

USC-UCLA FINANCE DAY

Friday, May 1, 2009
USC Marshall School, Hoffman Hall, Room 2

9.30 am - 10.00 am

Coffee

10.00 am - 10.35 am

Valuing Toxic Assets: An Analysis of CDO Equity

By Francis Longstaff (UCLA)

Discussant: Antonios Sangvinatsos (USC)

10.45 am - 11.20 am

Inventory Investment and the Cost of Capital

By Selale Tuzel (USC)

Discussant: Liu Yang (UCLA)

11.30 am - 12.05 pm

Obfuscation, Learning, and the Evolution of Investor Sophistication

By Bruce Carlin (UCLA)

Discussant: Ricardo Alonso (USC)

12.15 pm - 1.30 pm

Lunch *(Marshall School Breezeway Lawn)*

1.45 pm - 2.20 pm

Market Selection

By Mark Westerfield (USC)

Discussant: Jan Schneider (UCLA)

2.30 pm - 3.05 pm

IQ and Stock Market Participation

By Mark Grinblatt (UCLA)

Discussant: Larry Harris (USC)

3.15 pm - 3.50 pm

The Pay Divide: (Why) Are U.S. Top Executives Paid More?

By Pedro Matos (USC)

Discussant: Geoff Tate (UCLA)

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