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# 2003 Program

38th Annual Conference  
of the  
Western Finance Association

The Meliá Cabo Real Convention Center  
Beach & Golf Resort  
Los Cabos, Mexico

June 18-20, 2003

## WESTERN FINANCE ASSOCIATION

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A call for papers and participants for the 2004 Conference of the Western Finance Association appears at the end of this program.

REGISTRATION AND HOTEL INFORMATION

All sessions and conference functions will be held in or outside the Meliá Cabo Real Convention Center Beach & Golf Resort in Los Cabos, Mexico. On-site registration for the conference will be located in the Foyer on the following schedule:

Wednesday, June 18, 2:00pm – 7:00pm  
Thursday, June 19, 8:00am – 4:00pm  
Friday, June 20, 8:00am – 12:00noon

PRE-REGISTRATION

Pre-registration is being handled this year via our web site, which can be found at <http://www.westernfinance.org>. Those who pre-register are entitled to a discount on registration fees. To qualify for these discounted rates you must pre-register before June 1. See the web site for details or send your check to the Secretary Treasurer at the address shown on the previous page.

FEESCHEDULE

	Pre-Registration	On-site Registration
WFA member	\$50	\$85
Non-member	\$80	\$125
Student	No charge	\$30

SPECIAL EVENT REGISTRATION

Registration for the WFA Annual Meeting, Luncheon, and other special events will be done at the time of pre-registration on the WFA website and on-site (subject to availability) for those who do not pre-register. Registration is required for the Nasdaq Breakfast, the Journal of Investment Management/Fitch Lunch, the MIT Press/Oxford University Press Breakfast, the WFA annual luncheon, and the Wharton Research Data Services Breakfast.

SOCIETY FOR FINANCIAL STUDIES MEMBERSHIP MEETING

All members of the SFS are invited to attend the Annual Meeting to be held on Friday, June 20 from 5:00pm -6:00pm in Ixtapa. All subscribers to the Review of Financial Studies are members of the SFS.

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2002-03	René M. Stulz	Ohio State University

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Year	Location	Speaker
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1980	San Diego	Kenneth Arrow
1981	Jackson Lake	Eugene Fama
1982	Portland	Stephen Ross
1983	Long Beach	Myron Scholes
1984	Vancouver	Richard Roll
1985	Scottsdale	Robert Litzenberger
1986	Colorado Springs	Merton Miller
1987	San Diego	Edward Kane
1988	Napa	Sanford Grossman
1989	Seattle	William Sharpe
1990	Santa Barbara	Michael Brennan
1991	Jackson Lake	Fischer Black
1992	San Francisco	Myron Scholes
1993	Whistler	Alan Kraus
1994	Santa Fe	Mark Rubinstein
1995	Aspen	Kenneth French
1996	Sunriver	Joseph Williams
1997	San Diego	Richard Thaler
1998	Monterey	Milton Harris
1999	Santa Monica	Andrei Shleifer
2000	Sun Valley	Kenneth Singleton
2001	Tucson	Robert Shiller
2002	Park City	Albert S. "Pete" Kyle
2003	Los Cabos	Richard Kihlstrom

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**PROGRAM SUMMARY**

**Wednesday, June 18, 2003**

2:00 pm – 7:00 pm

On-site Registration – Meliá Cabo Real Hotel, *Foyer*

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Goldman Sachs Reception – *Pergolas I*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003**

7:00 am – 8:30 am

Nasdaq Breakfast – *El Quetzal*

8:00 am – 4:00 pm

On-site Registration - Meliá Cabo Real Hotel, *Foyer*

8:15 am - 10:00 am

Derivatives Pricing - *Cancun*  
Portfolio Choice - *Vallarta*  
Scope and Size of Firms - *Cabo Real IV*  
Limit Order Markets – *Cabo Real II*  
IPOs – *Cabo Real III*

10:00 am – 10:15 am

Coffee Break - *Foyer*

10:15 am – 12:00 noon

Corporate Finance and Asset Returns – *Cancun*  
Fixed Income – *Vallarta*  
Venture Capital and Entrepreneurship – *Cabo Real II*  
Analysts – *Cabo Real III*  
Trading Models – *Cabo Real IV*

12:30 pm – 2:00 pm

Journal of Investment Management/Fitch Lunch – *Cabo Real I*

2:45 pm – 4:30 pm

Capital Structure – *Cabo Real II*  
Mutual Funds – *Cabo Real III*  
Default Risk and Asset Prices - *Cancun*  
Liquidity - *Vallarta*  
International Finance – *Cabo Real IV*

5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

WFA Executive Committee and Board of Directors Meeting – *Directors Room*

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Cornerstone Research Reception – *Pergolas I*

**Friday, June 20, 2003**

7:00am – 8:30am

MIT Press/Oxford University Press Breakfast - *El Quetzal*

8:00 am – 12:00 noon

On-site Registration - Meliá Cabo Real Hotel, *Foyer*

8:15 am - 10:00 am

Investor Rights and Corporate Finance – *Cabo Real II*  
Performance Evaluation – *Cabo Real III*  
New Frontiers - *Cancun*  
Strategic Trading - *Vallarta*  
Managers in Corporations – *Cabo Real IV*

10:00 am – 10:15 am

Coffee Break - *Foyer*

10:15 am – 12:00 noon

Corporate Control - *Cancun*  
Portfolio Choice of Individual Households - *Vallarta*  
Payout Policy – *Cabo Real II*  
Empirical Microstructure – *Cabo Real III*  
Emerging Markets – *Cabo Real IV*

