Brown Bag Lunch

Monday, October 1, 2012, 12:30-1:30 pm
"Work in the Post-Growth Economy"
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As human economies have overshoot the capacity of the ecosphere to serve our demands and absorb our wastes, it is becoming necessary to figure out how a non-growing - even a shrinking - economy can still provide human well-being while beginning to restore the health of natural world. 20th century economic theory is not well able to conceptualize this problem, especially since it sees well-being dependent on income, income dependent on jobs, and jobs dependent on growth. What changes are needed in economic theory for the 21st century if the economics profession is to make positive contributions to conceptualizing and realizing the needed changes?

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