

- 8:30 a.m.** Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 a.m.** Welcome and Introductory Comments
- **Eric Jensen**, Provost, Hamline University
  - **Rebecca Judge**, St. Olaf College and MEA President
- 9:15 a.m.** Saltwater and Freshwater Economics
- **Christopher Phelan**, University of Minnesota
- 10:15 a.m.** Break
- 10:30 a.m.** Heller Distinguished Lecture
- **Steven Davis**, University of Chicago [[PDF](#)] [[MP3](#)]  
*Labor Market Fluidity and Economic Performance*
- 11:45 a.m.** Luncheon—**Student Center Ballroom**
- **12:30 p.m.** Presentation of Awards
  - **12:45 p.m.** Business Meeting
    - Treasurer's Report (Keith Gilsdorf)
    - Election of Officers (Karmi Mattson)
- 1:10 p.m.** Luncheon Speaker—**Sundin Music Hall**
- **Samuel Schulhofer-Wohl**, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis [[PDF](#)] [[MP3](#)]  
*Understanding Employment*
- 2:10 p.m.** Four Years of the Affordable Care Act
- Session Moderator: **Ashley Hodgson**, St. Olaf College
- Panelists:**
- **Jean Abraham**, University of Minnesota [[PDF](#)]
  - **Scott Leitz**, MNsure

- **Stephen Parente**, University of Minnesota

**3:20 p.m.** Closing Remarks and Adjournment

- **Michael Walrath**, University of St. Thomas, incoming MEA President