12:15 pm – 2:00 pm

WFA 2003 Annual Meeting and Luncheon - *Cabo Real I*

2:45 pm – 4:30 pm

Empirical Corporate Finance – *Cabo Real II*  
On the Bubble – *Cabo Real III*  
Banking - *Cancun*  
Option Pricing - *Vallarta*  
Risk and Return of Non-Standard Investments – *Cabo Real IV*

5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

SFS Annual Meeting – *Ixtapa Room*

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Review of Financial Studies/Barclay Global Investors Reception -  
*Pergolas I*

**Saturday, June 21, 2003**

7:00 am – 8:30 am

Wharton Research Data Services Breakfast - *El Quetzal*

8:15 am - 10:00 am

Financial Econometrics - *Cancun*  
Risk Management - *Vallarta*  
Disclosure – *Cabo Real IV*  
Behavioral Finance – *Cabo Real II*  
Governance – *Cabo Real III*

10:00 am – 10:15 am

Coffee Break- *Foyer*

10:15 am – 12:00 noon

Asset Pricing – *Cabo Real II*  
Executive Compensation – *Cabo Real III*  
Information and Asset Prices - *Cancun*  
Corporate Theory - *Vallarta*  
Does Location Matter?- *Cabo Real IV*



**BEST PAPER AWARDS**

Caesarea Award  
for the best paper on risk management

*Dynamic Risk Management:  
Theory and Evidence* **339**  
**Frank Fehle**  
**Sergei Tsyplanov**  
University of South Carolina

Nasdaq Award  
for the best paper on capital formation

*Private Equity in the Developing World:  
The Determinants of Transaction Structures*  
**Josh Lerner**  
Harvard University and NBER  
**Antoinette Schoar**  
MIT and NBER

New York Stock Exchange Award  
for the best paper on equity trading

*Asset Pricing with Liquidity Risk*  
**Viral Acharya**  
London Business School  
**Lasse H. Pedersen**  
New York University

Society of Quantitative Analysts Award  
for the student paper of most relevance  
to quantitative practitioners

*Fund Flow Volatility and Performance*  
**David Rakowski**  
Georgia State University

Treftz Award  
for the best student paper

*An Equilibrium Model of Investment  
Under Uncertainty*  
**Robert Novy-Marx**  
University of California, Berkeley

Western Finance Association Award  
for the best paper in corporate finance

*Corporate Finance and the Term Structure  
of Interest Rates*  
**James Dow**  
London Business School and CEPR  
**Gary Gorton**  
University of Pennsylvania and NBER  
**Arvind Krishnamurthy**  
Northwestern University

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**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 7:00 am – 8:30 am**

Nasdaq Breakfast – *El Quetzal*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm**

On-site Registration - Meliá Cabo Real Hotel, *Foyer*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 8:15 am – 10:00 am**

Derivatives Pricing - *Cancun*

Jeff Fleming, *Rice University*

**An Empirical Analysis of the Dynamic Relationship Between  
Investment Grade Bonds and Credit Default Swaps**

Roberto Blanco, *Banco de Espana*

Simon Brennan, *Bank of England*

Ian Marsh, *Bank of England*

**Electricity Forward Prices: A High-Frequency Empirical Analysis**

Francis A. Longstaff, *University of California, Los Angeles*

Ashley W. Wang, *University of California, Los Angeles*

**Uncertainty, Volatility, and Option Markets**

Andrea Buraschi, *London Business School*

Alexei Jiltsov, *Lehman Brothers*

**Discussants:**

Gurdip Bakshi, *University of Maryland*

Hendrik Bessembinder, *University of Utah*

Chris Kirby, *University of Texas, Dallas*

Portfolio Choice - *Vallarta*

Domenico Cuoco, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Hedging, Stock Market Participation, and Portfolio Choice**

Massimo Massa, *INSEAD*

Andrei Simonov, *Stockholm School of Economics*

**Optimal Life-Cycle Asset Allocation: Understanding the Empirical  
Evidence**

Francisco Gomes, *London Business School*

Alexander Michaelides, *London School of Economics*

**Optimal Lifetime Consumption-Portfolio Strategies under Trading  
Constraints and Recursive Preferences**

Mark Schroder, *Michigan State University*

Costis Skiadas, *Northwestern University*

**Discussants:**

Luigi Guiso, *University of Sassari*

Valery Polkovnichenko, *University of Minnesota*

Thaleia Zariphopoulou, *University Texas, Austin*

Scope and Size of Firms – *Cabo Real IV*

David Denis, *Purdue University*

**On the Origin of Diversification Discounts**

James Ang, *Florida State University*

Yingmei Cheng, *Florida State University*

Gregory Nagel, *Florida State University*

**Do Diversified Firms Have Deeper Pockets?**

Valentin Dimitrov, *Tulane University*

Sheri Tice, *Tulane University*

**Fighting for Talent: Risk-Taking, Corporate Volatility, and Organizational Change**

Guido Friebel, *IDEI Toulouse University*  
Mariassunta Giannetti, *Stockholm School of Economics*

**Corporate Control Contests and the Disciplining Effect of Spin-offs: A Theory of Performance and Value Improvements in Spin-offs**

Thomas Chemmanur, *Boston College*  
An Yan, *Fordham University*

**Discussants:**

Matthew Billett, *University of Iowa*  
Murillo Campello, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*  
S. Abraham Ravid, *Yale University / Rutgers University*  
Holger Mueller, *New York University*

**Limit Order Markets – Cabo Real II**

Ingrid Werner, *Ohio State University*

**Lifting the Veil: An Analysis of Pre-Trade Transparency at the NYSE**

Ekkehart Boehmer, *New York Stock Exchange*  
Gideon Saar, *New York University*  
Lei Yu, *New York University*

