PSC 239/REL 339/CAS 239: THE NATURE AND FOUNDATIONS OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP
Spring 2006

Course Meetings

January 24: Introduction and Overview

January 31: What is Entrepreneurship & Who Is the Entrepreneur?

- Blaug, Mark, Not only an Economist (1995) Edward Elgar ch. 8

February 7: Economics & the Entrepreneur

February 14: Entrepreneurship, Economics, and Innovation

- Drucker, Peter, *Innovation and Entrepreneurship* (1985) 1-36, 253-266

February 21: Necessary Conditions? Property Rights

- *U.S. Constitution, Art. I, Sec. 8, cl. 8; Art. I, Sec. 10, cl. 1; Amend. 5*
- 35 U.S. Code Secs. 101, 112, 154(a)

February 28: Necessary Conditions? Property Rights (II)


March 7: Necessary Conditions? Economic & Legal Regimes


March 14: Spring Break
March 21: Necessary Conditions? Failure and Sustainability

- Jackson, Thomas, *The Logic and Limits of Bankruptcy Law* (1986) Harvard University Press intro., chs. 1, 9, 10

March 28: Necessary Conditions? Political Freedom


April 4: Necessary Conditions? Religion and Values


April 11: No Class; Work on Projects

April 18: No Class; Work on Projects

April 25: Presentations

May 2: Presentations and Conclusion