

2014 CityU Finance Conference

Organized by City University of Hong Kong, Department of Economics and Finance, and the Research Center for International Economics (RCIE)

Coordinators: Prof. Yue Ma, Dr. Tao Li, and Dr. Yaxuan Qi **Venue**: 14-222, 14/F, Academic 3, City University of Hong Kong

Date: 11-12 June, 2014

Program 14 papers (45 minutes each): presentation (30 minutes), discussant (10 minutes), floor (5 minutes)	
Day 1: Wednesday, June 11, 2014	
8:45 – 9:05	Registration and Morning Coffee
9:05 – 9:15	Welcoming Remarks by Dr. Isabel Yan
	Associate Head, Department of Economic and Finance, City University of Hong Kong
Session 1 – Chair: Yue Ma, City University of Hong Kong	
9:15 – 10:00	Investor Sophistication and Capital Income Inequality
	Marcin Kacperczyk (Imperial College London), Jaromir B. Nosal (Columbia University), Luminita
	Stevens (University of Maryland)
	Discussant: Kai Li (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
10:00 - 10:45	Optimal Monetary Policy and Term Structure in a Continuous-Time DSGE Model
	Haitao Li (Cheung Kong Graduate School of Business), Tao Li (City University of Hong Kong), Cindy Yu
	(Iowa State University)
	Discussant: Gustavo Manso (University of California, Berkeley)
10:45 - 11:00	Coffee Break
Session 2 – Chair: Junbo Wang, City University of Hong Kong	
11:00 - 11:45	The Agglomeration of Bankruptcy
	Efraim Benmelech (Northwestern University), Nittai Bergman (MIT), Anna Milanez (Harvard
	University), Vladimir Mukharlyamov (Harvard University)
	Discussant: Kai Li (University of British Columbia)
11:45 – 12:30	A Rent-protection Explanation for SEO Flotation Method Choice
	Xueping Wu (City University of Hong Kong), Zheng Wang (UBS Securities Co. Ltd), Jun Yao (Hong
	Kong Polytechnic University)
	Discussant: Thierry Foucault (HEC Paris)
12:40 - 14:00	Lunch (City Chinese Restaurant, 8/F Amenities Building, City University of Hong Kong)
Session 3 – Chair: Qianqian Huang, City University of Hong Kong	
14:15 – 15:00	Managerial Short-Termism and Corporate Innovation Strategies
	Huasheng Gao (Nanyang Technological University), Po-Hsuan Hsu (University of Hong Kong), Kai Li
	(University of British Columbia)
	Discussant: Alminas Zaldokas (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
15:00 – 15:45	Real Estate Collateral, Debt Financing, and Product Market Outcomes
	Azizjon Alimov (City University of Hong Kong)
	Discussant: Efraim Benmelech (Northwestern University)
15:45 – 16:00	Coffee Break
Session 4 – Cha	air: Giorgio Valente , City University of Hong Kong
16:00 - 16:45	Prices and Volatilities in the Corporate Bond Market
	Jack Bao (Ohio State University), Jia Chen(Peking University), Kewei Hou (Ohio State University), Lei
	Lu (Peking University)
	Discussant: Jay Cao (Chinese University of Hong Kong)
16:45 – 17:30	Jump Propagation and Dynamic Derivative Investment
	Du Du (City University of Hong Kong), Dan Luo (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics)
	Discussant: Marcin Kacperczyk (Imperial College London)
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Conference Dinner (by invitation only): 18:30 – 20:30, Shanghai Min, Tsim Sha Tsui	



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Day 2: Thursday, June 12, 2014	
8:45 – 9:00	Morning Coffee
Session 5 – Chair: Tom Vinaimont , City University of Hong Kong	
9:00 - 9:45	Experimentation and the Returns to Entrepreneurship
	Gustavo Manso (University of California, Berkeley)
	Discussant: Dongmei Li (University of California, San Diego)
9:45 – 10:30	Dynamic Measures of Competition
	Margaret Rui Zhu (City University of Hong Kong)
	Discussant: Jefferson Duarte (Rice University)
10:30-10:45	Coffee Break
Session 6 – Chair: Tao Li, City University of Hong Kong	
10:45 -11:30	Toxic Arbitrage
	Thierry Foucault (HEC Paris), Roman Kozhan (University of Warwick), Wing Wah Tham (Erasmus
	University Rotterdam)
	Discussant: Grace Xing Hu (University of Hong Kong)
11:30 –12:15	What Drive the CDS Basis in the Credit Market?
	Kasing Man (Western Illinois University), Junbo Wang (City University of Hong Kong), Chunchi Wu
	(State University of New York at Buffalo)
	Discussant: Jack Bao (Ohio State University)
12:25 –13:45	Lunch (City Chinese restaurant, 8/F Amenities Building, City University of Hong Kong)
Session 7 – Chair: Yaxuan Qi, City University of Hong Kong	
14:00 –14:45	Davids, Goliaths, and Business Cycles
	Jefferson Duarte (Rice University), Nishad Kapadia (Rice University)
	Discussant: Jialin Yu (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
14:45 –15:30	Don't Hide Your Light Under a Bushel: Innovative Diversity and Stock Returns
	David Hirshleifer (University of California, Irvine), Po-Hsuan Hsu (University of Hong Kong), Dongmei
	Li (University of California, San Diego)
	Discussant: Jay Li (City University of Hong Kong)
15:30 –16:15	Reception