**Does Anonymity Matter in Electronic Limit Order Markets?**

Thierry Foucault, *HEC*  
Sophie Moinas, *HEC*  
Erik Theissen, *Bonn University*

**On an Open Limit Order Book—How Can We Use It or...Can We?**

Xiaoxin Wang, *Pennsylvania State University*

**Discussants:**

Craig Holden, *Indiana University*  
Duane Seppi, *Carnegie Mellon University*  
Joel Hasbrouck, *New York University*

**IPOs - Cabo Real III**

Francesca Cornelli, *London Business School*

**IPO Pricing with Bookbuilding and a When-Issued Market**

Wolfgang Aussenegg, *Vienna University of Technology*  
Pegaret Pichler, *Boston College*  
Alex Stomper, *University of Vienna*

**Do Institutions Receive More Favorable Allocations in IPOs with Better Long Run Returns?**

Beatrice Boehmer, *University of Georgia*  
Ekkehart Boehmer, *New York Stock Exchange*  
Raymond P.H. Fische, *University of Miami*

**Crystal Balls or Collusion? An Examination of Large Sell Orders in Cold IPO Aftermarkets**

C.N.V. Krishnan, *Case Western Reserve University*  
Ajai K. Singh, *Case Western Reserve University*  
Allan A. Zebedee, *San Diego State University*

**Venture Capital Investments by IPO Underwriters: Certification or Conflict of Interest**

Xi Li, *University of Miami*  
Ronald W. Masulis, *Vanderbilt University*

**Discussants:**

David Goldreich, *London Business School*  
Reena Aggarwal, *Georgetown University*  
Carola Schenone, *University of Minnesota*  
Ayako Yasuda, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 10:00 am – 10:15 am**

Coffee Break - *Foyer*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 10:15 am – 12:00 noon**

Corporate Finance and Asset Returns - *Cancun*  
Chris Telmer, *Carnegie Mellon University*

**Corporate Finance and the Term Structure of Interest Rates**

James Dow, *London Business School*  
Gary Gorton, *University of Pennsylvania*  
Arvind Krishnamurthy, *Northwestern University*

**An Equilibrium Model of Investment Under Uncertainty**

Robert Novy-Marx, *University of California, Berkeley*

**Asset Prices and Business Cycles with Costly**

**External Finance**

Joao Gomes, *University of Pennsylvania*  
Amir Yaron, *University of Pennsylvania*  
Lu Zhang, *University of Rochester*

**Discussants:**

Murray Carlson, *University of British Columbia*  
Bryan Routledge, *Carnegie Mellon University*  
Maria Vassalou, *Columbia University*

Fixed Income - *Vallarta*

Richard Stanton, *University of California, Berkeley*

**Identification and Estimation of “Maximal” Affine Term Structure Models:**

**An Application to Stochastic Volatility**

Pierre Collin-Dufresne, *Carnegie Mellon University*  
Robert Goldstein, *Washington University, St. Louis*  
Christopher S. Jones, *University of Southern California*

**Comparing Multifactor Models of the Term Structure**

Michael W. Brandt, *University of Pennsylvania*  
David A. Chapman, *University of Texas, Austin*

**An Empirical Investigation of Ex Ante Variables Under Habit Consumption Model**

Leonardo Madureira, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Discussants:**

Bing Han, *Ohio State University*  
Greg Duffee, *University of California, Berkeley*  
Martin Lettau, *New York University*

Venture Capital and Entrepreneurship – *Cabo Real II*

Manju Puri, *Stanford University*

**Grandstanding, Certification, and the Underpricing of Venture Capital Backed IPOs**

Peggy M. Lee, *Emory University*  
Sunil Wahal, *Emory University*

**Private Equity in the Developing World: The Determinants of Transaction Structures**

Josh Lerner, *Harvard University*  
Antoinette Schoar, *MIT*

**The Influence of Complementarity on the Performance of Entrepreneurial Companies**

Mukunthan Santhanakrishnan, *Arizona State University*

**Discussants:**

Yael Hochberg, *Stanford University*  
Roberta Romano, *Yale University*  
Laura Lindsey, *Stanford University*

Analysts – *Cabo Real III*

Kent Womack, *Dartmouth College*

**All-star Analyst Turnover, Investment Bank Market Share, and the Performance of Initial Public Offerings**

Jonathan Clarke, *Georgia Institute of Technology*  
Craig Dunbar, *University of Western Ontario*  
Kathleen M. Kahle, *University of Pittsburgh*

**Relative Performance and Institutional Reaction to Underwriter Analyst Recommendations**  
Sergey Iskoz, *MIT*

**Analysts Weighting of Private and Public Information**  
Qi Chen, *Duke University*  
Wei Jiang, *Columbia University*

**Discussants:**  
Laurie Krigman, *Babson College*  
Leslie Boni, *University of New Mexico*  
Terence Lim, *Goldman Sachs Asset Management*

Trading Models – *Cabo Real IV*  
Maureen O’Hara, *Cornell University*

**A Model of Volatility Spillover and Stochastic Liquidity**  
Masahiro Watanabe, *Yale University*

**Search and Endogenous Concentration**  
Dimitri Vayanos, *MIT*  
Tan Wang, *University of British Columbia*

**Cladistic Asset Pricing**  
Dan Bernhardt, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*  
Bart Taub, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*

**Discussants:**  
David Easley, *Cornell University*  
Ananth Madhavan, *ITG, Inc.*  
Kerry Back, *Washington University, St. Louis*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm**

Journal of Investment Management/Fitch Lunch – *Cabo Real*

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Capital Structure – *Cabo Real II*  
Robert McDonald, *Northwestern University*

