

## Michigan Reading Group Rules

- We will meet 1 hour each week on Tuesdays at 12. You can bring your own food.
- You cannot come to the reading group without sending a paper.
- Every week each student submits a paper of his or her choice to Xing (xingguo@umich.edu). Please submit a paper that you think is good. We reserve the right to veto a paper that he thinks is not suitable -- after such a veto, you will be asked to submit an alternative.
- Send the papers by Thursday, no later than 8 pm.
- 20 minutes presenters will be known by noon on Friday so that they have time to prepare. 20 minutes presentations should be done with the help of slides.
- Students whose submissions are not chosen for 20 minutes presentations are exposed to being called upon for a 5 minutes presentation (no slides) during the reading group meeting.
- The participation is restricted to PhD students in years 3 and above.
- After a 5/20 minutes presentation we can call every student to answer some of these questions:
  1. What is the main question of the paper?
  2. What is the main result? What are the key assumptions to obtain the main assumption? Also, we can ask questions about the model environment?.
  3. What is the contribution to the literature?