



European Finance Association

EFA / EIASM Doctoral Tutorial in Finance

Bergen, Norway 19th August 2009

FINAL PROGRAMME

08.45 – 09.00 WELCOME

09.00 – 09.45

1. Jungsuk Han, London Business School
"INFORMATION ACQUISITION CHAINS"

Discussants:

Faculty: Loriana Pelizzon, University of Venice
Student: Jorge Ponce, Toulouse University

09.45 – 10.30

2. Laila Neuthor, Ludwig-Maximilians University Munich
"COLLUSION IN REINSURANCE RELATIONSHIPS WITH BROKER INTERMEDIATION"

Discussants:

Faculty: Steven Ongena, Tilburg University
Student: Sven Groth, Frankfurt University

10.30 – 10.45 BREAK

10.45 – 11.30 NETWORKING SINCE 1971

3. Andriosopoulos Dimitrios, Cass Business School
"SHARE REPURCHASES IN EUROPE. UNDERLYING SIGNALS AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS. A CROSS-COUNTRY ANALYSIS"

Discussants:

Faculty: Tom Berglund, Hanken School of Economics
Student: Alberto Manconi, INSEAD

11.30 – 12.15

4. Alberto Manconi, INSEAD
"MIXING WHEAT WITH THE CHAFF: DIVIDEND SIGNALING, PECKING ORDER, AND STYLE INVESTING"

Discussants:

Faculty: Ibolya Schindele, BI Oslo
Student: Andriosopoulos Dimitrios, Cass Business School

12.15 – 13.30 LUNCH

13.30 – 14.15

5. Sven Groth, Frankfurt University
"FURTHER EVIDENCE ON 'TECHNOLOGY AND LIQUIDITY PROVISION: THE BLURRING OF TRADITIONAL DEFINITIONS' "

Discussants:

Faculty: Laurent Frésard, HEC Paris
Student: Laila Neuthor

14.15 – 15.00

6. Jorge Ponce, Toulouse University
"THE PRICING AND QUALITY OF CREDIT RATINGS: A TWO-SIDED MARKET PERSPECTIVE"

Discussants:

Faculty: Ulrich Hege, HEC Paris
Student: Jungsuk Han, London Business School

15.00 – 15.15 BREAK

15.15 – 16.00

7. Alessandro Fontana, Venice University
"THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CREDIT DEFAULT SWAP AND BOND SPREADS: BEFORE AND DURING THE 2007 FINANCIAL CRISIS"

Discussants:

Faculty: Juan-Carlos Rodriguez, Tilburg University
Student: Benjamin Golez, Pompeu Fabra University

16.00 – 16.45

8. Benjamin Golez, Pompeu Fabra University
"OPTIONS IMPLIED DIVIDEND YIELD AND MARKET RETURNS"

Discussants:

Faculty: Martijn Cremers, Yale School of Management
Student: Alessandro Fontana, Venice University

16.45 – 17.00 CLOSURE