forum VI: What’s Happening in Psychology and Behavioral Biology**
Jillian Jordan, Jonathan Schulz, Lindsie McCabe, Erez Yoeli, Beau Lotto

12:30-1:30 Lunch – Valley Room

Afternoon Chair: Susan Dudley

1:30-3:00 **Growth, Money and Macroeconomic Policy**
Gordon Getty, Oliver Goodenough, Carl Simon, Amar Bhide

3:00-3:15 Break

3:15-4:30 **Promoting Innovation**
Julian Bryant, Sam Arbesman, Rebecca Purdom, William Casebeer

4:30 Hikes

6:30 Dinner – Valley Room *(Includes Contests of Festivity)*

**Thursday, May 27th:**

Morning Chair: Monika Cheney

7:30 Breakfast – Mountain Room

8:30-10:00 **Research Updates**
Lydia Hopper, Gregg Gordon, Reese Jones, John Nay, Moshe Hoffman

10:00-10:45 **Intellectual Property**
Andrew Torrance, Katherine Strandburg

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00-12:15 **Regulation and its Impact on Innovation: A Goldilocks Challenge?**
Susan Dudley, Matt Reed, John Chisholm

12:15-1:30 Lunch – Valley Room

Afternoon Chair: David Gilmour

1:30-4:00 **Ecosystems of Innovation: Book Project Report and Chapter Presentations**
Andrew Torrance, Michael Alfaro, Isabel Behncke, John Chisholm, Susan Dudley, David Gilmour, Dorothy Glancy, Oliver Goodenough, Lydia Hopper, Brian Mannix, Kevin McCabe, Richard Webb

4:00-4:30 **Projects Lighting Round and Debrief on Conference and Future Planning**
Quick presentations on projects growing out of the conference with calls for participation

6:30 Dinner – Valley Room

**Friday, May 28th:**

Morning Chair: Oliver Goodenough

8:30-11:00 Group Conversation on Book Chapters

Box lunches available.

Noon: Departure
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