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Banking I

Signalling I

10:30 - 12:20 p.m. • Price-Volume Studies

Issues in Corporate Finance

 Interest Rates Pricing Theory I

2:00 - 3:50 p.m.

Empirical Studies in Financial Economics

Capital Structure

 Banking II Options I

4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

WFA Executive Committee and Board of Directors Meeting

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 17

8:30 - 9:40 a.m.

Information and Prices

Incentives and Risk Sharing

8:30 - 10:20 a.m. • Non-U.S. Stock Markets

Consumption-Based CAPMS

9:50 - 11:00 a.m. • Invited Session — Innovations in

Investment Management Real Estate

10:30 - 12:20 p.m. • Size Effects Options II

11:10 - 12:20 p.m. • Market Microstructure Investment Banking

12:30 - 2:20 p.m. • Annual Meeting and Luncheon

Distinguished Speaker: Myron S. Scholes, University of

Chicago and Stanford University

2:30 - 4:20 p.m.

Dividends

• Information in Corporate Finance

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*"An Empirical Test of the Redistribution Effect in Pure Exchange Mergers," Carol Eger, Stanford University "Valuing Corporate Securities: Some Effects of Mergers By Exchange Offers," Kuldeep Shastri, University of Pittsburgh "Acquisition Circumstances and the Prices of Controlling Shares of Small Firms," Larry G. Meeker, Federal

Reserve Bank of Kansas City, and O. Maurice Joy, University

of Kansas

Discussants:

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VALUE OF THE FIRM - Saion B

Joseph Vinso, University of Southern California

"The Impact of Preferred-for-Common Exchange Offers on Firm Value," Ronald C. Lease, University of Utah, and J.

Michael Pinegar, University of Iowa

"Unanticipated inflation, Real Assets, and the Value of the Firm," Victor L. Bernard, University of Michigan "The Role of Cash Balances in Firm Valuation," James R.

Morris, University of Colorado

Discussants:

Mark Weinstein, University of Southern California

Michael Gibbons, Stanford University

Thomas Copeland, University of California-Los Angeles

BANKING I - Salon C

Jeffrey Skelton, University of California-Berkeley

"Use of Single Factor Duration Models for Nondefault-Free Bonds," George G. Kaufman, Loyola University; Gerald Bierwag, University of Arizona; and Alden Toevs, University

"Market Evidence on the Effective Maturity of Bank Assets and Liabilities," Mark J. Flannery, University of Pennsylvania,

and Christopher James, University of Oregon

"Some Empirical Findings with German Banks," Her-

mann Goppl, Universitat Karlsruhe

Discussants:

Robert Fuhrman, BARRA, Berkeley

Stephen Figlewski, New York University and University of

California-Berkeley

Roy Henriksson, University of California-Berkeley

SIGNALLING I - Salon D

Chair: Gregory Hawkins, University of California-Berkeley

"Credit Reputation Equilibrium and the Theory of Credit

Markets," Chester Spatt, Carnegie-Mellon University

"A Theory of Credibility: The Use of Apparently Costless Signals to Convey Information," Robert Heinkel, University

of British Columbia

"Assymetry of Information, incentives and Optimal Procurement Contracts for the Regulated Firm," Anthony

Saunders and Kose John, New York University

Discussants: Stuart Greenbaum, Northwestern University

Richard Castanias, University of Washington

Richard Edelman, Comsat

10:30 - 12:20 p.m.

