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SEP 5  Charles Sprenger, Economics & Rady School of Management, UC San Diego
“Procrastination in the Field: Evidence from Tax Filing”

SEP 19  Christine L. Exley, Business Administration, Harvard Business School
“Equity Concerns are Narrowly Framed: Why Money Cannot Buy Time”

OCT 3  Philipp Strack, Economic Theory & Behavioral Economics, UC Berkeley
“Unrealistic Expectations and Misguided Learning”

OCT 17  Daniel Salzman, MD, PhD, Psychiatry & Neuroscience, Columbia University
“Neural Mechanisms for Representing and Updating Cognitive, Social, and Motivational Information in the Brain”

OCT 31  Jesse Shapiro, Economics, Brown University
“Measuring Polarization in High-Dimensional Data: Method and Application to Congressional Speech”

NOV 14  Stephan Meier, Business Management, Columbia Business School
“Intentions for Doing Good Matter for Doing Well: The (Negative) Value of Prosocial Incentives”

NOV 28  Jennifer S. Lerner, Public Policy & Management, Harvard Kennedy of Government
“Portrait of the Angry Decision Maker”

DEC 12  Michael Callen, Economics, Strategic Management, Rady School of Management, UCSD
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FEB 5  Ricardo Perez-Truglia, Economics, UCLA Anderson School of Management
“How Much Does Your Boss Make? The Incentive Effects of Inequality”

FEB 20  Craig Fox, Management, UCLA Anderson School of Management
“Two Dimensions of Subjective Uncertainty”

MAR 1  David Laibson, Economics, Harvard University
“Private Paternalism, the Commitment Puzzle, and Model-Free Equilibrium”

APR 3  Christopher J. Bryan, Political Psychology, U Chicago Booth School of Business
“Sticking it to the man: Harnessing adolescent values to motivate healthier dietary choices”

MAY 1  Frank Schilbach, Economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
“Technology Diffusion and Appropriate Use: Evidence from Western Kenya”