

RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON COMPARATIVE CORPORATE  
GOVERNANCE WORKSHOP



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WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2018

8:30 – 8:50am	Breakfast
8:50 – 9:00am	Introductions
9:00 – 9:35am	Paper #1: Corporate Law and Economic Development Vikramaditya Khanna, <i>University of Michigan Law School</i> Commentators: Sang Yop Kang & Darren Rosenblum
9:35 – 10:10am	Paper #2: CSR and Sustainability Cynthia Williams, <i>Osgoode Hall Law School</i> Commentators: Florian Möslein & Uriel Procaccia
10:10 – 10:45am	Paper #3: Diversity and the Board of Directors Darren Rosenblum, <i>Pace Law School</i> Commentators: Cynthia Williams & Katja Langenbucher
10:45 – 11:05am	Break
11:05 – 11:40am	Paper #4: Board Duties: The Duty of Loyalty and Self-Dealing Geneviève Helleringer, <i>Essec Business School &amp; Oxford University, Law Faculty</i> Marco Corradi, <i>University of Stockholm</i> Commentators: Klaus Hopt & Andrew Tuch

11:40– 12:15pm	Paper #5: Board Duties: The Duty of Care and the Business Judgment Rule Carsten Gerner-Beuerle, <i>University College London, Faculty of Law</i> Commentators: Christopher Bruner & Uriel Procaccia
12:15 – 1:15pm	Catered Lunch
1:15 – 1:50pm	Paper #6: Shareholder Litigation: Direct and Derivative Suits, and their Functional Equivalents Nico Howson, <i>University of Michigan Law School</i> Commentators: Li-Wen Lin & Patrick Leyens
1:50 – 2:25pm	Paper #7: Methods of Comparative Corporate Governance Christopher Bruner, <i>University of Georgia School of Law</i> Commentators: Geneviève Helleringer & Klaus J. Hopt
2:25 – 3:00pm	Paper #8: The Law and Economics of Comparative Corporate Law María Isabel Sáez Lacavxe, <i>Universidad Autónoma de Madrid</i> [María Gutiérrez Urtiaga, <i>Universidad Carlos III de Madrid</i> ] Commentators: Marco Corradi & Assaf Hamdani
3:00 – 3:20pm	Break
3:20pm – 3:55pm	Paper #9: Corporate Purpose and Short-Termism Martin Petrin, <i>University College London</i> [Barnali Choudhuri, <i>University College London</i> ] Commentators: Assaf Hamdani & Li-Wen Lin
3:55pm – 4:30pm	Paper #10: The Structure of the Board of Directors Klaus J. Hopt, <i>Max-Planck Institute Hamburg</i> Patrick Leyens, <i>Karl Franzens University of Graz/Erasmus University Rotterdam</i> Commentators: María Isabel Sáez Lacave & Sang-Yop Kang
8:00pm	Dinner at Bar Boulud, 1900 Broadway

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2016**

		1:50 – 2:25pm	Paper #17: Accounting and Convergence in Corporate Governance Martin Gelter, <i>Fordham Law School</i> Commentators: Umakanth Varottil & Marco Corradi
8:30 – 9:00am	Catered Breakfast		
9:00 – 9:35am	Paper #11: Board Duties: Monitoring, Risk Management & Compliance Virginia Harper Ho, <i>University of Kansas, School of Law</i> Commentators: Christopher Bruner & Carsten Gerner-Beuerle	2:25 – 2:45pm	Break
		2:45pm – 3:20pm	Paper #18: Corporate Governance and Takeovers Afra Afsharipour, <i>UC Davis School of Law</i> Commentators: Andrew Tuch & Umakanth Varottil
9:35 – 10:10am	Paper #12: Board Duties: Executive Pay Li-Wen Lin, <i>University of British Columbia, Peter A. Allard School of Law</i> Commentators: Nico Howson & Virginia Harper Ho		
		3:20pm – 3:55pm	Paper #19: MBOs/Private Equity Transactions and Corporate Governance Andrew Tuch, <i>Washington University School of Law</i> Commentators: Carsten Gerner-Beuerle & Sofie Cools
10:10 – 10:45am	Paper #13: The Role and Power of Shareholders and the Function of the Shareholder Meeting Sofie Cools, <i>University of Leuven</i> Commentators: Katja Langenbucher & Vikramaditya Khanna		
		3:55 – 4:00pm	Concluding remarks
10:45 – 11:05am	Break		
11:05 – 11:40pm	Paper #14: Shareholder Identities: Governments, Banks, and Institutional Shareholders Assaf Hamdani, <i>Tel Aviv University</i> Commentators: Vikramaditya Khanna & María Isabel Sáez Lacave		
11:40 – 12:15pm	Paper #15: Minority Shareholders' Rights and Duties Umakanth Varottil, <i>National University of Singapore, Faculty of Law</i> Commentators: Martin Petrin & Darren Rosenblum		
12:15 – 1:15pm	Catered Lunch		
1:15 – 1:50pm	Paper #16: Corporate Groups and Cross-Ownership Sang-Yop Kang, <i>Peking University – School of Transnational Law</i> Commentators: Nico Howson & Martin Petrin		