**The Effect of Capital Structure When Expected Agency Costs are Extreme**  
Campbell R. Harvey, *Duke University*  
Karl V. Lins, *University of Utah*  
Andrew H. Roper, *University of Wisconsin, Madison*

**Capital Structure and Transparency**  
Andres Almazan, *University of Texas, Austin*  
Javier Suarez, *Centro de Estudios Monetarios y Financieros*  
Sheridan Titman, *University of Texas, Austin*

**Horses and Rabbits? Optimal Dynamic Capital Structure from Stockholder and Manager Perspectives**  
Nengjiu Ju, *University of Maryland*  
Robert Parrino, *University of Texas, Austin*  
Allen Potoshman, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*  
Michael Weisbach, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*

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Jamie Zender, *University of Colorado, Boulder*  
Ronald Giammarino, *University of British Columbia*  
Mark Loewenstein, *Boston University*

Mutual Funds – *Cabo Real III*  
William Goetzmann, *Yale University*

**Mutual Fund Performance with Learning Across Funds**  
Christopher S. Jones, *University of Southern California*  
Jay Shanken, *Emory University*

**Fund Flow Volatility and Performance**  
David Rakowski, *Georgia State University*

**Mutual Fund Flows and Performance in Rational Markets**

Jonathan Berk, *University of California, Berkeley*  
Richard C. Green, *Carnegie Mellon University*

**Discussants:**

Jessica Wachter, *New York University*  
Laura Starks, *University of Texas, Austin*  
Philip Dybvig, *Washington University, St. Louis*

Liquidity - *Vallarta*  
Christopher Geczy, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Shorting Restrictions, Liquidity, and Returns**

Charles M. Jones, *Columbia University*

**Macroeconomic Sources of Systematic Liquidity**

Akiko Fujimoto, *Yale University*

**Asset Pricing with Liquidity Risk**

Viral V. Acharya, *London Business School*  
Lasse H. Pedersen, *New York University*

**Discussants:**

David Musto, *University of Pennsylvania*  
Tarun Chordia, *Emory University*  
John Heaton, *University of Chicago*

International Finance – *Cabo Real IV*  
Vihang Errunza, *McGill University*

**International Stock Market Integration: A Dynamic General Equilibrium Approach**

Harjoat S. Bhamra, *London Business School*

**A Dynamic Equilibrium Model of Real Exchange Rates with General Transaction Costs**

Gautam Goswami, *Fordham University*  
Milind M. Shrikhande, *Georgia State University*  
Liuren Wu, *Fordham University*

**The Euro Is Good After All: Corporate Evidence**

Arturo Bris, *Yale University*  
Yrjo Koskinen, *Stockholm School of Economics*  
Mattias Nilsson, *Stockholm School of Economics*

Default Risk and Asset Prices - *Cancun*  
Walter Torous, *University of California, Los Angeles*

**Are Jumps in Corporate Bond Yields Priced? Modeling Contagion via the Updating of Beliefs**

Pierre Collin-Dufresne, *Carnegie Mellon University*  
Robert Goldstein, *Washington University, St. Louis*  
Jean Helwege, *Ohio State University*

**How Much of the Corporate-Treasury Yield Spread is Due to Credit Risk?**

Jing-Zhi Huang, *Pennsylvania State University*  
Ming Huang, *Stanford University*

**Inferring Marginal Tax Rates from Green’s Model with Default**

Sheen Liu, *Syracuse University*  
Junbo Wang, *Syracuse University*  
Chunchi Wu, *Syracuse University*

**Discussants:**

Suresh Sundaresan, *Columbia University*  
Clifford Ball, *Vanderbilt University*  
Rossen Valkanov, *University of California, Los Angeles*

**Dynamic Relations between International Equity and Currency Markets:**

Bill Francis, *University of South Florida*

Iftexhar Hasan, *New Jersey Institute of Technology*

Delroy Hunter, *University of South Florida*

**Discussants:**

Joshua White, *Harvard University*

Yiorgos Allayannis, *University of Virginia*

Darius Miller, *Indiana University*

Francesca Carrieri, *McGill University*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm**

