



Thursday, November 2, 2017

9th ReCapNet Conference on

Commercial Real Estate Finance and Investment

Mannheim, November 2/3, 2017

PROGRAMME

Conference venue: ZEW, L 7, 1, 68161 Mannheim

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08:00 - 09:00	Arrival and Registration
09:00 – 10:30	Session 1: The Dynamics of Commercial Real Estate Returns Chair: Oliver Lerbs (ZEW)
	Benchmarking Local Commercial Real Estate Returns: Statistics Meets Economics Liang PENG (Pennsylvania State University)
	Discussion: Jean-Christophe Delfim (University of Geneva)
	U.S. Real Estate Risk Factors
	Jean-Christophe DELFIM (University of Geneva), Martin Hoesli (University of Geneva) Discussion: Shaun Bond (University of Cincinnati)
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 – 12:30	Session 2: Commercial Real Estate, Frictions and the Real Economy Chair: Michael Schröder (ZEW)
	Real estate prices and corporate investment: theory and evidence of heterogeneous effects across firms
	Simon RAY (Banque de France), Denis Fougère (Sciences Po), Rémy Lecat (Banque de France) Discussion: Jeffrey P. Cohen (University of Connecticut)
	Impact of Volatility and Equity Market Uncertainty on Herd Behavior: Evidence from UK REITs Omokolade AKINSOMI (University of Witwatersrand), Yener Coskun (Capital Market Board of Turkey), Rangan Gupta (University of Pretoria), Keung Marco Lau (Northumbria University) Discussion: Saadallah Zaiter (Paris-Dauphine University)
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch Break
13:30 – 14:30	Keynote Lecture: The Effects of Distance on Commercial Property Performance Piet Eichholtz (Maastricht University)
14:30 – 15:00	Coffee Break





19:00	Discussion: Liang Peng (Pennsylvania State University) Conference Dinner
	Jeffrey P. COHEN (University of Connecticut), John Glascock (University of Connecticut), Chongyu Wang (University of Florida)
	Geographic Proximity and Competition for Scarce Capital: Evidence from U.S. Stocks and REITs
	Discussion: Xiaoying Deng (Shanghai University of Finance Economics)
	Effect of REIT Ownership on Acquisition Premium and Property Performance Masaki MORI (National University of Singapore), Seow Eng Ong (National University of Singapore), Jianmei Wu (National University of Singapore), Fang Zhang (National University of Singapore)
15:00 – 16:30	Session 3: REITs I (Scientific Board Member Session) Chair: Felix Schindler (Steinbeis University Berlin)

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Friday, November 3, 2017

09:00 - 10:30	Session 4: Commercial Real Estate and Financial Stability Chair: Martin Hoesli (University of Geneva)					
	The Other (Commercial) Real Estate Boom and Bust: The Effects of Risk Premia and Regulatory Capital Arbitrage John DUCA (Dallas FED), David C. Ling (University of Florida) Discussion: Roland Füss (University of St. Gallen)					
	Office Market Interconnectedness and Systemic Risk Roland Füss (University of St Gallen), Daniel RUF (University of St Gallen) Discussion: John Duca (Dallas FED)					
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break					
11:00 – 12:30	Session 5: REITs II Chair: Shaun Bond (University of Cincinnati)					
	Time Varying Beta of European REITs: The Relative Importance of Transparency Saadallah ZAITER (Université Paris-Dauphine), Alain Coen (University of Quebec at Montreal), Arnaud Simon (University of Paris-Dauphine) Discussion: Bertram Steininger (RWTH Aachen University)					
	How do a CEO's political leanings affect a REIT business decisions? Xiaoying DENG (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics), Paul Anglin (University of Guelph), Yanmin Gao (City University of Hong Kong), Hua Sun (University of Iowa) Discussion: Masaki Mori (National University of Singapore)					
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch Break and Farewell					