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Welcome to Sydney and to our sixth Financial Intermediation Research Society (FIRS) Conference! We are delighted that you are here!

In its usual role as a forum for disseminating new and exciting research ideas, we see FIRS 2011 as a forum for researchers across different domains, different continents and different career stages to interact with each other with the objective of culminating research collaborations and promoting professional development. Thus, we have built into the program opportunities for channeling ideas between Faculty and Ph.D. students, between established researchers and young scholars, and between scholars from different institutions.

We want to thank every one of you for making this happen. By sending us your best work, reviewing papers and proposals, serving on committees, and most of all, by being here, you made sure that FIRS 2011 is a great conference.

This is your conference - so enjoy! We hope you have a rewarding and fun experience.

Best wishes,

Ravi Jagannathan Northwestern University

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The main goal of the society is to provide a forum for those interested in financial intermediation and corporate finance research worldwide, to be able to have ready access to each other's research and to be able to communicate and coordinate more efficiently on a variety of issues, including the organization of conferences. Our hope is also to bridge the gaps that exist at present in the flow of ideas across the different continents, and to also encourage research in emerging markets into the mainstream of financial intermediation and corporate finance research.

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PROGRAM SUMMARY

Monday, June 6, 2011

12:00 pm - 7:30 pm

On-site Registration – Crowne Plaza Coogee Beach Hotel, Upper Level Lobby

1:30 pm - 3:15 pm

Cross Sectional Stock Returns 1 -- Clovelly

Bank Capital 1 -- Coogee

Bank Funding -- Bronte

Trade Credit and Financing -- Centennial

Liquidity and Credit Constraints -- Oceanic West

Credit Ratings and Quality -- Oceanic East

3:15 pm - 3:30 pm

Coffee Break – Oceanic Lobby and Lower Level Lobby

3:30 pm - 5:15 pm

Family Business - Clovelly

Crosslistings and Spillovers 1 -- Coogee

Venture Capital -- Bronte

Bank Capital 2 -- Centennial

Executive Compensation 1 -- Oceanic West

News and Foreclosure -- Oceanic East

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Reception -- Crown Plaza Hotel

Tuesday, June 7, 2011

8:00 am - 5:00 pm

On-site Registration – Crowne Plaza Coogee Beach Hotel, Upper Level Lobby

8:30 am - 10:15 am

Capital Markets and Debt 1 -- Clovelly

Mutual Fund Management 1 -- Coogee

Mutual Fund Management 2 -- Bronte

Incentives and Risk -- Centennial

Trading and Investment -- Oceanic West

Term Structure and Inflation – Oceanic East

10:15 am – 10:30 am

Coffee Break – Oceanic Lobby and Lower Level Lobby

10:30 am - 12:15 pm

Microstructure and Short Sales -- Clovelly

Capital Markets and Debt 2 -- Coogee

Relationship Banking -- Bronte

Credit Default Swaps - Centennial

Regulations and Bank -- Oceanic West

Ownership Structure and Equity Offering -- Oceanic East

12:30 pm - 1:45 pm

Luncheon and FIRS General Body Meeting - Oceanic Ballroom

2:15 pm - 4:00 pm

Analysts Forecasts 1 -- Clovelly

Corporate Governance 1 -- Coogee

News and Corporate Control -- Bronte

Insurance and Asymmetric Information -- Centennial

Asset Pricing 1 -- Oceanic West

Mutual and Pension Fund Trading -- Oceanic East

4:00 pm - 4:15 pm

Coffee Break -- Oceanic Lobby and Lower Level Lobby

4:15 pm - 6:00 pm

Hedge Funds and Performance -- Clovelly

Corporate Governance 2 -- Coogee

Innovation and Corporate Control -- Bronte

Information in Lending and Funding -- Centennial

Asset Pricing 2 -- Oceanic West

6:15 pm

Buses leave for Reception at UNSW

6:30 pm

Speaker: Professor Stephen Brown, New York University

Wednesday, June 8, 2011

8:30 am - 10:15 am

Executive Compensation 2 -- Clovelly

Bond Returns -- Coogee

Real Estate -- Bronte

Crosslistings and Spillovers 2 -- Centennial

Restructuring and Debt -- Oceanic West

Cross Sectional Stock Returns 2 -- Oceanic East

10:15 am - 10:30 am

Coffee Break – Oceanic Lobby and Lower Level Lobby

10:30 am - 12:15 pm

Asset Pricing 3 -- Clovelly

Analysts' Forecasts 2 -- Coogee

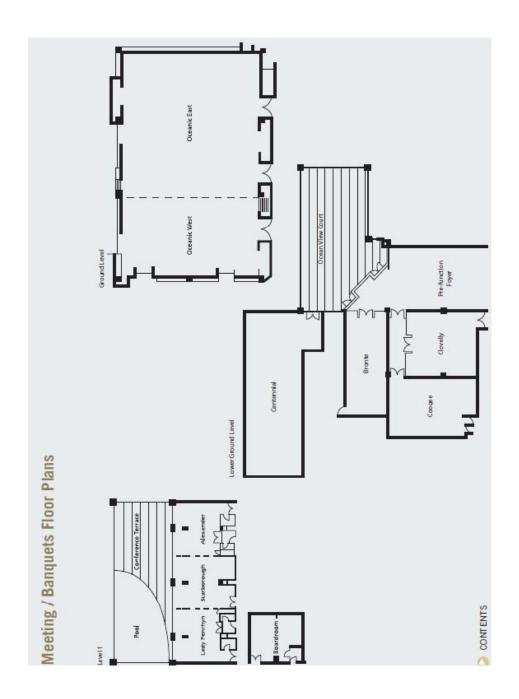
Institutional Development and International Evidence -- Bronte

