

2018 FIRN PHD SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

Tuesday, 13 November

9:00	Welcome / Registration / Coffee		
9:30	Session	<i>Room 1: Returns & Investors</i>	<i>Room 2: Risk & The State</i>
	Title	Global Oil Imbalance and the Cross Section of Currency Returns	Risk Sharing, Creditor Diversity, and Bank Regulation
	PhD Presenter	Florent Rouxelin (UNSW Sydney)	Isaac Pan (Australian National University)
	Discussant	Takeshi Yamada (Australian National University)	Philip Gharghori (Monash University)
	Title	Investor behavior at the 52 Week High	Does State Ownership Mitigate Financial Constraints? New evidence from China.
	PhD Presenter	Joshua Della Vedova (University of Sydney)	Giang Nguyen (RMIT University)
	Discussant	Carole Comerton-Forde (UNSW Sydney)	Wen He (University of Queensland)
10:50	Morning Tea Break		
11:20	Session	<i>Room 1: Pricing & Nesting</i>	<i>Room 2: Tax & Hiring</i>
	Title	The Pricing of Composition Uncertainty	Does Corporate Tax Avoidance Respond to Increased Entry Threat - Evidence from Industry-Level Import Data
	PhD Presenter	Nihad Aliyev (University of Technology Sydney)	Nadar Atawnah (La Trobe University)
	Discussant	Kathy Walsh (University of Technology Sydney)	Garry Twite (University of Melbourne)
	Title	Nested and Spillover Effects of the Institutional Environments on IFRS Convergence: A Meso, Multilevel Approach	The external labour market and bad news hoarding—Evidence from a CEO's industry tournament and crash risk
	PhD Presenter	June Cao (Macquarie University)	Hasibul Chowdhury (University of Queensland)
	Discussant	Christine Helliard (University of South Australia)	Mark Humphery-Jenner (UNSW Sydney)
12:40	Lunch		
14:00	Session	<i>Room 1: Blockholders & Risk Business</i>	<i>Room 2: CEOs & Connections</i>
	Title	Blockholder Activism and Stock Price Information Quality	CEO generosity and corporate disclosure
	PhD Presenter	Michael Wang (Monash University)	Thuy Lien Nguyen (The University of Adelaide)
	Discussant	Kate Volkova (University of Melbourne)	Ellie Chapple (Queensland University of Technology)
	Title	Systemic Risk: Visualizing Vulnerability	Management Connectedness and Corporate Investment
	PhD Presenter	Raisul Islam (University of Tasmania)	Man Pham (University of Western Australia)
	Discussant	Robert Faff (University of Queensland)	Barry Oliver (University of Queensland)
15:20	Afternoon Tea break		
15:50	Session	<i>Room 1: Social & Responsible</i>	<i>Room 2: Debt & target</i>
	Title	Characteristics of Corporate Social Responsibility Reporting and their Relations to Corporate Social Responsibility Performance	How does Inside debt-equity ratio moves to the target level?
	PhD Presenter	Zhongtian Li (Queensland University of Technology)	Phuong Nguyen (University of Melbourne)
	Discussant	Jacque Humphrey (University of Queensland)	Joakim Westerholm (University of Sydney)
16:30	Break		
17:00	Networking function (concludes at 18:30)		