

6TH ASIAN WORKSHOP ON ECONOMETRICS AND HEALTH ECONOMICS



SEOUL
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December 13–16, 2026

Econometrics and Health Economics

This workshop series provides a forum for the development and dissemination of applications of econometrics in health economics.

The workshop follows the format of the long-running European Workshops on Econometrics and Health Economics, with the aims of promoting health economics research in Asia with a strong applied economics focus, strengthening research networks within the region, developing research networks with other regions, and building research capacity among early-career health economists in Asia.

The Workshop

The workshop program consists of up to 13 oral presentations and 10 poster presentations. For oral presentations, each paper is allocated 50 minutes, including a presentation by the author, a response from a discussant, and general discussion. In the organized poster session, each author gives four 15-minute presentations to small groups of participants.

Participation will be limited to 50 people.

Workshop participants are expected to attend the entire meeting and to serve as an author, discussant, or session chair.

The workshop will begin with a pre-workshop dinner on Sunday, December 13. On Monday morning, **Anirban Basu of the University of Washington** will deliver the keynote lecture.

The workshop will conclude at noon on Wednesday, December 16, followed by an optional half-day tour of one of Seoul's historic districts.



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SUBMISSION OF PAPERS

Papers for the 2026 Workshop will be selected on the basis of full drafts. The deadline for submitting papers is Thursday, **August 13, 2026**.

Presentations by doctoral students and early-career researchers are encouraged.

Submitted papers should be unpublished and should not have been accepted for publication in a peer-reviewed journal. To submit a paper, please follow the instructions on the online registration page. Decisions will be made and announced in mid-September.

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REGISTRATION

Register online: To attend the Workshop, you must register by Thursday, August 13, 2026, as places are limited. Up to 50 participants will be selected, with decisions announced in mid-September. Please register your interest at: <https://prj-wishproject.w.waseda.jp/asian-wehe/index.html>

Registration fee: For participants accepted for the Workshop, a registration fee of USD 650 is payable in October. A reduced fee of USD 350 is available for accepted participants who are master's or PhD students as of August 13, 2026. The registration fee includes three nights of accommodation and all meals from Sunday dinner through Wednesday lunch.

Travel grants: A limited number of travel grants will be offered to selected participants. Selection will be based on the assessment of the submitted paper, with priority given to early-career researchers and applicants from developing or underrepresented countries.

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WORKSHOP VENUE:

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