PRICE-VOLUME STUDIES - Salon A

Stephen Penman, University of California-Berkeley

"A Theoretical and Empirical Analysis of the Distribution of Speculative Prices and of the Relation Between Absolute Price Change and Volume," Lawrence Harris,

University of Southern California

"The Stock Price-Volume Relationship: A Test of Information Arrival Models," Laura T. Starks, Washington University; Mark Moran, Case Western Reserve University;

and Michael Smirlock, University of Pennsylvania

"Technical Indicators, Macroeconomic Variables and Market Timing: A Test of the Ability to Predict Stock

Returns," David M. Modest, Columbia University

Discussants:

Stephen Brown, Bell Laboratories-Murray Hill Don Friedman, University of California-Los Angeles

Carol Eger, Stanford University

ISSUES IN CORPORATE FINANCE - Salon B Michael Joehnk, Arizona State University Chair: "Evidence of the Market Value of Me-First Rules," Greggory Brauer, University of Iowa "A Simplified Model for Estimating the Cost of Equity for Discussants: Growth Firms," Russell J. Fuller and Chi-Cheng Hsia. Washington State University "An Analysis of the Impact of Regulatory Change: The Case of Natural Gas Deregulation," Andrew H. Chen and Gary C. Sanger, Ohio State University Chair: William Boyce, Bell Laboratories-Murray Hill Discussants: Chris Muscarella, University of Utah Richard Stolz, Arizona State University INTEREST RATES - Salon C Stephen Nadauld, Brigham Young University Chair: "Risk, Segmentation and the Municipal Term Structure." Charles Trzcinka, State University of New York "The Fisher Equation Under Uncertainty," Lee Wakeman, University of Rochester, and Sanjai Bhagat, University of Discussants: Utah "Real Interest Rate Parity, The Fisher Effect and Financial Market Efficiency," John Merrick and Anthony Saunders, New York University Jeffrey Skelton, University of California-Berkeley Discussants: Chair: Ehud Ronn, University of California-Berkeley Hal Heaton, Brigham Young University PRICING THEORY I - Salon D Chair: George Constantinides, University of Chicago "Ross's Arbitrage Pricing Theory (APT): A Simple Rigorous Derivation," Philip H. Dybvig, Yale University "A Unified Beta Pricing Theory," Gregory Connor, Northwestern University "Factor Pricing in a Finite Economy," Sheridan Titman and Mark Grinblatt, University of California-Los Angeles Nai-Fu Chen, University of Chicago Discussants: Discussants: Jay Shanken, University of California-Berkeley George Constantinides, University of Chicago 2:00 - 3:50 p.m. EMPIRICAL STUDIES IN FINANCIAL ECONOMICS - Salon A Chair: Michael Gibbons, Stanford University "An Empirical Investigation of the Capital Asset Pricing Model," Jay Shanken, University of California-Berkeley "'Open-Ending' Closed-End Funds: Evidence of Efficiency in Pricing Closed-End Fund Shares," Greggory Brauer. University of Iowa

"Does the Stock Market Adjust to Errors in Economic Forecasts?," Jerome B. Baesel, University of California-Irvine, and Edward O. Thorp, Oakley-Sutton Management Corp. Robert Stambaugh, University of Pennsylvania Wayne Ferson, University of Pennsylvania Paul Pfleiderer, Stanford University CAPITAL STRUCTURE - Salon B Ronald Singer, University of Houston "Taxes, Capital Structure, and the Bondholder Clienteles," Sang Park and Joseph Williams, New York University "Determinants of Capital Structure: An Empirical Analysis." Sheridan Titman, University of California-Los Angeles, and Roberto Wessels, Erasmus University, Rotterdam "Effects of Regulation on Utility Financing: Theory and Evidence," Robert A. Taggart, Northwestern University and Harvard University Roy Henriksson, University of California-Berkeley E. Han Kim, University of Michigan James Bicksler, Rutgers University and McGill University BANKING II - Salon C Ronald Masulis, University of California-Los Angeles "Fixed Rate Loan Commitments, Takedown Risk and the Dynamics of Hedging,"Anthony Saunders and Thomas Ho, New York University "Optimal Takedowns Under Adaptive Loan Commitment Pricing," Stuart Greenbaum, Northwestern University, and Itzhak Venezia. Hebrew University "Bank Reserve Adjustment Process and the Use of Reserve Carryover as a Reserve Management Tool — A Microeconometric Approach," Vefa Tarhan, Loyola University, and Paul A. Spindt, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System Anjan Thakor, Indiana University Lemma Senbet, University of Wisconsin Peter Lloyd-Davies, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve

