8:45 am – 9:00 am --- Opening Remarks

9:00 am – 10:00 am
Chair: Kazuo Murakoshi (University of California, Riverside)
Speaker: Pranab Bardhan (University of California, Berkeley)
Title of paper: “Institutions Matter, But Which Ones?”

10:00 am – 10:30 am --- Coffee

10:30 am – 11:30 am
Chair: Anirban Dasgupta (University of California, Riverside)
Speaker: Steven Helfand (University of California, Riverside)
Title of paper: "Brazilian Rural Poverty in the 1990s: Evolution and Explanation"

11:30 am – 12:30 pm
Chair: Sucharita Sinha (University of California, Riverside)
Speaker: Keith Griffin (University of California, Riverside)
Title of paper: “Relative Prices and Investment: An Essay on Resource Allocation”

12:00 pm – 2:30 pm --- Reception

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm
Chair: Lopamudra Banerjee (University of California, Riverside)
Speaker: Carl Riskin (Columbia University)
Title of paper: “Has China Reached the Top of the Kuznets Curve?”

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm --- Coffee

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Chair: Serhat Kologlugil
Speaker: Keith Griffin (University of California, Riverside)
Title of paper: “A Tribute to a Friend: A Brief Assessment of the Contributions of Aziz Khan to Development Economics”