Mergers and Acquisitions -- Centennial

Bank Risk Taking -- Oceanic West

Bank Bailouts -- Oceanic East

Meeting Floor Plan



Monday, June 6, 2011

1:30 pm - 3:15 pm, Monday, June 6, 2011 Session Title: Cross Sectional Stock Returns 1

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Garry Twite, Australian National University

Strategic Investment, Industry Concentration, and the Cross Section of Returns

Maria Bustamante, London School of Economics, United Kingdom

Discussant: Garry Twite, Australian National University

Strategic Investments, Technological Uncertainty, and Expected Return Externalities

Jan Bena, University of British Columbia, Canada

Lorenzo Garlappi, University of British Columbia, Canada

Discussant: Qiaoqiao Zhu, University of Michigan

Advertising, Investor Recognition, and Stock Returns

Thomas Chemmanur, Boston College

An Yan, Fordham University

Discussant: Raymond Liu, Australian National University

Session Title: Bank Capital 1

Room: Coogee

Chair: Allen Berger, University of South Carolina

A Structural Model of Contingent Bank Capital

George Pennacchi, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Discussant: Victoria Ivashina, Harvard University

Financial Intermediary Capital

Adriano Rampini, Duke University

S. Viswanathan, Duke University

Discussant: Klaus Schaeck, Bangor University, United Kingdom

Design of Contingent Capital with a Stock Price Trigger for Mandatory Conversion

Suresh Sundaresan, Columbia University

Zhenyu Wang, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Discussant: Adriano Rampini, Duke University

Session Title: Bank Funding

Room: Bronte

Chair: Alfred Lehar, University of Calgary, Canada

Who said Large Banks Don't Experience Scale Economies?

Joseph P. Hughes, Rutgers University

Loretta Mester, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

Discussant: Christian Laux, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria

How well did Libor Measure Bank Wholesale Funding Rates during the Crisis?

Dennis Kuo, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

David Skeie, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

James Vickery, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Discussant: Karolin Kirschenmann, University of Mannheim, Germany

Corporate Financial Constraints, Bank Governance, and Financial System Stability

Patrick Behr, Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany

Lars Norden, Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands

Felix Noth, Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany

Discussant: Ari Pandes, University of Calgary, Canada

Session Title: Trade Credit and Financing

Room: Centennial

Chair: Chun Chang, Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance, Shanghai Jiao Tong

University, China

Accounting Transparency, Tax Pressure and Access to Finance

Andrew Ellul, Indiana University

Tullio Jappelli, University of Naples Federico II, Italy

Marco Pagano, University of Naples Federico II, Italy

Fausto Panunzi, Bocconi University, Italy

Discussant: Stephen Taylor, Lancaster University, United Kingdom

Trade Credit and Taxes

Mihir Desai, Harvard University

C. Fritz Foley, Harvard University

James R. Hines, Jr., University of Michigan Discussant: Daniel S. Kim, Indiana University

Trade Credit, Relationship-specific Investment, and Product-market Power

Nishant Dass,

Jayant Kale, Georgia State University

Discussant: Tze-Minn (Mandy) Tham, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Session Title: Liquidity and Credit Constraints

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: Gerald Garvey, BlackRock

Adverse Selection, Liquidity, and Market Breakdown

Koralai Kirabaeva, Bank of Canada

Discussant: Eric Stephens, University of Alberta, Canada

Liquidity Hoarding

Douglas Gale, New York University

Tanju Yorulmazer, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Discussant: Kristoffer J. Glover, University of Technology Sydney, Australia

Financing Constraints and Unemployment: Evidence from the Great Recession

Burcu Duygan-Bump, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston

Judit Montoriol-Garriga, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston

Alexey Levkov, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston

Discussant: Stanley Cho, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Credit Ratings and Quality

Room: Oceanic East

Chair: Spencer Martin, University of Melbourne, Australia

Equilibrium Credit Ratings and Policy

Francesco Sangiorgi, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden

Chester Spatt, Carnegie Mellon University

Discussant: Uday Rajan, University of Michigan

The Color of Money: A Start-up's Choice among Venture Capitalists

Krishnamurthy Subramanian, Indian School of Business, India Discussant: Sanjay Banerji, University of Essex, United Kingdom

A Model of Liquidity Hoarding and Term Premia in Inter-Bank Markets

Viral Acharya, New York University

David Skeie, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Discussant: Jonathan Brogaard, Northwestern University

3:15 pm - 3:30 pm, Monday, June 6, 2011

Coffee Break

3:30 pm - 5:15 pm, Monday, June 6, 2011

Session Title: Family Business

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Andrew Ellul, Indiana University

Adoptive Expectations: Rising Sons in Japanese Family Firms

Vikas Mehrotra, University of Alberta, Canada Randall Morck, University of Alberta, Canada Jungwook Shim, National University of Singapore

Yupana Wiwattanakantang, National University of Singapore

Discussant: Sudipto Dasgupta, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

<u>Family Business Groups around the World: Financing Advantages, Control Motivations and Organizational Choices</u>