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OPTIONS I -Salon D

Terence Langetieg, University of Southern California

"Over the Counter Options Market Dividend Protection and 'Biases' in the Black-Scholes Model," Robert Geske and Richard Roll, University of California-Los Angeles; and Kuldeep Shastri, University of Pittsburgh

"The Value of Sam: An Option Pricing Model Approach," Dorothy E. Koehl, University of Puget Sound

"Bond Pricing Dynamics and Options," Clifford A. Ball and

Walter N. Torous, University of Michigan

David Emanuel, University of Texas-Dallas Dennis Copozza, University of British Columbia

Georges Courtadon, New York University

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Discussants:

8:30 - 9:40 a.m. INFORMATION AND PRICES - Salon A

> Chair: Maclyn Clouse, University of Denver

> > "Information, Stock Market Returns, and the Business Cycle," W.A. Kracaw, Purdue University, and Roger Huang,

University of Florida

"On the Relation Between Speed of Stock Price Adjustment to Information Release and the Amount of Information," Robert Jennings, Indiana University, and Laura T. Starks,

Washington University

Greggory Brauer, University of Iowa Discussants:

James Schallheim, University of Utah

INCENTIVES AND RISK SHARING - Saion B

Philip Dybyig, Yale University

"The Economics of Reinsurance," George Blazenko.

University of British Columbia

"Risk Sharing and Valuation with Moral Hazard," Patricia

Hughes, University of British Columbia

Discussants: Richard Green, Carnegie-Mellon University

Chester Spatt, Carnegie-Mellon University

8:30 - 10:20 a.m.

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NON-U.S. STOCK MARKETS - Salon C

Alan Shapiro, University of Southern California

"Stock Return Seasonalities and the 'Tax-Loss Selling' Hypothesis: Analysis of the Arguments and Australian Evidence," Allan W. Kleidon, Stanford University; Philip Brown, University of Western Australia; Donald Keim, University of Pennsylvania; and Terry Marsh, Massachusetts Institute

Discussants:

of Technology

"Market Disequilibrium. Thin Trading and Market Model Estimation: A Study of the Vienna Stock Market," R.S. Woodward, University of Calgary, and J. Matatko, University of

Exeter

"The Tokyo Stock Exchange: An Analysis of Stock Market Prices." T. Craig Tapley and Richard H. Pettway, University of

Discussants: Marc Reinganum, University of Southern California

> Richard Castanias, University of Washington James Bodurtha, Ohio State University

CONSUMPTION-BASED CAPMS - Salon D

Chair: Ehud Ronn, University of California-Berkeley

"Commodity Bonds and Consumption Risks," Maureen

O'Hara, Cornell University

"Equity Security Portfolios as Hedges Against Unanticipated Changes in Consumer Prices," Victor L. Bernard,

University of Michigan

"Expectations of Real Interest Rates and Aggregate Consumption: Synthesis and Tests," Wayne E. Ferson, Universi-

ty of Pennsylvania

Suresh Sundaresan, Columbia University Discussants:

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Gordon Sick, University of Alberta

9:50 - 11:00 a.m. INVITED SESSION: INNOVATIONS IN INVESTMENT

MANAGEMENT - Salon A

Russell Fuller, Washington State University

"Trading Procedures in a Noisy Market," Evan Schulman,

Batterymarch Financial Management

"Disciplined Stock Selection," James Farrell, MPT

Associates

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Richard Roll, University of California-Los Angeles

REAL ESTATE - Salon B

Michael Ames. California State University-Fullerton

"An Economic Analysis of the Due-on-Sale Clause and Mortgage Prepayment Penalties," Chester Spatt and Ken-

neth B. Dunn, Carnegie-Mellon University

"Disintermediation in the Real Estate Market: The Case of Seller Financing," Raymond Chiang, University of Florida,

and James Ang, Florida State University

Michael Carney, California State Polytechnic University-

Pomona

David Dale-Johnson, University of Southern California

10:30 - 12:20 p.m.

