

Political Economy of Systemic Risk Conference

6th March 2014, room 405, 4th Floor Lionel Robbins Building
London School of Economics and Political Science

Organisers: Jeffrey Chwieroth (International Relations, LSE), Bob Hancké (European Institute, LSE)
and Jon Danielsson (Co-Director of the SRC)

Programme

Registration opens at 09.00

- 9:00 Registration opens
- 9:30 Opening address: Jon Danielsson (SRC, LSE)

Session 1: The Politics of Banking Crises

Session Chair: Leonardo Baccini (LSE)

- 9:35 Mark Copelovitch (Wisconsin) and David Singer (MIT)
Financial Levees: Capital Inflows, Financial Market Structure, and Banking Crises
- 9:50 Jeffrey Chwieroth (LSE) and Andrew Walter (Melbourne)
Great Expectations, Veto Players, and the Changing Politics of Banking Crises
- 10:05 Lawrence Broz (UCSD)
Rescuing the World's Financial System: The Federal Reserve as Global Lender of Last Resort, 2007-2010
- 10:20 Discussion
- 11:00 – Coffee Break
11:30

Session 2: The Political Economy of Asset Bubbles and 'Macro-prudential' Policy

Session Chair: Thomas Sattler (LSE)

- 11:30 Ben Ansell (Oxford) and Lawrence Broz (UCSD)
Global Capital Markets, Housing Prices, and Partisan Fiscal Policies
- 11:45 Andrew Baker (Queen's University Belfast)
The Bankers' Paradox: The Political Economy of Macroprudential Regulation
- 12:00 Lucy Goodhart (Harvard)
Brave New World? Macro-prudential Policy and the New Political Economy of the Federal Reserve

12:15 Discussion

13:00 – Lunch break

14:00

Session 3: The Politics of Financial Stability and Regulation

Session Chair: Jeffrey Chwieroth (LSE)

14:00 Andrew Walter (Melbourne)

The Political Economy of Post-Crisis Regulatory Response: Why does 'Over-compliance' Vary?

14:15 Meredith Wilf (Princeton)

Investor Perceptions of Basel III

14:30 Discussion

15:15 – Coffee break

15:45

Session 4: Euro-crisis

Session Chair: Bob Hancké (LSE)

15:45 – Roundtable discussion:

17:15 Jon Danielsson (LSE), David Soskice (LSE) and Paul De Grauwe (LSE)

17:30 Conference close

17:30 – Informal canapé reception for all attendees

18:30

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