Ronald Masulis, University of New South Wales, Australia **Peter Kien Pham,** University of Sydney, Australia **Jason Zein,** University of New South Wales, Australia

Employment Policies in Dynastically Managed Firms

Discussant: Denis Sosyura, University of Michigan

Laurent Bach, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden **Nicolas Serrano-Velarde,** Oxford University, United Kingdom Discussant: Jan Bena, University of British Columbia, Canada

Session Title: Crosslistings and Spillovers 1

Room: Coogee

Chair: Kalok Chan, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Creative Destruction and Asset Prices

Joachim Grammig, University of Tuebingen, Germany **Stephan Jank,** University of Tuebingen, Germany

Discussant: Min Kim, University of New South Wales, Australia

When the Tail Wags the Dog: Industry Leaders, Limited Attention and Spurious Cross-Industry Information Diffusion

Ling Cen, University of Toronto, Canada

Kalok Chan, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Sudipto Dasgupta, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Ning Gao, University of Manchester, United Kingdom

Discussant: Joakim Bång, University of New South Wales, Australia

Cross-Section of Option Returns and Stock Volatility

Jie (Jay) Cao, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Bing Han, University of Texas, Austin

Discussant: Jonathan Reeves, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Venture Capital

Room: Bronte

Chair: Thomas Chemmanur, Boston College

Inter-Firm Economic Ties: Evidence from Venture Capital

Yael Hochberg, Northwestern University **Laura Lindsey**, Arizona State University

Mark Westerfield, University of Southern California

Discussant: Jason Zein, University of New South Wales, Australia

Venture Capital Communities

Amit Bubna, Indian School of Business, India

N.R.Prabhala, University of Maryland

Discussant: Jiekun Huang, National University of Singapore

Corporate Venture Capital, Value Creation, and Innovation

Thomas Chemmanur, Boston College **Elena Loutskina**, University of Virginia

Xuan Tian, Indiana University

Discussant: Krishnamurthy Subramanian, Indian School of Business, India

Session Title: Bank Capital 2

Room: Centennial

Chair: Viral Acharya, New York University

Capital Constraints and Systematic Risk

Dmytro Holod, SUNY Stony Brook University, New York

Yuriy Kitsul, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

Discussant: Zhenyu Wang, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

How Does Capital Affect Bank Performance During Financial Crises?

Allen Berger, University of South Carolina

Christa H. S. Bouwman, Case Western Reserve University

Discussant: Jose Liberti, DePaul University

Macroprudential Capital Requirements and Systemic Risk

Celine Gauthier, Bank of Canada

Alfred Lehar, University of Calgary, Canada

Moez Souissi, Bank of Canada

Discussant: Olivier De Jonghe, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Session Title: Executive Compensation 1

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: Anup Agrawal, University of Alabama

Beating the Target: A Closer Look at Annual Incentive Plans

Daniel Sungyeon Kim, Indiana University **Jun Yang**, University of Alberta, Canada Discussant: Jie (Jay) Cai, Drexel University

Competition and Corporate Fraud Waves

Tracy Wang, University of Minnesota < *Andrew Winton,* University of Minnesota

Discussant: Nishant Dass, Georgia Institute of Technology

Relative Performance Evaluation in CEO Compensation: Evidence from the 2006 Disclosure Rules

David De Angelis, Cornell University **Yaniv Grinstein,** Cornell University

Discussant: Gennaro Bernile, University of Miami

Session Title: News and Foreclosure

Room: Oceanic East

Chair: Simon Gervais, Duke University

Walking Wounded or Living Dead? Making Banks Foreclose Bad Loans

Max Bruche, CEMFI, Spain *Gerard Llobet,* CEMFI, Spain

Discussant: Fenghua Song, Pennsylvania State University

Asset Trading, News, and Liquidity in Markets with Asymmetric Information

Brett Green, Northwestern University

Brendan Daley, Duke University

Discussant: Uday Rajan, University of Michigan

Sentiment During Recessions

Diego Garcia, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill Discussant: Lisa Kramer, University of Toronto, Canada

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm, Monday, June 6, 2011

Reception at Crown Plaza Hotel

8:30 am - 10:15 am, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Session Title: Capital Markets and Debt 1

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Sudipto Dasgupta, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Managerial Ownership of Debt and Bank Loan Contracting

Fei Xie, George Mason University

Cong Wang, Chinese University of Hong Kong **Xiangang Xin,** Chinese University of Hong Kong

Discussant: Chotibhak Jotikasthir, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

<u>Can Firms Build Capital-Market Reputation to Substitute for Poor Investor Protection? Evidence</u> from Dividend Policies

Jie Gan, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Michael Lemmon, University of Utah

Martin Wang, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Discussant: Cristina Cella, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden

Debt Maturity Structure and Credit Quality

Radhakrishnan Gopalan, Washington University **Fenghua Song,** Pennsylvania State University

Vijay Yerramilli, University of Houston

Discussant: Lars Norden, Erasmus University, The Netherlands

Session Title: Mutual Fund Management 1

Room: Coogee

Chair: Z. Jay Wang, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Spillover Effects in Mutual Fund Companies

Clemens Sialm, University of Texas, Austin

Tze-Minn (Mandy) Tham, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Discussant: Veronika Pool, Indiana University