WFA Executive Committee and Board of Directors Meeting – *Directors Room*

**Thursday, June 19, 2003, 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

Cornerstone Research Reception – *Pergolas I*

**Friday, June 20, 2003, 7:00 am – 8:30 am**

MIT Press/Oxford University Press Breakfast - *El Quetzal*

**Friday, June 20, 2003, 8:00 am – 12:00 noon**

On-site Registration – *Meliá Cabo Real Hotel, Foyer*

**Friday, June 20, 2003, 8:15 am - 10:00 am**

**Investor Rights and Corporate Finance- *Cabo Real II***

Rafael La Porta, *Harvard University*

**Investor Protection, Optimal Incentives, and Economic Growth**

Rui Castro, *Universite de Montreal*

Gian Luca Clementi, *Carnegie Mellon University*

Glenn MacDonald, *Washington University, St. Louis*

**The Effect of External Finance and Internal Capital Markets on the Equilibrium Allocation of Capital**

Heitor Almeida, *New York University*

Daniel Wolfenzon, *New York University*

**Firm-Specific Resources, Financial-Market Development, and the Growth of U.S. Multinationals**

Susan Feinberg, *University of Maryland*

Gordon Phillips, *University of Maryland*

**U.S. Cross-Listings and the Private Benefits of Control: Evidence from Dual Class Firms**

Craig Doidge, *University of Toronto*

**Discussants:**

Chris Telmer, *Carnegie Mellon University*

Arvind Krishnamurthy, *Northwestern University*

Mihir Desai, *Harvard University*

B. Espen Eckbo, *Dartmouth College*

**Performance Evaluation – *Cabo Real III***

Russell Wermers, *University of Maryland*

**Do mutual fund managers time the market?**

Michael J. Cooper, *Purdue University*

Huseyin Gulen, *Virginia Tech University*

P. Raghavendra Rau, *Purdue University*

**How to Tell If a Money Manager Knows More?**

Sergey Iskoz, *MIT*

Jiang Wang, *MIT*

**Judging Fund Managers by the Company They Keep**

Randolph Cohen, *Harvard University*

Joshua Coval, *Harvard University*

Lubos Pastor, *University of Chicago*

**Discussants:**

Diane Del Guercio, *University of Oregon*

Neal Stoughton, *University of California, Irvine*

Roger Edelen, *University of Pennsylvania*

**New Frontiers - Cancun**

Jeff Wurgler, *New York University*

**A Simple Theory of the “Cubic” Laws of Stock Market Activity**

Xavier Gabaix, *MIT*

Parameswaran Gopikrishnan, *Boston University*

Vasiliki Plerou, *Boston University*

H. Eugene Stanley, *Boston University*

**Capacity Constrained Learning and Asset Price Co-movement**

Lin Peng, *Baruch College*

Wei Xiong, *Princeton University*

**Optimal Expectations**

Markus K. Brunnermeier, *Princeton University*

Jonathan A. Parker, *Princeton University*

**Testing CAPM in Real Markets: Implications from Experiments**

Peter Bossaerts, *California Institute of Technology*

**Discussants:**

Jose Scheinkman, *Princeton University*

Ming Huang, *Stanford University*

Augustin Landier, *University of Chicago*

Jonathan Berk, *University of California, Berkeley*

**Strategic Trading - Vallarta**

Kathleen Hagerty, *Northwestern University*

**Crushed by a Rational Stampede: Strategic Share Dumping and Shareholder Insurrection**

Mukarram Attari, *University of Wisconsin, Madison*

Suman Banerjee, *Tulane University*

Tom Noe, *Tulane University*

**Strategic Trading Behavior, Price Distortion, and Market Depth in a Manipulated Market: Anatomy of a Squeeze**

John Merrick, *Baruch College*

Narayan Naik, *London Business School*

Pradeep Yadav, *University of Strathclyde*

**Commonality in Liquidity and Market Collapse: Theory and Application to the Market for Perps**

Chitru Fernando, *University of Oklahoma*

Richard Herring, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Discussants:**

Nisan Langberg, *Northwestern University*

Avanidhar Subrahmanyam, *University of California, Los Angeles*

Todd Pulvino, *Northwestern University*

**Managers in Corporations – Cabo Real IV**

Naveen Khanna, *Michigan State University*

**Corporate Culture and Organization Capital: Firm Value and Human Resource Implications**

Bhagwan Chowdhry, *University of California, Los Angeles*

Mark Garmaise, *University of California, Los Angeles*

**Determinants of Corporate Borrowing: A Behavioral Perspective**

Dirk Hackbarth, *University of California, Berkeley*

**Real Options, Agency Conflicts, and Financial Policy**

David Mauer, *Southern Methodist University*

Sudipto Sarkar, *McMaster University*



**Discussants:**

Ramana Sonti, *Tulane University*  
Alex Triantis, *University of Maryland*  
Avner Kalay, *University of Utah*

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**Friday, June 20, 2003, 10:15 am – 12:00 noon**

**Corporate Control - *Cancun***

Paul Malatesta, *University of Washington*

**Multiple Shareholders and Control Contests**

Francis Bloch, *University Aix, Marseille*  
Ulrich Hege, *HEC*

**Optimal Toeholds in Takeover Contests**

Eitan Goldman, *University of North Carolina*  
Jun Qian, *Boston College*

**Sources of Gains in Horizontal Mergers: Evidence from Customer, Supplier, and Rival Firms**

C. Edward Fee, *Michigan State University*  
Shawn Thomas, *University of Pittsburgh*

**Tender Offer Spreads and Merger Arbitrage**

Micah Officer, *University of Southern California*

**Discussants:**

Darius Palia, *Rutgers University*  
Chris Leach, *University of Colorado, Boulder*  
Anil Makhija, *Ohio State University*  
Malcolm Baker, *Harvard University*

Portfolio Choice of Individual Households - *Vallarta*

Brad Barber, *University of California, Davis*

**Local does as Local is: Information Content of the Geography of Individual Investors' Common Stock Investments**

Zoran Ivkovich, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*  
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**The Local Bias of Individual Investors**

Ning Zhu, *Yale University*

**Are Italian Household Portfolios Efficient? An Analysis Conditional on Housing**

Pelizzon Lorian, *University of Padua*  
Guglielmo Weber, *University of Padua*

**Taxable and Tax-Deferred Portfolio Choices: An Empirical Analysis of Tax Efficiency**

Gene Amromin, *Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve*

**Discussants:**

Mark Seasholes, *University of California, Berkeley*  
Annette Vissing-Jorgensen, *Northwestern University*  
Clemens Sialm, *University of Michigan*  
Payout Policy – *Cabo Real II*  
Laurie Hodrick, *Columbia University*

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**Stock Repurchase Waves: An Explanation of the Trends in Aggregate Corporate Payout Policy**

Amy Dittmar, *Indiana University*  
Robert Dittmar, *Indiana University*

**Do Dividend Surprises Signal Future Profitability?**

Upinder Dhillon, *Binghamton University*  
Kartik Raman, *Bentley College*  
Gabriel Ramirez, *Kennesaw State University*

