

*Reading list for the talk “Costs and benefits of in-work tax credit policies” on the Eleventh Winter School on Inequality and Social Welfare Theory*

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