Conflicting Family Values in Mutual Fund Families

Utpal Bhattacharya, Indiana University

Jung Hoon Lee, Indiana University

Veronika Pool, Indiana University

Discussant: Scott Weisbenner, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Cross Trading and the Cost of Conflicts of Interest of Mutual Fund Advisers

Lorenzo Casavecchia, University of Technology Sydney, Australia

Ashish Tiwari, University of Iowa

Discussant: Z. Jay Wang, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Session Title: Mutual Fund Management 2

Room: Bronte

Chair: Stephen Brown, New York University

Mutual Fund Families and Performance Evaluation

David P. Brown, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Youchang Wu, University of Wisconsin, Madison

Discussant: Bryan Lim, University of Melbourne, Australia

Seasonal Asset Allocation: Evidence from Mutual Fund Flows

Mark Kamstra, York University, Canada

Lisa Kramer, University of Toronto, Canada

Maurice Levi, University of British Columbia, Canada

Russ Wermers, University of Maryland

Discussant: Raymond Da Silva Rosa, University of Western Australia

The Value of Cross-Trading to Mutual Fund Families in Illiquid Markets: A Portfolio Choice Approach

Luis Goncalves-Pinto, University of Southern California **Juan Sotes-Paladino**, University of Southern California

Discussant: David Gallagher, University of Technology Sydney, Australia

Session Title: Incentives and Risk

Room: Centennial

Chair: Michael Fishman, Northwestern University

Yesterday's Heroes: Compensation and Creative Risk-Taking

Ing-Haw Cheng, University of Michigan

Harrison Hong, Princeton University

Jose A. Scheinkman, Princeton University

Discussant: Yaniv Grinstein, Cornell University

Incentives to Innovate and Financial Crises

Anjan Thakor, Washington University, St. Louis Discussant: Adriano Rampini, Duke University

Libertarian Paternalism, Information Sharing, and Financial Decision-Making

Bruce I. Carlin, University of California, Los Angeles

Simon Gervais, Duke University

Gustavo Manso, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Discussant: Brett Green, Northwestern University

Session Title: Trading and Investment

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: Jerry T. Parwada, University of New South Wales, Australia

Does the Stock Market Harm Investment Incentives?

John Asker, New York University

Alexander Ljungqvist, New York University

Joan Farre-Mensa, New York University

Discussant: Kingsley Fong, University of New South Wales, Australia

Capital Structure and the Redeployability of Tangible Assets

Murillo Campello, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign **Erasmo Giambona,** University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Discussant: Ralf Meisenzahl, Federal Reserve Board

Is the Stock Market Just a Side Show? Evidence from a Structural Reform

Murillo Campello, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign **Rafael Ribas,** University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign **Albert (Yan) Wang,** Chinese University of Hong Kong

Discussant: Nicolas Serrano-Velarde, Oxford University, United Kingdom

Session Title: Term Structure and Inflation

Room: Oceanic East

Chair: George Pennacchi, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

The Term Structure of Liquidity Premia in the U.S. Treasury Market

Wolfgang Buehler, University of New South Wales, Australia

Volker Vonhoff, University of Mannheim, Germany

Discussant: Carl Chiarella, University of Technology Sydney, Australia

Why Do Term Structures in Different Currencies Comove?

Chotibhak Jotikasthira, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill **Anh Le**, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Christian Lundblad, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Discussant: Chunhua Lan, University of New South Wales, Australia

The Information Content of the Embedded Deflation Option in TIPS

Olesya Grishchenko, Pennsylvania State University

Joel Vanden, Pennsylvania State University

Jianing Zhang, Pennsylvania State University

Discussant: George Pennacchi, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

10:15 am - 10:30 am, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Coffee Break

10:30 am - 12:15 pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Session Title: Microstructure and Short Sales

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Carole Comerton-Forde, Australian National University

High Frequency Trading and Its Impact on Market Quality

Jonathan Brogaard, Northwestern University

Discussant: Chotibhak Jotikasthira, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Naked Short Selling, Fails-to-Deliver and Market Quality: The Emperor's New Clothes?

Veljko Fotak, University of Oklahoma **Raman Vikas,** University of Oklahoma **Pradeep K. Yadav,** University of Oklahoma

Discussant: Peter Swan, University of New South Wales, Australia

Trading Puts and CDS on Stocks with Short Sale Ban

Sophie Ni, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Jun Pan, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Discussant: Ralph Stevens, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Capital Markets and Debt 2

Room: Coogee

Chair: Anjan Thakor, Washington University, St. Louis

The Role of the Relative Availability of Bond and Bank Financing: A Measure of Debt Inflexibility

Lei Zhang, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Massimo Massa, INSEAD, France

Discussant: Victoria Ivashina, Harvard University

Divisional Managers and Internal Capital Markets

Denis Sosyura, University of Michigan **Ran Duchin**, University of Michigan

Discussant: Roni Kisin, Washington University, St. Louis

Financial Constraints and the Process of Agglomeration

Andriy Bodnaruk, University of Notre Dame

Massimo Massa, INSEAD, France

Lei Zhang, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Discussant: Andrew Ellul, Indiana University

Session Title: Relationship Banking

Room: Bronte

Chair: Loretta J. Mester, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

Credit Rationing in Small Business Bank Relationships

Karolin Kirschenmann, University of Mannheim, Germany Discussant: Lars Norden, Erasmus University, The Netherlands

<u>Lending Relationships and the Effect of Bank Distress: Evidence from the 2007-2008 Financial</u> Crisis

