



[ACADEMIC MINI-CONFERENCE ON CAPITAL MARKETS]

Date

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Location

**Amphitheatre B108
Anastasios Leventis Building
University Campus
University of Cyprus**

Organized by
the Bank of Cyprus Chair in Finance
and the Center of Banking and Finance
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TIME	PROGRAMME
08:30-10:30	<i>"Regulatory Gaps and Market Discipline: Lessons from the Sovereign Crisis"</i> Stavros Thomadakis (University of Athens)
	<i>"The Role of Government Regulation in Cross-border Bank Acquisitions"</i> Andrew Karolyi (Cornell) and Alvaro Taboada (University of Tennessee)
	<i>"Diving Into Dark Pools"</i> Sabrina Buti (University of Toronto), Barbara Rindi (Bocconi) and Ingrid Werner (Ohio State University)
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:30	<i>"Criminal Convictions, Governance and Corporate Performance"</i> Eli Amir (London Business School)
	<i>"The Role of Growth Options in Explaining Stock Returns"</i> Lenos Trigeorgis (University of Cyprus) and Neofytos Lambertides (Technological University of Cyprus)
12:30-13:30	Lunch Break
13:30-15:00	<i>"The Predictability of Returns with Regime Shifts in Consumption and Dividend Growth"</i> George Constantinides (University of Chicago) and Anisha Ghosh (Carnegie Mellon)
	"Should Macroeconomic Forecasters Use Daily Financial Data and How?" Elena Andreou (University of Cyprus) , Eric Ghysels (University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill) and Andros Kourtellos (University of Cyprus)
15:00-15:30	Coffee Break
15:30-17:00	<i>"The Equilibrium Dynamics of Liquidity and Illiquid Asset Prices"</i> Adrian Buss (Goethe University) and Bernard Dumas (INSEAD and CEPR)
	<i>"Fiscal Policy and Asset Pricing with Incomplete Markets"</i> Francisco Gomes (London Business School and CEPR), Alexander Michaelides (University of Cyprus and CEPR) and Valery Polkovnichenko (Federal Reserve Board)

(Presenters denoted in bold)