Programme

Systemic risk and financial regulation – causes and lessons from the financial crisis

A joint workshop hosted by the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision, the Centre for Economic Policy Research (CEPR), and the Journal of Financial Intermediation

Basel, 20–21 May 2010

Venue: Meeting Room A, Bank for International Settlements, Basel
Thursday 20 May

8.00  Registration and coffee

8:30  Opening remarks by Peter Praet, National Bank of Belgium and Chairman of the Research Task Force

8.45  Session 1: Risk measurement and modelling

   Chair:  Peter Praet (National Bank of Belgium and Chairman of the Research Task Force)

8.45  Tail risk at banks

   Martin Knaup (Tilburg University)
   Wolf Wagner (Tilburg University)

9.25  Discussion by Tobias Adrian (Federal Reserve Bank of New York)

9.50  Measuring systemic risk in the finance and insurance sectors

   Monica Billio (University of Venice)
   Mila Getmansky (University of Massachusetts)
   Andrew W Lo (MIT Sloan School of Management)
   Loriana Pelizzon (University of Venice)

10.30 Discussion by Mathias Drehmann (Bank for International Settlements)

10.55 Coffee break

11.25  Macroprudential capital requirements and systemic risk

   Céline Gauthier (Bank of Canada)
   Alfred Lehar (University of Calgary)
   Moez Souissi (Bank of Canada)

12.05 Discussion by João Santos (Federal Reserve Bank of New York)

12.30 Lunch
13.30  **Keynote: What to do about TBTF?**  
*Mark J Flannery* *(University of Florida)*

14.15  **Session 2: Risk transmission and amplification**  
*Chair: George Pennacchi (University of Illinois and JFI)*

14.15  **Systemic risks and the macroeconomy**  
*Gianni De Nicolò (International Monetary Fund)*  
*Marcella Lucchetta (Universita’ Ca’ Foscari di Venezia)*

14.55  Discussion by John Duca (Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas)  
General discussion

15.20  **Cross-border banking and the international transmission of financial distress**  
*Alexander Popov (European Central Bank)*  
*Gregory F Udell (Indiana University)*

16.00  Discussion by Jörg Rocholl (ESMT)  
General discussion

16.25  **Coffee break**

16.55  **Systemic risk-taking and macroprudential regulation**  
*Anton Korinek (University of Maryland)*

17.35  Discussion by Alan Morrison (University of Oxford)  
General discussion

18.00  **End of Thursday sessions**

19.00  **Aperitif at the Basel Hilton**

19.30  **Dinner at the Basel Hilton**
Friday 21 May

8.30  Registration and coffee

9.00  Keynote by Jaime Caruana, General Manager, Bank for International Settlements

9.30  Session 3: Strategic behaviour and incentives
      Chair:  Klaus Duellmann (Deutsche Bundesbank)

9.30  Bank business models, managerial discretion and risk efficiency
      Lieven Baele (Tilburg University)
      Valerie De Bruyckere (Ghent University)
      Olivier De Jonghe (Ghent University)
      Rudi Vander Vennet (Ghent University)

10.10 Discussion by Klaus Schaeck (Bangor Business School)
      General discussion

10.35 Coffee break

10.50 Loan servicers’ incentives and optimal CDOs
      Henri Pagès (Banque de France)

11.30 Discussion by Hendrik Hakenes (University of Hannover)
      General discussion

11.55 Financial innovation and risk: the role of information
      Roberto Piazza (International Monetary Fund)

12.35 Discussion by Jean-Charles Rochet (University of Zurich)
      General discussion

13.00 Lunch
14.15  **Session 4: Regulation and intervention**

*Chair: Ernst-Ludwig von Thadden (University of Mannheim and JFI)*

14.15  **Regulatory remedies for banking crises: Lessons from Japan**

*Linda Allen (Baruch College, City University of New York)*

**Suparna Chakraborty** (Baruch College, City University of New York)

*Wako Watanabe (Keio University)*

14.55  Discussion by Hirofumi Uchida (Kobe University)

*General discussion*

15.20  **The Glass-Steagall Act revisited: On the impact of universal banking on credit screening**

*Dario Focarelli (ANIA and Università di Roma “La Sapienza”)*

*David Marques-Ibanez (European Central Bank)*

**Alberto Franco Pozzolo** (Università del Molise and Ente Luigi Einaudi)

16.00  Discussion by Lucy White (Harvard Business School)

*General discussion*

16.25  **Coffee break**

16.45  **The impact of public guarantees on bank risk taking: Evidence from a natural experiment**

*Reint Gropp (European Business School)*

*Christian Gründl (European Business School)*

*Andre Güttler (European Business School)*

17.25  Discussion by Thilo Pausch (Deutsche Bundesbank)

*General discussion*

17.50  **Closing remarks by Ernst-Ludwig von Thadden**

*(University of Mannheim, CEPR and JFI)*

18.00  **End of workshop**
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