Daniel Carvalho, University of Southern California

Miguel A. Ferreira, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal

Pedro Matos, University of Southern California

Discussant: Stefan Petry, University of Melbourne, Australia

The Ties that Bind: Bank Relationships and Small Business Lending

Lori Santikian, University of Southern California

Discussant: Olivier De Jonghe, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Session Title: Credit Default Swaps

Room: Centennial

Chair: Fenghua Song, Pennsylvania State University

The Term Structure of Risk Premia during the Financial Crisis: Evidence from a New Calibration Approach Based on CDS Spreads

Tobias Berg, Humboldt University, Germany

Discussant: Anh Le, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

CDS as Insurance: Leaky Lifeboats in Stormy Seas

Eric Stephens, University of Alberta, Canada

James R. Thompson, University of Waterloo, Canada Discussant: Ing-Haw Cheng, University of Michigan

The Use of Credit Default Swaps by U.S. Fixed-Income Mutual Funds

Tim Adam, Humboldt University, Germany

Andre Güttler, European Business School, Germany

Discussant: Veronika Pool, Indiana University

Session Title: Regulations and Bank

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: Christa Bouwman, Case Western Reserve University

Stronger Risk Controls, Lower Risk: Evidence from U.S. Bank Holding Companies

Andrew Ellul, Indiana University

Vijay Yerramilli, University of Houston

Discussant: Mariassunta Giannetti, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden

A Comparison of the Original and Revised Basel Market Risk Frameworks for the Regulation of Bank Capital

Gordon Alexander, University of Minnesota

Alexandre M. Baptista, George Washington University

Shu Yan, University of South Carolina

Discussant: Zhenyu Wang, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Uncovering Collateral Constraints

Jose Liberti, DePaul University

Discussant: Viral Acharya, New York University

Session Title: Ownership Structure and Equity Offering

Room: Oceanic East

Chair: Jay R. Ritter, University of Florida

<u>Investor Heterogeneity, Investor-Management Disagreement, and Open-Market Share</u>

Repurchases

Sheng Huang, Singapore Management University **Anjan Thakor,** Washington University, St. Louis

Discussant: Kristian Rydqvist, Binghamton University

Order Imbalances around Sesoned Equity Offerings

Sukwon (Thomas) Kim, University of California, Riverside Ronald W. Masulis, University of New South Wales, Australia

Discussant: Paul Irvine, University of Georgia

The Pre-IPO Dividend Puzzle

Jens Martin, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

R. Zeckhauser, Harvard University

Discussant: Qiangian Du, Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance

12:30 pm - 1:45 pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Lunch and FIRS General Body Meeting

2:15 pm - 4:00 pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Session Title: Analysts Forecasts 1

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Robert S. Hansen, Tulane University

Analyst Forecasts: Dispersion, Revisions and the Stock Returns in G-7 Countries

Jean-Sebastien Michel, HEC Montreal, Canada
J. Ari Pandes, University of Calgary, Canada

Discusssant: N.K. Chidambaran, Fordham University

Labor Quality Variation over Business Cycles in the Analyst Labor Market

In Gu Khang, Northwestern University

Discussant: Jonathan Clarke, Georgia Institute of Technology

Intangible Information and Analyst Behavior

Lei Sun, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

K. C. John Wei, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Discussant: Paul Irvine, University of Georgia

Session Title: Corporate Governance 1

Room: Coogee

Chair: Ronald Masulis, University of New South Wales, Australia

<u>Institutional Investors as Minority Shareholders</u>

Assaf Hamdani, Hebrew University, Israel **Yishay Yafeh**, Hebrew University, Israel

Discussant: Nishant Dass, Georgia Institute of Technology

The Impact of Mutual Fund Ownership on Corporate Investment: Evidence from a Natural Experiment

Roni Kisin, Washington University, St. Louis

Discussant: Cristina Cella, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden

Optimal Corporate Governance in the Presence of an Activist Investor

Jonathan Cohn, University of Texas, Austin

Uday Rajan, University of Michigan

Discussant: Abhiroop Mukherjee, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Session Title: News and Corporate Control

Room: Bronte

Chair: Jie Gan, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Do Shareholders Listen? M&A Advisor Opinions and Shareholder Voting

David A. Becher, Drexel University

Jay Cai, Drexel University

Wenjing Ouyang, Drexel University

Discussant: Ling Cen, University of Toronto, Canada

Shareholder Communication Costs and the Market for Corporate Control

JiekunHuang, National University of Singapore

Discussant: Alfred Lawson, University of Adelaide, Australia

Who Writes the News? Corporate Press Releases during Merger Negotiations

Kenneth Ahern, University of Michigan

Denis Sosyura, University of Michigan

Discussant: Anup Agrawal, University of Alabama

Session Title: Insurance and Asymmetric Information

Room: Centennial

Chair: Kristian Rydqvist, Binghamton University

The Failure of Models That Predict Failure: Distance, Incentives and Defaults

Uday Rajan, University of Michigan

Amit Seru, University of Chicago

Vikrant Vig, London Business School, United Kingdom

Discussant: Tobias Berg, Humboldt University, Germany

Collateral Characteristics, Borrower Risk, and Asymmetric Information

Allen N. Berger, University of South Carolina

Scott Frame, Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta

Vasso Ioannidou, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Discussant: David Solomon, University of Southern California