SIZE EFFECTS - Salon C

Chair:

William M. Taylor, University of Wisconsin-Madison

"Biases in Computed Returns: An Application to the Size Effect," Robert F. Stambaugh and Marshall E. Blume, Univer-

sity of Pennsylvania

"The Relation Between Day of the Week Effects and Size Related Anomalies," Donald B. Keim, University of Penn-

sylvania

"Further Evidence on Size Effects and Yield Effects: The Implications of Stock Return Seasonality," Donald B.

Keim, University of Pennsylvania

Discussants:

Hans Stoll, Vanderbilt University Patrick Hess, Ohio State University

Richard Green, Carnegie-Mellon University

OPTIONS II - Salon D

Chair:

David Emanuel, University of Texas-Dallas

"Risk Neutral Valuation of Options When Asset Returns are Generated by a Binomial Process," Marti G. Subrahmanyam, New York University, and R.C. Stapleton,

Manchester Business School

"The American Put Value Analytically," Robert Geske, University of California-Los Angeles, and H.E. Johnson, Loui-

siana State University

"Pricing Put Options with Interest Rate Uncertainty,"

Georges Courtadon, New York University

Discussants:

Dev Gandhi, University of Ottawa Eric Kirzner, University of Waterloo

David Emanuel, University of Texas-Dallas

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MARKET MICROSTRUCTURE - Salon A

Chair:

Thomas Copeland, University of California-Los Angeles

"Bid, Ask and Transaction Prices in a Specialist Market with Heterogeneously Informed Traders," Lawrence R. Glosten, Northwestern University, and Paul R. Milgrom, Yale

University

"The Impact of Market Design on Trading Behavior Under Transaction Price Uncertainty," Thomas Ho and Robert A. Schwartz, New York University; and David K. Whit-

comb, Rutgers University

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Dan Galai, Hebrew University and University of California-

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INVESTMENT BANKING · Salon B

Chair: David Glenn, University of Utah and Federal Savings and

Loan Insurance Corporation, Washington, D.C.

"The Valuation of Underwriting Agreements with Price Stabilization Activities," Anjan V. Thakor, Indiana University; Wayne Lee, University of Santa Clara; and Gautam Vora, Pennsylvania State University

"Alternative Methods for Floating New Issues: Price Effects and the Benefits of An Underwritten Offering," Ar-

tur Raviv and John Parsons, Northwestern University

Charles Cox, Securities and Exchange Commission Discussants:

Sanjai Bhagat, University of Utah

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Annual Meeting and Luncheon

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DIVIDENDS - Salon A

Chair: Eric Sorensen, University of Arizona

"Wealth Redistribution or Informational Effects: An Analysis of Returns to the Bondholders and to the Stockholders Around Dividend Announcements," Avner Kalay, New York University, and G. Handinicolaou, City

University of New York

"The Behavior of Daily Stock Returns Around the Ex-Dividend Date: A Test of the Tax-Clientele Hypothesis," George W. Gallinger, Arizona State University, and Michael

A. Berry, University of Virginia

"On Interpreting Security Returns During the Ex-Dividend Period," Kenneth M. Eades, University of Michigan; Patrick J. Hess, Ohio State University; and E. Han

Kim, University of Michigan

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Gordon Roberts, Dalhousie University

Mark Weinstein, University of Southern California

James Brickley, University of Utah

INFORMATION IN CORPORATE FINANCE - Salon B

Chair: Gordon Sick, University of Alberta

"Capital Structure Equilibrium When Agents are Asymmetrically Informed," Neal M. Stoughton, University of

British Columbia

"Dividends, Dilution, and Taxes: A Signalling Equil-Ibrium," Kose John and Joseph Williams, New York Universi-