**Payout Policy in the 21st Century**

Alon Brav, *Duke University*  
 John R. Graham, *Duke University*  
 Campbell R. Harvey, *Duke University*  
 Roni Michaely, *Cornell University*

**Discussants:**

Francisco Pérez, *Columbia University*  
 Kose John, *New York University*  
 Jennifer Koski, *University of Washington*

**Empirical Microstructure – Cabo Real III**

Charles Jones, *Columbia University*

**Price Discovery in the Equity Options Market: An Integrated Analysis of Trades and Quotes**

Yusif Simaan, *Fordham University*  
 Liuren Wu, *Fordham University*

**Ripples Through Markets: Inter-market Impacts Generated by Large Trades**

Andrew Ellul, *Indiana University*

**Common Cents? Tick Size, Trading Costs, and Mutual Fund Performance**

Nicolas P.B. Bollen, *Vanderbilt University*  
 Jeffrey Busse, *Emory University*

**Discussants:**

Robert Battalio, *University of Notre Dame*  
 Patrik Sandas, *University of Pennsylvania*  
 Larry Harris, *University of Southern California*

**Emerging Markets – Cabo Real IV**

Warren Bailey, *Cornell University*

**Capital Controls, Liberalizations, and Foreign Direct Investment**

Mihir A. Desai, *Harvard University*  
 C. Fritz Foley, *University of Michigan*  
 James R. Hines Jr., *University of Michigan*

**Evidence on the Foreign Share Discount Puzzle in China: Liquidity or Information Asymmetry?**

Kalok Chan, *Hong Kong University of Science and Technology*  
 Albert J. Menkveld, *Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam*  
 Zhishu Yang, *Tsinghua University, Beijing*

**Capital Account Liberalization: Allocative Efficiency or Animal Spirits**

Anusha Chari, *University of Michigan*  
 Peter Blair Henry, *Stanford University*

**Growth Volatility and Equity Market Liberalization**

Geert Bekaert, *Columbia University*  
 Campbell R. Harvey, *Duke University*  
 Christian Lundblad, *Indiana University*

**Discussants:**

Nandini Gupta, *University of Michigan*  
 Y. Peter Chung, *University of California, Riverside*  
 John Wald, *Rutgers University*  
 Yasushi Hamano, *University of Southern California*

**Friday, June 20, 2003, 12:15 pm – 2:00 pm**

WFA 2003 Annual Meeting and Luncheon – *Cabo Real I*  
 Keynote Speaker: Richard Kihlstrom, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Friday, June 20, 2003, 2:45 pm – 4:30 pm****Empirical Corporate Finance – Cabo Real II**

John McConnell, *Purdue University*

**Control Benefits and CEO Discipline in Automatic Bankruptcy Auctions**

B. Espen Eckbo, *Dartmouth College*  
 Karin S. Thorburn, *Dartmouth College*

**Structural Models and Endogeneity in Corporate Finance**

Jeffrey L. Coles, *Arizona State University*  
 Michael L. Lemmon, *University of Utah*  
 J. Felix Meschke, *Arizona State University*

### **Industry Structure and Value-Motivated Conglomeration**

Timothy R. Burch, *University of Miami*  
Vikram Nanda, *University of Michigan*  
M.P.Narayanan, *University of Michigan*

#### **Discussants:**

Henri Servaes, *London Business School*  
Lemma Senbet, *University of Maryland*  
Nicole Boyson, *Purdue University*

### **On the Bubble – Cabo Real III** Jay Ritter, *University of Florida*

#### **Investor Behavior over the Rise and Fall of Nasdaq**

John Griffin, *Arizona State University*  
Jeffrey Harris, *University of Delaware*  
Selim Topaloglu, *Purdue University*

#### **Internet Stock Message Boards and Stock Returns**

Werner Antweiler, *University of British Columbia*  
Murray Z. Frank, *University of British Columbia*

#### **Stock Market as a “Beauty Contest”: Investor Beliefs and Price Bubbles sans Dividend Anchors**

Shinichi Hirota, *Yale University*  
Shyam Sunder, *Yale University*

#### **Discussants:**

Jason Karceski, *University of Florida*  
Terrance Odean, *University of California, Berkeley*  
Utpal Bhattacharya, *Indiana University*

### **Banking - Cancun**

Mark Flannery, *University of Florida*

#### **Competing for Securities Underwriting Mandates: Banking Relationships and Analyst Recommendations**

Alexander Ljungqvist, *New York University*  
Felicia Marston, *University of Virginia*  
William Wilhelm, *University of Virginia*

#### **Credit Risk Analysis and Security Design**

Roman Inderst, *London School of Economics*  
Holger Mueller, *New York University*

#### **The Role of Banks in the Market for Liquidity**

Evan Gatev, *Boston College*  
Philip Strahan, *Boston College*

#### **Discussants:**

Ajay Khorana, *Georgia Institute of Technology*  
Ernst-Ludwig von Thadden, *Universite de Lausanne*  
George Pennacchi, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign*

### **Option Pricing - Vallarta** Robert Whaley, *Duke University*

#### **Alternative Performance of Currency Option Pricing Models: A Study of the Japanese Yen**

Brice Dupoyet, *University of Washington*

#### **Specification Tests and Market Prices of Risk: Evidence from Option Prices**

Mark Broadie, *Columbia University*  
Mikhail Chernov, *Columbia University*  
Michael Johannes, *Columbia University*

#### **Stochastic Dominance Bounds on American Option Prices in Markets with Frictions**

George Constantinides, *University of Chicago*  
Stylianios Perrakis, *Concordia University*

