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NSF-ADVANCE Distinguished Lectureship

The Department of Economics will be hosting the ADVANCE Distinguished Lectureship, featuring Naomi Lamoreaux, Ph.D., Professor of Economics and History at UCLA.

*September 23rd, 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.
George S. Dively Building*

**“Cleveland’s Inventor Networks:
A 19th Century Precursor
to Silicon Valley?”**

Reception to immediately follow.

Professor Lamoreaux will host two departmental seminars:

*Sept. 20th, 3:30 to 5:00 p.m.
Peter B. Lewis Building, Room 121*

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**“Corporate Governance and the
Plight of Minority Shareholders in the U.S.”**

*Sept. 21st, 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Peter B. Lewis Building, Room 118*

**“What Can Economic History Teach Us
About Organizing Innovation?”**



*Naomi Lamoreaux is professor of economics and history at the University of California, Los Angeles, and a research associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research. She received her Ph.D. in history from Johns Hopkins University in 1979 and then taught at Brown University until she moved to UCLA in 1996. She has written *The Great Merger Movement in American Business, 1895-1904* (Cambridge University Press, 1985) and *Insider Lending: Banks, Personal Connections and Economic Development in Industrial New England* (Cambridge University Press, 1994), as well as a number of articles on various topics in business history, financial history, and the history of technology. She has collaborated with Daniel M. G. Raff and Peter Temin on a series of NBER conferences that led to the publication of *Coordination and Information: Historical Perspectives on the Organization of Enterprise* (University of Chicago Press, 1995) and *Learning by Doing in Firms, Markets, and Nations* (University of Chicago Press, 1999). She also co-edited the *Journal of Economic History* from 1992 until 1996. Her current research interests include projects on the organization of invention in the late nineteenth and early twentieth century United States, corporate governance and business's choice of organizational form in the United States and France in the same period, and the emergence of the public/private distinction in American history.*

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