"Necessary and Sufficient Conditions for Achieving Stockholder Unanimity Over the Production of Information," Brett Trueman, University of California-Los Angeles

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Mark Grinblatt, University of California-Los Angeles Robert Heinkel, University of British Columbia

SECURITY PRICING - Salon C

Chair:

Gerald Bierwag, University of Arizona

"An Examination of Event Dependency and Structural Change in Security Pricing Models," Keith C. Brown, San Diego State University; Larry J. Lockwood, University of Texas-Arlington; and Scott L. Lummer, Purdue University "Parameter Estimation of the Compound Events Model for Security Prices," Clifford A. Ball and Walter N. Torous,

University of Michigan

"Partially Anticipated Events: A Model of Stock Price Reactions with an Application to Corporate Acquisitions," Rex Thompson, University of British Columbia, and

Paul H. Malatesta, University of Washington

Discussants: Arun Prakash, Florida International University

Dan Dahliwal, University of Arizona

Joseph Vinso, University of Southern California

PRICING THEORY II - Saion D

Chair:

Sudipto Bhattacharya, Stanford University

"On the Separation of Investment and Consumption Decisions in Multiperiod Dynamic Models of the Capital Asset Market," Ramon Rabinovitch, University of Houston,

and Joel Owen, New York University

"Asset Pricing Compatible with Observed Market Value Weights: The Theory," Robert R. Grauer, Simon Fraser University, and Michael J. Best, University of Waterloo "Aggregation in Markets with Investment Restrictions,"

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Richardson Pettit, University of Houston

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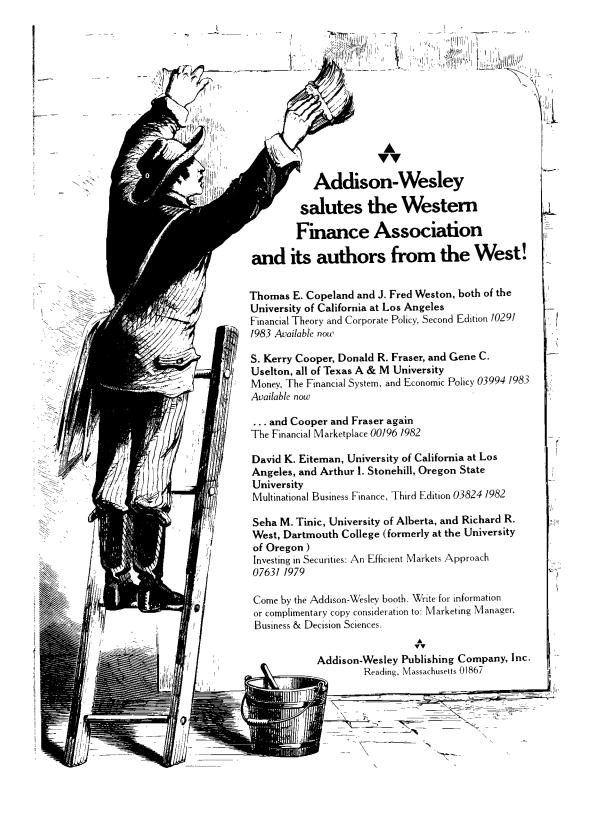
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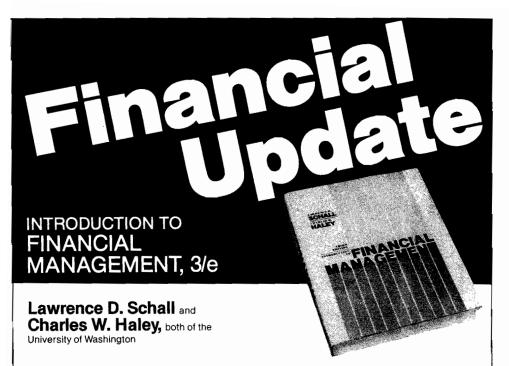
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