

# Programme for Adam Smith Asset Pricing Conference (jointly hosted by LBS, LSE, Oxford and CEPR)

On: Friday 17 November 2006.  
At: Saïd Business School, Oxford.

This conference is kindly sponsored by the BNP Paribas Hedge Fund Centre at LBS.

## 10:30-11:30 “Understanding Index Options Returns”

Mikhail Chernov, London Business School  
Mark Broadie, Columbia University  
Michael Johannes, Columbia University  
**Discussant:** Mirela Predescu, Saïd Business School

## 11:30-12:30 “Time-Varying Liquidity in Hedge Funds”

Andrew Patton, London School of Economics  
Sheng Li, London School of Economics  
**Discussant:** Robert Kosowski, Imperial College

## 12:30-13:30 Lunch

## 13:30-14:30 “Resolving Macroeconomic Uncertainty in Stock and Bond Markets”

Alessandro Beber, HEC  
Michael Brandt, Duke University and NBER  
**Discussant:** Andrea Buraschi, Imperial College

## 14:30-15:30 “Long-Run Risk through Consumption Smoothing”

Georg Kaltenbrunner, London Business School  
Lars Lochstoer, London Business School  
**Discussant:** Sujoy Mukerji, University of Oxford

## 15:30-16:00 Coffee

## 16:00-17:00 “Insider Trading and Crashes”

Jose Marin, UPF  
Jacques Olivier, HEC and CEPR  
**Discussant:** Jeremy Large, University of Oxford

## 17:00-18:00 “The Changing Nature of Systematic Risk”

Francesco Franzoni, HEC  
**Discussant:** Christopher Polk, London School of Economics

## 18:30 Conference Dinner, Venue TBA

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