Insuring Non-Verifiable Losses and the Role of Intermediaries

Neil Doherty, University of Pennsylvania

Christian Laux, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria

Alexander Mürmann, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria

Discussant: Brett Green, Northwestern University

Session Title: Asset Pricing 1

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: Neil Pearson, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Intangible Assets and Cross-Sectional Stock Returns: Evidence from Structural Estimation

Erica (X.N.) Li, University of Michigan

Laura X.L. Liu, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology Discussant: Viorel Roscovan, Erasmus University, The Netherlands

Investors' Horizons and the Amplification of Market Shocks

Cristina Cella, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden

Andrew Ellul, Indiana University

Mariassunta Giannetti, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden Discussant: Prachi Deuskar, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Local Ownership and Informational Advantage Away From Firm Headquarters

Gennaro Bernile, University of Miami **Alok Kumar**, University of Miami

Johan Sulaeman, Southern Methodist University

Discussant: Stephen Dimmock, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Session Title: Mutual and Pension Fund Trading

Room: Oceanic East

Chair: Ing-Haw Cheng, University of Michigan

Pension Fund Herding and Stock Returns

Russell Jame, University of New South Wales, Australia Discussant: Mark Kamstra, York University, Canada

Mutual Fund Herding in Response to Hedge Fund Herding and the Impacts on Stock Prices

Yawen Jiao, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Pengfei Ye, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Discussant: Christopher Schwarz, University of California, Irvine

How does Portfolio Disclosure affect Institutional Trading? Evidence from their Daily Trades

Qinghai Wang, Georgia Institute of Technology

Discussant: Youchang Wu, University of Wisconsin, Madison

4:00 pm - 4:15 pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Coffee Break

4:15 pm - 6:00 pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Session Title: Hedge Funds and Performance

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Ning Gong, University of New South Wales, Australia

Can Hedge Funds Time Market Liquidity?

Charles Cao, Pennsylvania State University

Yong Chen, Virginia Tech

Bing Liang, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Andrew Lo, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Discussant: Russell Jame, University of New South Wales, Australia

The Impact of Mandatory Hedge Fund Portfolio Disclosure

Stephen Brown, New York University

Christopher Schwarz, University of California, Irvine

Discussant: Iwan Meier, HEC Montréal, Canada

Tests of Long-Term Performance: Analysis of Power

Rajdeep Singh, University of Minnesota

Pervin Shroff, University of Minnesota

Alexander Nekrasov, University of California, Irvine

Discussant: John Lyon, University of Melbourne, Australia

Session Title: Corporate Governance 2

Room: Coogee

Chair: Michael McKenzie, University of Sydney, Australia

Monitoring Managers: Does it Matter?

Francesca Cornelli, London Business School, United Kingdom

Zbigniew W. Kominek, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, UK

Alexander Ljungqvist, New York University

Discussant: Simon Gervais, Duke University

An Empirical Investigation of Internal Governance

Rajesh Aggarwal, University of Minnesota

Huijing Fu, Texas Christian University

Yihui Pan, University of Minnesota

Discussant: Yaniv Grinstein, Cornell University

CEO-Director Connections and Corporate Fraud

N. K. Chidambaran, Fordham University

Simi Kedia, Rutgers Business School

Nagpurnanand R. Prabhala, University of Maryland

Discussant: Denis Sosyura, University of Michigan

Session Title: Innovation and Corporate Control

Room: Bronte

Chair: Adriano Rampini, Duke University

Ownership Structure, Governance, and Innovation: Evidence from Italian Firms

Raoul Minetti, Michigan State University

Pierluigi Murro, Michigan State University

Monica Paiella, University of Naples, Italy

Discussant: Andrew Ellul, Indiana University

Do Anti-Takeover Provisions Spur Corporate Innovation

Thomas Chemmanur, Boston College

Xuan Tian, Indiana University

Discussant: Julian Atanassov, University of Oregon

Corporate Innovations and Mergers and Acquisitions

Jan Bena, University of British Columbia, Canada Kai L, University of British Columbia, Canada Discussant: Gennaro Bernile, University of Miami

Session Title: Information in Lending and Funding

Room: Centennial

Chair: Uday Rajan, University of Michigan

The Impact of Organizational and Incentive Structures on Soft Information: Evidence from Bank Lending

Jun Qian, Boston College

Philip Strahan, Boston College

Zhishu Yang, Tsinghua University, China

Discussant: Daniel Carvalho, University of Southern California

Verifying the State of Financing Constraints: Evidence from US Business Credit Contracts

Ralf Meisenzahl, Federal Reserve Board

Discussant: Ing-Haw Cheng, University of Michigan

The Added Value of Soft Information

Hans Degryse, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Jose Liberti, DePaul University

Steven Ongena, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Thomas Mosk, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Discussant: Roni Kisin, Washington University, St. Louis

Session Title: Asset Pricing 2

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: David Feldman, University of New South Wales, Australia

The Price Impact of Large Hedging Trades

Brian Henderson, George Washington University

Neil Pearson, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Discussant: Maria Cecilia Bustamante, London School of Economics, United Kingdom

Tax Arbitrage with Risk and Effort Aversion---Swedish Lottery Bonds 1970-1990

Kristian Rydqvist, Binghamton University

Discussant: Qi Zeng, University of Melbourne, Australia

Decomposing Short-Term Return Reversal

Zhi Da, University of Notre Dame

Qianqiu Liu, University of Hawaii

Ernst Schaumburg, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Discussant: Jinafeng Shen, University of New South Wales, Australia