**Discussants:**

Jeremy Berkowitz, *University of Houston*  
Gurdip Bakshi, *University of Maryland*  
Nicolas Bollen, *Vanderbilt University*

**Risk and Return of Non-Standard Investments—Cabo Real IV**  
Tobias Moskowitz, *University of Chicago*

**The Cash Flow, Return, and Risk Characteristics of Private Equity**  
Alexander Ljungqvist, *New York University*  
Matthew Richardson, *New York University*

**An Econometric Model of Performance Smoothing and Illiquidity in Hedge Fund Returns**  
Mila Getmansky, *MIT*  
Andrew W. Lo, *MIT*  
Igor Makarov, *MIT*

**Do Hedge Funds Have Enough Capital? A Value-at-Risk Approach**  
Anurag Gupta, *Case Western Reserve University*  
Bing Liang, *Case Western Reserve University*

**Discussants:**  
Antoinette Schoar, *MIT*  
William Goetzmann, *Yale University*  
Todd Pulvino, *Northwestern University*

**Friday, June 20, 2003, 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm**

SFS Annual Meeting – *Ixtapa Room*

**Friday, June 20, 2003, 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

Review of Financial Studies/Barclay Global Investors Reception -  
*Pergolas I*

**Saturday, June 21, 2003, 7:00 am – 8:30 am**

Wharton Research Data Services Breakfast – *El Quetzal*

**Saturday, June 21, 2003, 8:15 am - 10:00 am**

**Financial Econometrics - Cancun**  
Pedro Santa-Clara, *University of California, Los Angeles*

**Maximum Likelihood Estimation of Latent Affine Processes**  
David S. Bates, *University of Iowa*

**Analytic Evaluation of Volatility Forecasts**  
Torben G. Andersen, *Northwestern University*  
Tim Bollerslev, *Duke University*  
Nour Meddahi, *University of Montreal*

**Inference about Survivors**  
Robert Stambaugh, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Discussants:**  
Bjorn Eraker, *Duke University*  
Rossen Valkanov, *University of California, Los Angeles*  
Peter Bossaerts, *California Institute of Technology*

**Risk Management - Vallarta**  
Bernadette Minton, *Ohio State University*

**Dynamic Risk Management: Theory and Evidence**  
Frank Fehle, *University of South Carolina*  
Sergey Tsyplov, *University of South Carolina*

**Do Banks Hedge in Response to the Financial Distress Costs?**  
Amiyatosh Purnanandam, *Cornell University*

**Do Bank Risk Management and Regulatory Policy Reduce Risk in Banking?**  
Loriana Pelizzon, *University of Padua*  
Stephen M Schaefer, *London Business School*

**Discussants:**  
David Haushalter, *Susquehanna International Group*  
N.K. Chidambaran, *Rutgers University*  
David C. Smith, *Federal Reserve Board*

## Disclosure – *Cabo Real IV*

Michael Fishman, *Northwestern University*

### **Accounting Transparency and the Term Structure of Credit Spreads**

Fan Yu, *University of California, Irvine*

### **Is CEO Certification of Earnings Numbers Value-Relevant?**

Utpal Bhattacharya, *Indiana University*

Peter Groznik, *Indiana University*

Bruce Haslem, *Indiana University*

### **Getting Bad News Out Early: Does it Really Help Stock Prices?**

Christopher T. Downing, *Federal Reserve Board*

Steven Sharpe, *Federal Reserve Board*

#### **Discussants:**

Jennifer Carpenter, *New York University*

Paola Sapienza, *Northwestern University*

Luca Benzoni, *University of Minnesota*

## Behavioral Finance – *Cabo Real II*

Avanidhar Subrahmanyam, *University of California, Los Angeles*

### **Individual Investor Sentiment and Comovement in Small Stock Returns**

Alok Kumar, *Cornell University*

Charles M.C. Lee, *Cornell University*

### **Does Investor Misvaluation Drive the Takeover Market?**

Ming Dong, *York University*

David Hirshleifer, *Ohio State University*

Scott Richardson, *University of Pennsylvania*

Siew Hong Teoh, *Ohio State University*

### **Stock Market Returns: A Temperature Anomaly**

Melanie Cao, *York University*

Jason Wei, *University of Toronto*

#### **Discussants:**

Spencer Martin, *Arizona State University*

David Robinson, *Columbia University*

Tyler Shumway, *University of Michigan*

## Governance – *Cabo Real III*

Diane Denis, *Purdue University*

### **Corporate Governance Convergence by Contract: Evidence from Cross-Border Mergers**

Arturo Bris, *Yale University*

Christos Cabolis, *Yale University*

### **Industries, Investment Opportunities, and Corporate Governance Structures**

Stuart Gillan, *University of Delaware*

Jay Hartzell, *University of Texas, Austin*

Laura Starks, *University of Texas, Austin*

### **Corporate Governance and Conditional Skewness around the World**

Kee-Hong Bae, *Korea University*

John Wei, *Hong Kong University of Science and Technology*

#### **Discussants:**

Kathryn Dewenter, *University of Washington*

Rohan Williamson, *Georgetown University*

Atulya Sarin, *Santa Clara University*

## Saturday, June 21, 2003, 10:00 am – 10:15 am

Coffee Break - Foyer

## Saturday, June 21, 2003, 10:15 am – 12:00 noon

### Asset Pricing – *Cabo Real II*

Martin Lettau, *New York University*

### **Tests of the APT with a Dynamic Factor Structure and Multivariate Stochastic Volatility**

Federico Nardari, *Arizona State University*

John T. Scruggs, *University of Georgia*

**Expected Return and Asset Pricing**

Alon Brav, *Duke University*

Reuven Lehav, *University of Michigan*

Roni Michaely, *Cornell University*

**Do Forecasts of Stock Returns also Forecast Covariances?**

Greg Duffee, *University of California, Berkeley*

**Discussants:**

Tim Simin, *Pennsylvania State University*

Wayne Ferson, *Boston College*

Kris Jacobs, *McGill University*

**Executive Compensation – Cabo Real III**

Wayne Guay, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Can Managerial Superiority Explain High Executive Pay in Large Firms?:  
Evidence Supportive of Rosen's "Cloning" Hypothesis**

