

#### Wilbur F. Breslin Center for Real Estate Studies

# Prospects of Real Estate and Alternative Investments: 2018 and Beyond

presented by

Hofstra's Frank G. Zarb School of Business and The Institute of Real Estate at Hofstra University

## Tuesday, April 24, 2018 8 a.m.-2:15 p.m.

Hofstra University Club, David S. Mack Hall, North Campus

**Conference Directors:** Dr. Ehsan Nikbakht and Dr. Andrew Spieler Department of Finance, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University

**Purpose:** This half-day conference seeks to examine the trends and issues of investing in real estate and alternative investments in 2018 and beyond. Uncertainty, market volatility, and business approaches will be examined.

#### 8 a.m. Registration and Buffet Breakfast

#### 8:30-9:50 a.m. Welcoming Remarks

Mark J. Lesko, Executive Dean, Wilbur F. Breslin Center for Real Estate Studies, Hofstra University

#### **Introduction of Keynote Speaker**

Dr. Herman A. Berliner, Dean, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University

#### **Keynote Address**

**Dr. H. Kent Baker**, University Professor, Department of Finance and Real Estate, Kogod School of Business, American University

#### 9:50-11:25 a.m. Real Estate: Investments, REITs, Managing Risk & Taxes

**Joshua A. Harris**, Academic Director and Clinical Assistant Professor of Real Estate, Schack Institute of Real Estate, NYU School of Professional Studies

Joseph McBride-Meara, Associate, Research and Product Management, Trepp LLC

Roya Nouvini, Vice President, Commercial Real Estate, TD Bank

Michael J. O'Leary, Executive Vice President, RXR Realty

Brian Gabel, Wealth Management Advisor, TIAA

#### Moderator

Dr. Robert Campbell, Associate Professor of Finance, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University

#### 11:25 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Alternative Investments: ETFS, Venture Capital, and Contemporary Issues

**Hossein B. Kazemi**, Director, Center for International Securities and Derivatives Markets, and Michael and Cheryl Philipp Endowed Professor of Finance, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Luke McAuliffe, President, Transparent Energy

Gerald O'Donnell, CEO, Roberts & Ryan Investments Inc., a Service Disabled Veteran Owned (SDVO) Broker Dealer

**Greg Sherry**, Vice President, Magnitude Capital

#### Moderator

Dominique G. Outlaw, Assistant Professor of Finance, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University

#### Introduction

Dr. Janet Lenaghan, Vice Dean, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University

#### 12:30-2 p.m. Luncheon Keynote Address

Keyvan Firouzi, Director, Preferred Return

#### 2-2:15 p.m. Closing Remarks

Dr. Ehsan Nikbakht, Professor of Finance, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University

**Dr. Andrew Spieler**, Professor of Finance, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University

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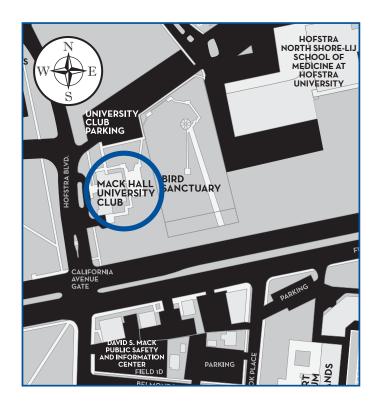
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