

Seminars
Department of Finance and Business Economics

Spring 2015

Wednesday, April 1

Speaker: [Leonid Kogan](#), MIT
Paper: "Creative Destruction, Inequality and Asset Prices"
Co-authors: Dimitris Papanikolaou and Noah Stoffman

Friday, April 3

Speaker: [Heitor Almeida](#), University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Paper: "The Real Effects of Credit Ratings: The Sovereign Ceiling Channel"
Co-authors: Igor Cunha, Miguel Ferreira and Felipe Restrepo

Friday, April 10

Speaker: [Francisco Gomes](#), London Business School
Paper: "Risks and Returns to Education over Time"
Co-authors: Jeffrey Brown and Chichun Fang

Wednesday, April 15

Speaker: [Roni Michaely](#), Cornell University
Paper: "Taxation and Dividend Policy: The Muting Effect of Diverse Ownership Structure"
Co-authors: Martin Jacob and Annette Astadsaeter

Friday, April 24

Speaker: [Michael Roberts](#), Wharton
Paper: "How Does Government Borrowing Affect Corporate Financing and Investment?"
Co-authors: John Graham and Mark Leary

Wednesday, April 29

Speaker: [Oliver Boguth](#), Arizona State University
Paper: "Leverage Constraints and Asset Prices: Insights from Mutual Fund Risk Taking"
Co-author: Mikhail Simutin

Wednesday, May 6

Speaker: [Asaf Manela](#), Washington University in St. Louis
Paper: "Funding and Incentives of Regulators: Evidence from Banking"
Co-author: Roni Kisin

Wednesday, May 13

Speaker: [Ralph Walkling](#), Drexel University
Paper: "Board Walk or Parked Place? Acquiring Firms and the Director Labor Market"
Co-authors: David Becher and Jared Wilson

Wednesday, May 20

Speaker: [Christian Lundblad](#), University of North Carolina
Paper: "Does the Ownership Structure of Government Debt Matter? Evidence from Munis"
Co-authors: Tania Babina, Chotibhak Jotikasthira and Tarun Ramadorai

Friday, May 29

Speaker: [Christopher Hrdlicka](#), Foster School of Business
Papers: "Correcting the Bias in Network-based Tests of Price Discovery"
"Return Predictability through Board Links"
Co-author: Aaron Burt

Friday, Jun 5

Speaker: [Michelle Lowry](#), Drexel University
Paper: "Informed Trading by Adviser Banks: A Look at Options Holdings Ahead of Mergers"
Co-author: Zhongyan Zhu