### Thursday, April 21

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| 8:45am – 10:45am | **Session 1: Applied Theory**  
Thomas Chemmanur, Boston College: Paper Title TBA  
Discussant: Hagen Kim, Texas A&M University  
Jing Zeng, Frankfurt School of Management: “Servicing Securitisation through Inefficient Foreclosure”  
Discussant: David Skeie, Texas A&M University  
Doron Levit, Wharton: “Corporate Control Activism”  
Discussant: Patrick Bolton, Columbia University |
| 10:45am – 11:00am | **Coffee Break** |
| 11:00am – 12:20pm | **Session 2: Banking**  
Emanuele Tarantino, University of Mannheim, “Lending Standards Over the Credit Cycle”  
Discussant: Allen Berger, University of South Carolina  
Allen Berger, University of South Carolina: Paper Title TBA  
Discussant: Jim Kolari, Texas A&M University |
| 12:30-2:00 PM | **Lunch at Straits Restaurant** (Ground Floor, Hotel Sorella) |
| 2:00-5:00PM | Afternoon Sessions at the TAMU Executive Education Center |
| 2:00-3:20 | **Session 3: Career Concerns**  
Peter Cziraki, University of Toronto: “CEO Career Concerns And Risk Taking”  
Discussant: Katharina Lewellen, Dartmouth College  
Elisabeth Kempf, Tilburg University: “The Job Rating Game: The Effects of Revolving Doors on Analyst Incentives”  
Discussant: Anup Agrawal, University of Alabama |
| 3:20-3:40 | **Coffee Break** |
3:40-5:00  
Session 4: Financial Institutions  
David Schumacher, McGill University: “Who is afraid of Blackrock?”  
Discussant: TBA  

Discussant: Zhenyu Wang, Indiana University  

6:00-8:00PM  
Dinner – The Tasting Room, with Keynote Address by Mark Flannery  

Saturday, April 23  

6:00am - 8:30am  
Breakfast at Hotel Sorella  

9:00am - 12:00Noon  
Morning Sessions at TAMU Executive Education Center  

9:00am – 10:20am  
Session 5: Corporate Ownership Structure and Governance  
Malcolm Wardlaw, University of Texas-Dallas: “Leveraged buyouts and workplace safety”  
Discussant: David Robinson  

Mathias Kronlund University of Illinois-Urbana-Champaign: “Does Shareholder Scrutiny Affect Executive Compensation?”  
Discussant: Shane Johnson, Texas A&M University  

10:20am - 10:35am  

10:35-11:55AM  
Session 6: Corporate Transactions  
Tony Cookson, University of Colorado-Boulder: “Assortative Matching and Reputation in the Market for First Issues”  
Discussant: Jay Ritter, University of Florida  

Irene Yi, University of Southern California: “Strategic Timing of Asset Purchases: Evidence from Collective Bargaining”  
Discussant: Vikram Nanda, University of Texas-Dallas  

12:00 - 2:00  Lunch with Closing Keynote Address by Jay Ritter, University of Florida  

??where will lunch be held?