



SECOND ANNUAL CALDER CONFERENCE

The Ins and Outs of Value-Added Measures in Education: What Research Says

Friday, November 21, 2008

8:00am	Continental Breakfast
8:30am - 8:45am	Welcome and Purpose Jane Hannaway , Director, CALDER, The Urban Institute.
8:45am - 10:15am	PANEL I: Value-Added Measures & Credentials
Presenters:	Helen (Sunny) Ladd , Edgar Thompson Professor of Public Policy & Economics, Duke University & Associate Director, Terry Sanford Institute of Public Policy, Duke University; CALDER. Susanna Loeb , Associate Professor of Education, Stanford University & Director, Institute for Research on Education Policy and Practice, Stanford University; CALDER.
Discussant:	Steven Rivkin , Professor of Economics, Amherst College & Associate Director of Research, Executive Committee, Texas Schools Project, University of Texas at Dallas; CALDER.
10:15am - 11:45am	PANEL II: Value-Added Measures Across Time, Tests & Contexts
Presenters:	Tim Sass , Professor of Economics, Florida State University; CALDER. Dan Goldhaber , Research Professor, University of Washington Bothell; Center on Reinventing Public Education (CRPE) & Affiliated Scholar, The Urban Institute; CALDER
Discussant:	Charles Clotfelter , Z. Smith Reynolds Professor of Public Policy, Economics & Law, Duke University; CALDER.
11:45am - 1:00pm	Lunch & Presentation: "The Texas FERPA Story" Dan O'Brien , Director, Texas Schools Project, University of Texas at Dallas; CALDER.
1:00pm - 2:30pm	PANEL III: Do Disadvantaged Schools Lose the Best Teachers?
Presenters:	Eric Hanushek , Senior Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University & Chairman, Executive Committee, Texas Schools Project, University of Texas at Dallas; CALDER. Hamilton Lankford , Professor of Educational Administration & Policy Studies and Economics, SUNY Albany; CALDER.
Discussant:	David Figlio , Orrington Lunt Professor of Education, Social Policy & Economics & Faculty Fellow, Institute for Policy Research, Northwestern University; CALDER.