

Adam Smith Workshop in Asset Pricing & Corporate Finance

Thursday 18th - Friday 19th April 2024

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The Adam Smith Workshop in Asset Pricing and Corporate Finance is a regular event organised jointly by the Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR), EDHEC Business School, HEC Paris, Imperial College Business School, INSEAD, London Business School, London School of Economics and Political Science, and Saïd Business School (University of Oxford).



Thursday 18th April 2024

10.00-10.30 Registration and welcome coffee (2nd floor, Marshall Building)

SESSION 1

Asset Pricing (MAR.2.04)

Chair: Christian Julliard

10.30-11.30 Scarce, Abundant, or Ample? A Time-Varying Model of the Reserve Demand Curve

Gara Afonso, Domenico Giannone, Gabriele La Spada*, John C. Williams

Discussant: Quentin Vandeweyer

11.30-12.30 Can the Fed Control Inflation? Stock Market Implications

Daniel Andrei*, Michael Hasler

Discussant: Alessandro Dovis

Corporate Finance (MAR.2.08)

Chair: Juanita González-Uribe

Valuation Fundamentals

Paul H. Décaire* and John R. Graham

Discussant: Philipp Krüger

Antitrust Enforcement Increases Economic Activity

Tania Babina, Simcha Barkai, Jessica Jeffers, Ezra Karger, and Ekaterina Volkova*

Discussant: Alminas Žaldokas

12.30-14.00 Lunch (MAR.1.06, 1st floor, Marshall Building)

SESSION 2

Asset Pricing (MAR.2.04)

Chair: Philippe Mueller

14.00-15.00 The fickle and the stable: Global Financial Cycle transmission via heterogeneous investors

Haonan Zhou*

Discussant: Nuno Coimbra

Corporate Finance (MAR.2.08)

Chair: Dirk Jenter

CEO Social Preferences and Layoffs

Marius Guenzel*, Clint Hamilton, and Ulrike Malmendier

Discussant: Claudia Custodio

15.00-15.30 Coffee break (Wolfson Theatre, Ground Floor, Cheng Kin Ku Building)

SESSION 3

Joint Asset Pricing and Corporate Finance (Wolfson Theatre, CKK Building)

Chair: Michela Verardo

15.30-16.30 Fund Flows and Income Risk of Fund Managers

Xiao Cen, Winston Wei Dou*, Leonid Kogan, Wei Wu

Discussant: Russ Wermers

16.30-17.30 Dirty Air and Green Investments: The impact of pollution information on portfolio allocations

Raymond Fisman, Pulak Ghosh, Arkodipta Sarkar*, and Jian Zhang

Discussant: Laurent Calvet

18.30-22.00 Drinks & dinner (Staff Dining Room, 5th floor, Old Building)

Friday 19th April 2024

09.00-09.30 Registration and refreshments (2nd floor, Marshall Building)

SESSION 4

Asset Pricing (MAR.2.04)

Chair: Adrian Buss

09.30-10.30 Information Leakage from Short Sellers

Fernando Chague, Bruno Giovannetti,
Bernard Herskovic*

Discussant: Nina Boyarchenko

10.30-11.30 Institutional Investors, Securities Lending, and Short-Selling Constraints

Taisiya Sikorskaya*

Discussant: Jules H. van Binsbergen

Corporate Finance (MAR.2.08)

Chair: Jessica Jeffers

When Insurers Exit: Climate Losses, Fragile Insurers, and Mortgage Markets

Parinitha Sastry, Ishita Sen*, Ana-Maria
Tenekedjieva

Discussant: Alexandru Barbu

Climate Risk, Bank Lending and Monetary Policy

Carlo Altavilla, Miguel Boucinha, Marco
Pagano*, Andrea Polo

Discussant: Melina Papoutsis

11.30-12.00 Coffee break (2nd floor, Marshall Building)

SESSION 5

Asset Pricing (MAR.2.04)

Chair: Svetlana Bryzgalova

12.00-13.00 **Leverage Dynamics and Learning about Economic Crises**

Artur Anshukov, Harjoat S. Bhamra*, Lars-Alexander Kuehn

Discussant: Pietro Veronesi

Corporate Finance (MAR.2.08)

Chair: Ulf Axelson

Too Levered for Pigou: Carbon Pricing, Financial Constraints, and Leverage Regulation

Robin Döttling* and Magdalena Rola-Janicka

Discussant: Florian Heider

13.00-14.30 Lunch (MAR.1.06, 1st floor, Marshall Building)

SESSION 6

Asset Pricing (MAR.2.04)

Chair: Pedro Bordalo

14.30-15.30 **The Subjective Risk and Return Expectations of Institutional Investors**

Spencer J. Couts, Andrei S. Gonçalves*, Johnathan A. Loudis

Discussant: Cameron Peng

15.30-16.30 **Understanding Rationality and Disagreement in House Price Expectations**

Zigang Li, Stijn Van Nieuwerburgh, Renxuan Wang*

Discussant: Spencer Kwon

Corporate Finance (MAR.2.08)

Chair: Magdalena Rola-Janicka

EXIM's Exit: The Real Effects of Export Credit Subsidies

Poorya Kabir*, Adrien Matray, Karsten Müller, and Chenzi Xu

Discussant: Joao Monteiro

Signaling with debt currency choice

Egemen Eren*, Semyon Malamud, and Haonan Zhou

Discussant: Liliana Varela

Session Format: 30 minutes of presentation, 20 minutes of discussion, 10 minutes of Q&A

Free WiFi: Select "The Cloud" from the network list. Open your browser and follow the instructions to register/log on.

LSE Campus Map



MAR – The Marshall Building, 44 Lincoln’s Inn Fields

CKK – Cheng Kin Ku Building, 54 Lincoln's Inn Fields
(formerly New Academic Building)

OLD – Old Building, Houghton Street