6:15 pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Buses leave for Reception at UNSW

6:30 pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Reception

Speaker: Professor Stephen Brown, New York University

Wednesday, June 8, 2011

8:30 am - 10:15 am, Wednesday, June 8, 2011

Session Title: Executive Compensation 2

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Peter Swan, University of New South Wales, Australia

The Optimal Duration of Executive Compensation: Theory and Evidence

Radha Gopalan, Washington University, St. Louis **Todd Milbourn,** Washington University, St. Louis **Fenghua Song,** Pennsylvania State University **Anjan Thakor,** Washington University, St, Louis Discussant: Denis Sosyura, University of Michigan

Shareholder Democracy and its Discontents: Outrage, Captured Boards, and the Veil of Ignorance

Sudipto Dasgupta, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Thomas Noe, Oxford University, United Kingdom Discussant: Rajesh Aggarwal, University of Minnesota

How Important Are Risk-Taking Incentives in Executive Compensation?

Ingolf Dittmann, Erasmus University, The Netherlands

Ko-Chia Yu, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics

Discussant: Robert Tumarkin, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Bond Returns

Room: Coogee

Chair: Wolfgang Buehler, University of New South Wales, Australia

Momentum in Corporate Bond Returns

Gergana Jostova, George Washington University

Stanislava (Stas) Nikolova, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission

Alexander Philipov, George Mason University

Christof W. Stahel, George Mason University

Discussant: Russell Jame, University of New South Wales, Australia

Stochastic Correlation and Risk Premia in Term Structure Models

Carl Chiarella, University of Technology Sydney, Australia *Chih-Ying Hsiao,* University of Technology Sydney, Australia *Thuy Duong To*, University of New South Wales, Australia Discussant: Daniel Dufresne, University of Melbourne, Australia

Bond Market Turnover and Credit Spread Changes

Viorel Roscovan, Erasmus University, The Netherlands Discussant: Tobias Berg, Humboldt University, Germany

Session Title: Real Estate

Room: Bronte

Chair: Kevin Davis, University of Melbourne, Australia

<u>Hold Up Versus Benefits in Relationship Banking: A Natural Experiment Using REIT Organizational</u> <u>Form</u>

Yongheng Deng, National University of Singapore
Maggie (Rong) Hu, National University of Singapore
Anand Srinivasan, National University of Singapore

Discussant: Erasmo Giambona, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Mortgage Debt Overhang: Reduced Investment by Homeowners with Negative Equity

Brian Melzer, Northwestern University

Discussant: Kevin Davis, University of Melbourne, Australia

<u>Differences across Originators in CMBS Loan Underwriting</u>

Lamont Black, Federal Reserve Board **Chenghuan Sean Chu,** Federal Reserve Board **Andrew Cohen,** Federal Reserve Board **Joseph Nichols**, Federal Reserve Board

Discussant: Jin Yu, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Crosslistings and Spillovers 2

Room: Centennial

Chair: Ashish Tiwari, University of Iowa

Market Crashes and Institutional Trading

Paul Irvine, University of Georgia
Amber Anand, Syracuse University
Andy Puckett, University of Tennessee

Kumar Venkataraman, Southern Methodist University

Discussant: Jerry Parwada, University of New South Wales, Australia

Economic Consequences of International Cross-Listing and Multimarket Trading

Olga Dodd, AUT University, New Zealand

Discussant: Vanitha Ragunathan, University of Queensland, Australia

Asset Fire Sales and Purchases and the International Transmission of Financial Shocks

Chotibhak Jotikasthira, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill Christian Lundblad, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill Tarun Ramadorai, Oxford University, United Kingdom Discussant: Donghui Li, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Restructuring and Debt

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: Victoria Ivashina, Harvard University

In-and Out-of-Court Debt Restructuring in the Presence of Credit Default Swaps

Mascia Bedendo, Bocconi University, Italy **Lara Cathcart**, Imperial College, United Kingdom **Lina El-Jahel**, Imperial College, United Kingdom

Discussant: Anh Le, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Debt Ownership in Chapter 11 Restructurings

Victoria Ivashina, Harvard University **Ben Iverson**, Harvard University **David Smith**, University of Virginia

Per Stromberg, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden Discussant: Christa Bouwman, Case Western Reserve University

Defeasance of Control Rights

Carsten Bienz, Norwegian School of Economics and Business Administration, Norway

Zsuzsanna Fluck, Michigan State University

Antoine Faure-Grimaud, London School of Economics, United Kingdom)

Discussant: Andrew Winton, University of Minnesota

Session Title: Cross Sectional Stock Returns 2

Room: Oceanic East

Chair: Robert Dittmar, University of Michigan

Government Spending, Political Cycles and the Cross Section of Stock Returns

Frederico Belo, University of Minnesota

Vito Gala, London Business School, United Kingdom

Jun Li, University of Minnesota

Discussant: Francisco Palomino, University of Michigan

The Price of Commodity Risk

Martijn Boons, Tilburg University, The Netherlands **Frans de Roon**, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Marta Szymanowska, Erasmus University, The Netherlands

Discussant: Tyler Muir, Northwestern University

Broker-Dealer Leverage and the Cross-Section of Stock Returns

Tobias Adrian, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Erkko Etula, Harvard University

