This academic conference, in tribute to Uwe Reinhardt, comprises a series of sessions in which leading health economists and health care experts will present and discuss their research. Many presenters were colleagues, collaborators and mentees of Uwe. Since communicating about health economics was one of Uwe’s great talents, top health economics journalists will also be attending. The panel-based format of the conference, and its limited scale, are designed to encourage interactions between economists, policy makers, journalists and students.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2019
Room 399, Julis Romo Rabinowitz Building, on campus

4:30 p.m. Panel: What can the U.S. learn from comparative health systems research?
Reinhard Busse, Berlin University of Technology
Tsung-Mei Cheng, Princeton University
Gregory Marchildon, University of Toronto
Thomas Zeltner, University of Bern
Moderator: John Iglehart, Health Affairs

FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 2019
Room 399, Julis Romo Rabinowitz Building, on campus

8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. Panel: The role of prices in driving high U.S. health care spending
Jeffrey Clemens, University of California-San Diego
Zack Cooper, Yale University
Kate Ho, Princeton University
Moderator: Austin Frakt, VA Boston Healthcare System

10:30 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. Panel: The feasibility of major health care reform in the U.S.
Jonathan Gruber, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Ilyana Kuziemko, Princeton University
Mark McClellan, Duke-Margolis Center for Health Policy at Duke University
Moderator: Catherine Rampell, The Washington Post

12:15 p.m. Lunch, keynote remarks by Amy Finkelstein, MIT

1:30 p.m. Panel: The importance of covering the uninsured
Katherine Baicker, University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy
Amitabh Chandra, Harvard Kennedy School of Government
Janet Currie, Princeton University
Sherry Glied, Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service at NYU
Moderator: Elisabeth Rosenthal, Kaiser Health News

3:15 p.m. Adjourn