



Social Security Advisory Board

Informing Policy: A Review of Social Security's MINT Microsimulation Model

Thursday, May 30, 2019 | National Union Building
918 F Street NW, Washington, DC 20004

- 8:00 am** **Registration**
- 9:00 am** **Opening Remarks**
- **Kim Hildred**, Chair, Social Security Advisory Board
 - **Mark Warshawsky**, Deputy Commissioner for Retirement and Disability Policy, Social Security Administration
- 9:10 am** **Session I: MINT Model Overview**
- **Karen E. Smith**, Senior Fellow, Income and Benefits Policy Center, Urban Institute
 - **Mark Sarney**, Acting Director, Office of Research, Office of Research, Evaluation and Statistics, Social Security Administration
 - **Nancy Altman**, Member, Social Security Advisory Board (*moderator*)
- 10:15 am** **Break**
- 10:30 am** **Session II: Perspectives of MINT Consumers**
- **Kathryn Olson**, Majority Staff Director, Subcommittee on Social Security, Committee on Ways & Means, U.S. House of Representatives
 - **Amy Shuart**, Republican Staff Director, Subcommittee on Social Security, Committee on Ways & Means, U.S. House of Representatives
 - **Tom Klouda**, Senior Domestic Policy Advisor, Committee on Finance, U.S. Senate
 - **Kathleen Romig**, Senior Policy Analyst, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities
 - **Andrew Biggs**, Resident Scholar, American Enterprise Institute
 - **Laura Haltzel**, Research Manager, Income Security, Congressional Research Service
 - **Jack Smalligan**, Senior Policy Fellow, Income and Benefits Policy Center, Urban Institute
 - **Kim Hildred** (*moderator*)
- 12:00 pm** **Lunch on Your Own**



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Session III: Perspectives of Microsimulation Experts

- 1:15 pm** **Part I: Other Social Security Microsimulation Models**
- **Julie Topoleski**, Chief, Long-Term Analysis Unit, Health, Retirement, and Long-Term Analysis Division, Congressional Budget Office
 - **Stephen C. Goss**, Chief Actuary, Social Security Administration
 - **Bryan Tysinger**, Director, Health Policy Microsimulation, University of Southern California Schaeffer Center
 - **Jagadeesh Gokhale**, Director of Special Projects, Penn Wharton Budget Model
 - **Henry Aaron**, Member, Social Security Advisory Board (*moderator*)
- 2:15 pm** **Part II: Microsimulation Experts**
- **C. Eugene Steuerle**, Institute Fellow and Richard B. Fisher Chair, Urban Institute
 - **Eric J. (Rocky) Feuer**, Chief, Statistical Research and Application Branch, Division of Cancer Control and Population Sciences, National Cancer Institute
 - **Richard Evans**, Director, Open Source Economics Laboratory, University of Chicago
 - **Jagadeesh Gokhale**, Member, Social Security Advisory Board (*moderator*)
- 3:15 pm** **Break**
- 3:30 pm** **Part III: Merged Expert Discussion Regarding MINT**
- **Julie Topoleski**
 - **Stephen Goss**
 - **Bryan Tysinger**
 - **Eugene Steuerle**
 - **Rocky Feuer**
 - **Richard Evans**
 - **Jagadeesh Gokhale** (*moderator*)
- 4:30 pm** **Closing Remarks**
- **Kim Hildred**