Tyler Muir, Northwestern University

Discussant: Erica X.N. Li, University of Michigan

10:15 am - 10:30 am, Wednesday, June 8, 2011

Coffee Break

10:30 am - 12:15 pm, Wednesday, June 8, 2011

Session Title: Asset Pricing 3

Room: Clovelly

Chair: Michael Stutzer, University of Colorado, Boulder

Seasonally Varying Preferences: Support from an Asset Pricing Model

Mark Kamstra, York University, Canada Lisa Kramer, University of Toronto, Canada Maurice Levi, University of British Columbia Tan Wang, University of British Columbia

Discussant: Elise Payzan, University of New South Wales, Australia

Implications of Variance Bounds on the Permanent and Transitory Components of Stochastic

Discount Factors for Asset Pricing Models

Gurdip Bakshi, University of Maryland **Fousseni Chabi-Yo,** Ohio State University

Discussant: Bohui Zhang, University of New South Wales, Australia

Long Run Labor Income Risk

Robert Dittmar, University of Michigan **Francisco Palomino,** University of Michigan

Discussant: Kyung Hwan Shim, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Analysts' Forecasts 2

Room: Coogee

Chair: Paul Irvine, University of Georgia

Evidence that Analyst Earnings Forecast Revisions are not Very Informative

Oya Altinkilic, George Washington University

Vadim S. Balashov, Tulane University **Robert Hansen,** Tulane University

Discussant: Qinghai Wang, Georgia Institute of Technology

Can Analysts Surprise the Market? Evidence from Intraday Jumps

Daniel Bradley, University of South Florida

Jonathan Clarke, Georgia Institute of Technology

Suzanne Lee, Georgia Institute of Technology

Chayawat Ornthanalia, Georgia Institute of Technology

Discussant: Neil Pearson, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Can Unbiased Financial Advice Steer Retail Investors Towards Efficient Portfolios?

Answers from a Large Field Study

Utpal Bhattacharya, Indiana University

Andreas Hackethal, (Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany

Simon Kaesler, Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany

Benjamin Loos, Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany

Steffen Meyer, Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany

Discussant: Min Kim, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Institutional Development and International Evidence

Room: Bronte

Chair: Sankar De, Indian School of Business, India

Finance, Growth, and Inequality: Channels and Outcomes

Sankar De, Indian School of Business, India

Subrata Sarkar, Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research, India

Manpreet Singh, Indian School of Business, India **Siddharth Vij,** Indian School of Business, India

Discussant: Yishay Yafeh, Hebrew University, Israel

Bank Competition and Stability: Reconciling Conflicting Empirical Evidence

Thorsten Beck, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Olivier De Jonghe, Tilburg University, The Netherlands

Glenn Schepens, Ghent University, Belgium

Discussant: Jie Gan, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Institutions, Ownership Structures, and Firm Distress Resolution in Emerging Markets

Joseph P.H. Fan, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Jun Huang, Shanghai University

Ning Zhu, Shanghai University

Discussant: Gloria Y. Tian, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Mergers and Acquisitions

Room: Centennial

Chair: Tim Adam, Humboldt University, Germany

Rumors of Mergers and Acquisitions: Market Efficiency and Markup Pricing

Hsin-I Chou, La Trobe University, Australia

Gloria Y. Tian, University of New South Wales, Australia

Xiangkang Yin, La Trobe University, Australia

Discussant: Kristian Rydqvist, Binghamton University

The Sharing of Economic Benefits between Acquirers and Targets

Ron Masulis, University of New South Wales, Australia

Peter Swan, University of New South Wales, Australia

Brett Tobiansky, University of New South Wales, Australia

Discussant: Emir Hrnjic, National University of Singapore

Insider Trading in Takeover Targets

Anup Agrawal, University of Alabama

Tareque Nasser, University of Alabama

Discussant: Ron Masulis, University of New South Wales, Australia

Session Title: Bank Risk Taking

Room: Oceanic West

Chair: Andrew Winton, University of Minnesota

Bank Liquidity Creation and Risk Taking During Distress

Allen N. Berger, University of South Carolina

Christa H. S. Bouwman, Case Western Reserve University **Thomas Kick**, Deutsche Bundesbank Frankfurt, Germany **Klaus Schaeck**, Bangor University, United Kingdom

Discussant: Mariassunta Giannetti, Stockholm School of Economics, Sweden

The Ultimate Cost of Bank Bailout

Viral Acharya, New York University

Itamar Drechsler, New York University

Philipp Schnabl, New York University

Discussant: Fenghua Song, Pennsylvania State University

TARP Consequences: Lending and Risk Taking

Ran Duchin, University of Michigan **Denis Sosyura,** University of Michigan

Discussant: James Vickery, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Session Title: Bank Bailouts

Room: Oceanic East

Chair: Christian Laux, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria

Large Capital Infusions, Investor Reactions, and Performance of FIs in Financial Crisis

Elyas Elyasiani, Temple University

Loretta Mester, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia

Michael Pagano, Villanova University

Discussant: Viorel Roscovan, Erasmus University, The Netherlands

Valuing the Treasury's Capital Assistance Program

Zhenyu Wang, Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Paul Glasserman, Columbia University

Discussant: Sheng Huang, Singapore Management University

Bank Bailouts, Interventions, and Moral Hazard

Lammertjan Dam, University of Groningen, The Netherlands **Michael Koetter**, University of Groningen, The Netherlands

Alfred Lehar, University of Calgary, Canada