Teddy Oetomo, *University of Sydney*

Peter Swan, *University of New South Wales*

**Do Stock Prices Incorporate the Potential Dilution of Employee Stock  
Options?**

Gerald Garvey, *Claremont Graduate University*

Todd Milbourn, *Washington University, St. Louis*

**Optimal Exercise and Valuation of Executive Stock Options**

Ashay Kadam, *University of Michigan*

Peter Lakner, *New York University*

Anand Srinivasan, *University of Georgia*

**CEO Incentives and Earnings Management: Evidence from the 1990s**

Daniel Bergstresser, *Harvard University*

Thomas Philippon, *MIT*

**Discussants:**

John Core, *University of Pennsylvania*

Jarrad Harford, *University of Washington*

Anna Pavlova, *MIT*

Richard Frankel, *MIT*

**Information and Asset Prices – Cancun**

Jennifer Conrad, *University of North Carolina*

**Uncertainty Risk and the Cross-sectional Returns—Theory and Evidence**

Zhe Zhang, *University of Iowa*

**The Impact of Illegal Insider Trading in Dealer and Specialist Markets:  
Evidence from a Natural Experiment**

Raymond P.H. Fische, *University of Miami*

Michel A. Robe, *American University*

**Private Information Trading and Corporate Governance in Emerging  
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Olesya V. Grishchenko, *New York University*

Lubomir Litov, *New York University*

Jianping Mei, *New York University*

**Discussants:**

Zhenyu Wang, *Columbia University*

Steve Slezak, *University of Cincinnati*

Simon Gervais, *University of Pennsylvania*

**Corporate Theory - Vallarta**

Ronald Giammarino, *University of British Columbia*

**Investment-Cash Flow Sensitivities: Constrained versus  
Unconstrained Firms**

Nathalie Moyen, *University of Colorado, Boulder*

**A Contracting Approach to Corporate Bankruptcy and  
Debt Structure**

Erik Berglof, *Stockholm School of Economics*

Gerard Roland, *University of California, Berkeley*

Ernst-Ludwig von Thadden, *Universite de Lausanne*

**Bidding with Securities: Auctions and Security Design**

Peter DeMarzo, *Stanford University*

Ilan Kremer, *Stanford University*

Andy Skrzypacz, *Stanford University*

**Discussants:**

Gilles Chemla, *University of British Columbia*  
 Sugato Bhattacharyya, *University of Michigan*  
 Burton Hollifield, *Carnegie Mellon University*

*Does Location Matter? – Cabo Real IV*  
 Joshua Coval, *Harvard University*

**Thy Neighbors Portfolio: Word-of-Mouth Effects in the Holdings and Trades of Money Managers**

Harrison Hong, *Stanford University*  
 Jeffrey Kubik, *Syracuse University*  
 Jeremy Stein, *Harvard University*

**Distance Still Matters: Evidence from Municipal Bond Underwriting**  
 Alexander W. Butler, *Rice University*

**Look Homeward, Investor**

Andriy Bodnaruk, *Stockholm School of Economics*

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 Long Chen, *Michigan State University*  
 Kai Li, *University of British Columbia*

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The MIT Press/Oxford University Press Breakfast scheduled for Friday, June 20, 2003 from 7:00am – 8:30am has been canceled.

## Paper Sessions

### Portfolio Choice – Vallarta

Thursday, June 19, 2003, 8:15am – 10:00am

Tobias Moskowitz of the University of Chicago will discuss “Hedging, Stock Market Participation, and Portfolio Choice” by Massimo Massa and Andrei Simonov.

### Liquidity – Vallarta

Thursday, June 19, 2003, 2:45pm – 4:30pm

Lubos Pastor of the University of Chicago will discuss “Asset Pricing with Liquidity Risk” by Viral V. Acharya and Lasse H. Pedersen.

### Default Risk and Asset Prices – Cancun

Thursday, June 19, 2003, 2:45pm – 4:30pm

Stephen Schaefer of the London Business School will discuss “Are Jumps in Corporate Bond Yields Priced? Modeling Contagion via the Updating of Beliefs” by Pierre Collin Dufresne, Robert Goldstein, and Jean Helwege

### New Frontiers – Cancun

Friday, June 20, 2003, 8:15am – 10:00am

Soeren Hvidkjaer of the University of Maryland will discuss “A Simple Theory of the “Cubic” Laws of Stock Market Activity” by Xavier Gabaix, Parameswaran Gopikrishnan, Vasiliki Plerou, and H. Eugene Stanley.

## Banking – Cancun

Friday, June 20, 2003, 2:45pm – 4:30pm

Kasturi Rangan of the Case Western Reserve University will chair the session.

## On the Bubble – Cabo Real III

Friday, June 20, 2003, 2:45pm – 4:30pm

Mark Seasholes will discuss “Internet Stock Message Boards and Stock Returns” by Werner Antweiler and Murray Z. Frank.

## Corporate Theory – Vallarta

Saturday, June 21, 2003, 10:15am – 12:00noon

Murray Carlson of the University of British Columbia will chair the session.