Conference on Secured and Unsecured Debt

Friday 13th May 2022, Venue: Room 1.06, Marshall Building, LSE

Organizers: Martin Oehmke (LSE), Enrico Perotti (University of Amsterdam), and Giorgia Piacentino (Columbia)

08:30-09:00   Registration / Tea, coffee, and pastries

09:00-09:50   **"Collateral and Secured Debt"**

        Adriano Rampini (Duke) and Vish Viswanathan (Duke)

        Discussant: Denis Gromb (HEC)

09:50-10:40   **"Secured Credit Spreads and the Issuance of Secured Debt"**

        Effi Benmelech (Northwestern), Nitish Kumar (University of Florida), and Raghuram Rajan (University of Chicago)

        Discussant: Erica Jiang (University of Southern California)

10:40-11:10   Coffee break

11:10-12:00   **Short paper presentations**

        "Insecure Debt"

        Rafael Matta (SKEMA Business School) and Enrico Perotti (University of Amsterdam)

        "Collateral Reallocation"

        Jason Donaldson (WashU), Denis Gromb (HEC), and Giorgia Piacentino (Columbia)

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12:00-13:00   Lunch

13:00-14:00   **Focus session on Secured Debt in Law and Finance**

                    Ken Ayotte (Berkeley)

                    Murillo Campello (Cornell)

                    Open discussion

14:00-14:50   **"Two Tales of Debt"**

                    Amir Kermani (Berkeley) and **Yueran Ma** (University of Chicago)

                    Discussant: Kairong Xiao (Columbia)

14:50-15:20   Coffee break

15:20-16:10   **"The Collateral Link Between Volatility and Risk Sharing"**

                    Sebastian Infante (Federal Reserve Board) and Guillermo Ordoñez (University of Pennsylvania)

                    Discussant: Vish Viswanathan (Duke)

16:10-17:00   **"Crisis Interventions in Corporate Insolvency"**

                    Samuel Antill (Harvard Business School) and Christopher Clayton (Yale)

                    Discussant: Hongda Zhong (LSE)

17:00   Adjourn

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