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Sixth Annual Conference

6th & 7th June 2013

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Thursday 6 June

Registration opens at 9:30am

Session 1: Financial frictions and commodity prices

A model of financialization of commodities 10.00

Suleyman Basak (London Business School and CEPR) * Anna Pavlova (London Business School and CEPR)

10.50 Feedback effects of commodity future prices

Michael Sockin (Princeton University)

* Wei Xiong (Princeton University and NBER)

11.40 **BREAK**

Session 2: Regulation and market equilibrium

12.10 Capital regulation and credit fluctuations

Hans Gersbach (ETH Zurich and CEPR)

* **Jean-Charles Rochet** (University of Zurich, SFI and Toulouse School of Economics)

13.00 LUNCH

14.00 Comparing different regulatory measures to control stock market volatility: a general equilibrium analysis

Adrian Buss (INSEAD)

Bernard Dumas (INSEAD, CEPR, and NBER)

* Raman Uppal (Edhec Business School and CEPR)

Grigory Vilkov (Goethe University Frankfurt)

14.50 **BREAK**

Session 3: Market anomalies and limited arbitrage

15.20 Does academic research destroy stock return predictability?

R. David McLean (University of Alberta and MIT Sloan School of Management)

* **Jeff Pontiff** (Boston College)

16.10 **BREAK**

16.40 **Expectations of returns and expected returns**

Robin Greenwood (Harvard Business School)

* Andrei Shleifer (Harvard Business School)

17.30 Comomentum: inferring arbitrage activity from return correlations

* Christopher Polk (London School of Economics)

Dong Lou (London School of Economics)

18.20 **CLOSE OF DAY ONE**

12.10

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Session 4: Compensation and risk taking in the financial sector

- 10.30 The (ir)resistible rise of agency rents
 - * Bruno Biais (Toulouse School of Economics)

 Augustin Landier (Toulouse School of Economics)
- 11.20 Seeking alpha: excess risk taking and competition for managerial talent

Viral Acharya (New York University) Marco Pagano (Università di Napoli Federico II)

* Paolo Volpin (London Business School)

LUNCH

Session 5: Market design, liquidity, and information

- 13.20 Competing on speed
 - * Emiliano Pagnotta (New York University)
 Thomas Philippon (New York University)
- 14.10 Trading and information diffusion in over-the-counter markets

Ana Babus (Imperial College London)

- * Peter Kondor (Central European University)
- 15.00 CLOSE OF CONFERENCE

*: Presenter