

# Economics Department Newsletter

May 6, 2014

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### Seminars and events

1. Tuesday, May 6 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm, Griffin 3. Political Economy Senior Project Presentation: "Too Big To Fail: Effective Implementation of Banking Regulation" Noah Cadet, Julian Fernandez, Bradford Koenitzer, Erick Quay, and Frank Zheng.
2. Wednesday, May 7 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm in Griffin 3. Political Economy Senior Project Presentation: "Cybersecurity." Azd Al-Kadasi, Abdulrahman Al-Sudairy, Sean Hurley, David Lee, and Adam Marske.
3. Thursday, May 8 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm, Griffin 3. Political Economy Senior Project Presentation: "Whither the Windy City? Urban Violence in Chicago." Miles Horton, David Kruger, and Cole Leiter.
4. Monday, May 12 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm, Griffin 3. Political Economy Senior Project Presentation: "College Completion." Sivahn Barsade, Jennifer Chan, April Jenkins, and Meredith Yang.
5. Tuesday, May 13 from 4:00 to 6:00 pm, Griffin 3. Political Economy Senior Project Presentation: "The Treatment of Non-Violent Drug Offenders." Taylor Chertkov, Rachel MacLean, Brian McGrail, Josh Nimer, and Sarah Rosenberg.

### Interesting reading

6. [Economics students call for shakeup of the way their subject is taught: Students from 19 countries argue economics courses failing wider society by ignoring need to address 21st-century issues.](#) (from *The Guardian*)

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