



Women in Economics Symposium Watch Party

When:

Thursday, Feb. 23, 2023
3:30pm – 8:00 pm Central Time

Location: Room BBH 311 on the Main Campus

Registration Deadline:

Please RSVP by Tuesday, Feb. 21, 2023 at 4:30PM to c-ciecierski@neiu.edu. Refreshments will be provided.

Are you majoring in Economics or other field of Business? Do you know someone who is? Join the NEIU Department of Economics and members of NEIU's Omicron Delta Epsilon Sigma Chapter of the International Economics Honors Society for a group viewing of the **2023 Women in Economics Symposium**. Swag, snacks and activities will be provided!

Come out and surround yourself with fellow Econ enthusiasts. Together we will reflect and learn from this livestream event sponsored by the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis. During the symposium transmittal we will hear from exciting role models with fascinating careers in economics while also learning some practical tips about the job search, finding a mentor and much, much more.

Leave inspired by the symposium's speakers and armed with actionable next steps to build your career in Economics and related fields!

Featured Speakers (complete program is attached on page 2)

- **Stephanie Aaronson**, Senior Associate Director, Division of Research & Statistics, Federal Reserve Board
- **Daryl Fairweather**, Chief Economist, Redfin

This event is free and open to all - but please remember to RSVP

by **Tuesday, February 21st, 2023**



Women in Economics Symposium

“Role Models Matter”

Feb. 23, 2023, 3:30-8:00 p.m. CT

3:30 p.m.

Welcome

Katrina Stierholz, Vice President and Director of Library & Research Information Services, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

3:40 p.m.

Think Big! A career in Macro

Stephanie Aaronson, Ph.D., Senior Associate Director, Division of Research & Statistics, Federal Reserve Board

4:20-4:30 p.m. Break

4:30 p.m.

Panels (we will select one topic to attend)

Panel 1: What Can You Do with an MA or BA Degree in Economics? (Gateway Auditorium)

Moderator: **Chen Wu, Ph.D.**, Associate Professor of Accounting, Economics & Finance, Southeast Missouri State University

- **Cassandra Marks**, Research Associate, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
- **Kathleen Navin**, Senior Business Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
- **Emma Persinger**, Program Evaluator, City of Denver
- **Alexis Strauss**, CMMS Analyst, KC Water

Panel 2: What Can You Do with a Ph.D. Degree in Economics? (Missouri Room)

Moderator: **Bonnie Wilson, Ph.D.**, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Saint Louis University

- **Oksana Leukhina, Ph.D.**, Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
- **Beth Munnich, Ph.D.**, Professor of Economics, University of Louisville
- **Lina Diaz, Ph.D.**, Behavioral Economist, Inter-American Development Bank

5:15 p.m.

Reception and Networking Bingo

6:00 p.m.

Plenary Session

Introduction: **Mary Suiter, Ph.D.**, Assistant Vice President, Economic Education, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

Keynote Presentation: **One Woman’s Behavioral Game Theory Guide to Career Success**

Daryl Fairweather, Ph.D., Chief Economist, Redfin

6:40-6:50 p.m. Break

6:50 p.m.

Women in Economics: A Panel Discussion

Moderator: **Gail Heyne Hafer, Ph.D.**, Professor of Economics, St. Louis Community College-Meramec

- **Stephanie Aaronson, Ph.D.**, Senior Associate Director, Division of Research & Statistics, Federal Reserve Board
- **Daryl Fairweather, Ph.D.**, Chief Economist, Redfin

7:45 p.m.

Closing Comments

Seema Sheth, Senior Vice President, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis