

HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY - Frank G. Zarb School of Business
Department of Finance
Fall 2003 – Finance Seminar Series – Nineteenth Year
Coordinator: Sinan Cebenoyan

ALL Seminars in 3rd Floor conference room at 1:30 except the November 21st.

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| September 12 | Aron Gottesman – Pace University
“Corporate Loan Spreads, Market Power, and the Default-Free Rate” |
| September 26 | Lei Yu – NYU –Finance – Ph.D. Candidate
“Basket Securities, Price Formation, and Informational Efficiency” |
| October 3 | Department Meeting |
| October 10 | FMA meetings – No Seminar |
| October 17 | George Papaioannou, Nickolaos Travlos
"Stock Splits on the Athens Stock Exchange" |
| October 24 | Neal Horrell - Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
“Electricity Price Processes” |
| October 31 | Rob Campbell
Overview of research presented at the 2003 National University of Singapore / Hong Kong (NUS/HK) Symposium |
| November 7 | Sinan Tan – NYU –Finance – Ph.D. Candidate
"Transaction Costs, Return Predictability and Wealth Shocks: Implications for Multi-asset Portfolio Choice and Liquidity Premia" |
| November 14 | Ahmet Karagozoglou
“Predicting Insolvency Using the Information Provided in Audited Financial Statements” |
| November 21 | Linda Allen – Baruch College- This seminar will be at 11:00 am
“Cyclicalities in Catastrophic and Operational Risk Measures” |
| November 28 | Thanksgiving - No Seminar |
| December 5 | Esmeralda Lyn, Andrew Spieler
“Corporate governance and board characteristics of financially distressed firms: bad firm performance or ineffective watchdogs?” |