

Good Government: Industrial Policy in Economic Development

Tuesday, January 19, 3-4:15pm BUSAD 102

This public lecture will draw on historical examples from Europe and the United States as well as more recent policies in Latin America, India and China to answer a number of questions, such as

- \$ What is better: an activist or a Laissez-faire stance toward economy?
- \$ How can economic development and growth be accelerated?
- \$ How can clean energy and more innovation be promoted?
- \$ What were some successes and failures with activist policies?



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