

THE NEW ECONOMY:
REGIONAL, NATIONAL AND
INTERNATIONAL ISSUES



FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
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AGENDA



The New Economy: Regional, National and International Issues

Economic Conference for College and
University Faculty

Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas

November 2–3, 2000

Thursday, November 2

- 8:30 a.m.** **Registration and
Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00** **Conference Opening and Welcome**
K. Wayne Hast
Director of Economic Education
- 9:10** **The Fed Today**
K. Wayne Hast
- 9:40** **The U.S. Economy:
Some Pleasant Side Effects**
Jason L. Saving
Economist
- 10:20** **Break**
- 10:40** **The Second Great Migration:
Economic and Policy Implications**
Alan D. Viard
Senior Economist and Policy Advisor
- 11:20** **The Unsinkable Texas Economy**
Fiona Sigalla
Economist
- Noon** **Lunch**

- 1:10 p.m.** **The New Economy: A New Paradigm**
W. Michael Cox
Senior Vice President and Chief Economist
- 2:00** **Oil Prices and the Economy**
Stephen P. A. Brown
Director of Energy Economics and
Microeconomic Policy Analysis
- 2:50** **Break**
- 3:00** **Water: New Economy Solutions to
an Old Economy Problem**
Keith Phillips
Senior Economist
- 3:45** **Dollarization, Latin America and
the New Economy**
Carlos E. J. M. Zarazaga
Senior Economist and
Executive Director of the
Center for Latin American Economics
- 4:30** **Break**
- 4:40** **Tour of Bank**
- 5:30** **Reception**
- 6:00** **Conference Dinner**
- 6:45** **Dinner Address:
Six Technology Trends Shaping
Our Future**
Beth Bull
Vice President
Texas Instruments
- 7:30** **Adjourn**

Friday, November 3

- 8:30 a.m.** **Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00** **Competition in Education**
Lori L. Taylor
Senior Economist and Policy Advisor

*All speakers are from the
Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas
unless otherwise noted.*

- 9:45** **Natural Resource Scarcity**
Stephen P. A. Brown
Director of Energy Economics and
Microeconomic Policy Analysis
- 10:30** **Break**
- 10:50** **High Tech in the Eleventh
Federal Reserve District**
Mine Yücel
Senior Economist and Research Officer
- 11:40** **Lunch**
- 12:20 p.m.** **Luncheon Address:
The Internet: Don't Ignore the
Shoe While Admiring the Shine**
Dwight R. Lee
Ramsey Chair for Private Enterprise
University of Georgia
- 1:00** **Productivity, the Stock Market
and Monetary Policy in the
New Economy**
Evan F. Koenig
Senior Economist and Vice President
- 1:45** **How Innovations Have Affected
the U.S. Stock Market**
John V. Duca
Senior Economist and Vice President
- 2:30** **Break**
- 2:45** **The New Paradigm in Europe:
Is Goldilocks Going Global?**
Mark A. Wynne
Senior Economist and Research Officer
- 3:30** **China's Churn**
Meredith Walker-Tsui
Economist
Federal Reserve Bank of New York
- 4:15** **Closing Comments, Evaluation
and Adjournment**