Joint Seminar Hebrew University of Jerusalem and University of Vienna

Program

(Organisers: T. Gehrig, Y. Yafeh)

Tuesday, 20th September

9.00 Welcome: Heinz FASSMANN, Vice Rector for Research, University of Vienna

9.15-10.15 Eugene KANDEL/ Yishay Yafeh: “Incentive Fees and Competition in Pension Funds: Evidence from a Regulatory Experiment in Israel”

10.15-10.30 Coffee

10.30-11.30 Maria Chiara IANNINO: “Acquirers Gains from Earnouts in High vs. Low Periods of EMVCs”

11.30-12.30 Orly SADE: “Can Smoking Harm Your Long Term Saving Decisions”?

12.30-13.30 Lunch

13.30-14.30 Sergey ZHUK, Mike Mariathasan: "Rational Inattention and Counter-cyclical Lending Standards"

14.30-15.30 Steffen KECK, Wenje Tang: "How can acquisition outcomes be improved? The role of CFOs"

15.30-15.45 Break

15.45-16.45 Zvi WIENER: “Contingent Claims Analysis”

16.45-17.45 Thomas GEHRIG, Maria Chiara Iannino: “Did the Basel Process of Capital Regulation Enhance the Resiliency of European Banks?”

19.00 Workshop Dinner
**Wednesday, 21st September**

9.00-10.00  Nikolaus HAUTSCH: "Volatility, Information Feedback and Microstructure Noise: A Tale of Two Regimes"

10.00-11.00  Idan HODOR: “Asset Pricing with Heterogeneous Benchmarking”

11.00-11.15  Coffee

11.15-12.15  Monika MERZ: “Finance and Labor”


13.15-14.30  Lunch

14.30-15.30  Gyöngyi LORANTH: “Multinational Banks and Supranational Supervision”

15.30-16.30  Yishay YAFEH: “Empowering Minority Shareholders and Executive Compensation”

16.30-16.45  Break

16.45-18.00  Final Discussion and Conclusion of the Seminar

**Location:**  Aula, Campus – Altes Krankenhaus (AKH)

**Participants:**

- **Hebrew University**
  - Dr. Idan Hodor
  - Dr. Yevgeny Mugerman
  - Professor Eugene Kandel
  - Professor Orly Sade
  - Professor Zvi Wiener (Chair, Finance Department)
  - Professor Yishay Yafeh (Dean, Business School)

- **University of Vienna**
  - Dr. Gökhan Cebiroglu
  - Professor Thomas Gehrig
  - Professor Nikolaus Hautsch
  - Dr. Maria Chiara Iannino
  - Dr. Steffen Keck
  - Professor Monika Merz
  - Professor Gyöngyi Loranth
  - Professor Markus Reitzig
  - Dr. Sergey Zhuk