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INTERNATIONAL MACROECONOMICS AND FINANCE,
BANKING AND FINANCIAL REGULATIONS

May 20 - 21, NUS Business School Room 5-4

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SESSION FORMAT

25 minutes: author presentation

10 minutes: discussant #1

10 minutes: discussant #2

15 minutes: open discussion

SCHEDULE

MAY 20

9:00 - 10:00 SESSION 1

Do Foreign Bank Affiliates Cut their Lending More Than the Domestic Banks in a Financial Crisis?

Robert Dekle (USC), Mihye Lee

Discussants: [Renée Adams](#) (University of New South Wales), [Anand Srinivasan](#)

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10:00 - 10:30 COFFEE BREAK

10:30 - 12:30 SESSION 2

Understanding Bank Runs

Rajkamal Iyer, Manju Puri (Fuqua) and Nicolas Ryan

Discussants: Poonam Gupta, Zsuzsa Huszar

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The Long Term Effects of Bank Recapitalization

Sharon Poczter (Cornell)

Discussants: Helen Popper, Wenlan Qian



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12:30 - 13:30 LUNCH

13:30 - 15:30 SESSION 3

The Bright Side of Lending by Government Owned Banks: Evidence from the Financial Crisis in Japan

Yupeng Lin (NUS), Anand Srinivasan (NUS) and Takeshi Yamada (Adelaide)

Discussants: Antonio Fatas, Albert Hu



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Identifying the Valuation Effects and Agency Costs of Corporate Diversification

Ross Levine (Berkeley)

Discussants: Martin Berka, David Reeb



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15:30 - COFFEE

16:00 - ADJOURN

MAY 21

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Macprudential Policy and Zombie Lending in Korea

Takeo Hoshi and Younghoon Kim (Stanford)

Discussants: Poonam Gupta, Edward Robinson



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10:30 - 12:30 SESSION 2

Do Loan Officers' Incentives Lead to Lax Lending Standards?

Sumit Agarwal (NUS) and Itzhak Ben-David

Discussants: [Renée Adams](#) (University of New South Wales), Eu Chye Tan



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Manufacturing-Finance Comparative Advantage and Global Imbalances

Rui Mao and Yang Yao (CCER)

Discussants: Martin Berka, Ilian Mihov



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Capital Controls and Currency Wars

Anton Korinek (Maryland)

Discussants: Jussi Keppo, Helen Popper



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14:30 - COFFEE

15:00 - ADJOURN

INDUSTRY ROUNDTABLE

17:30 - GOVERNANCE AND REGULATIONS: A NEW FINANCIAL ECONOMIC ORDER FOR ASIA?

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DINNER

19:00 - COCKTAILS, FOLLOWED BY OPENING GALA DINNER AT THE BALLROOM, LEVEL 3, RAFFLES HOTEL SINGAPORE

Keynote Address by Mr. Ravi Menon, Managing Director, Monetary Authority of Singapore