

Measuring and Forecasting Financial Stability

January 15-16, 2009

Dresden, Germany

A Workshop by Deutsche Bundesbank
and Technische Universität Dresden

Thursday, 15 January

11:30 – 12:00 Registration

12:00 – 13:00 Light Lunch

13:00 – 13:05 **Opening Remarks**

by Alexander Karmann (University of Dresden)

Session 1 Prediction of the Financial Stress

Chair: Alexander Karmann (University of Dresden)

13:05 – 13:50 **Funding Liquidity Risk in a Quantitative Model of Systemic Stability**

David Aikman (Bank of England)

Piergiorgio Alessandri (Bank of England)

Bruno Eklund (Bank of England)

Prasanna Gai (Australian National University)

Sujit Kapadia (Bank of England)

Elizabeth Martin (Bank of England)

Nada Mora (Bank of England)

Gabriel Sterne (Bank of England)

Matthew Willison (Bank of England)

Discussant: Michael Gapen (Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, Washington)

- 13:50 – 14:35 **Credit, Asset Prices, and Financial Stress in Canada**
Miroslav Misina (Bank of Canada)
Greg Tkacz (Bank of Canada)
Discussant: Matthew Willison (Bank of England)
- 14:35 – 15:00 Coffee Break
- 15:00 – 15:45 **Predicting Financial Crisis in a Emerging Market: An Option-Based Approach**
Stefan Eichler (University of Dresden)
Alexander Karmann (University of Dresden)
Dominik Maltritz (University of Dresden)
Discussant: Andreas Bühn (University of Dresden)
- Session 2** **Financial Indicators I**
Chair: Matthew Willison (Bank of England)
- 15:45 – 16:30 **Estimating the implicit Government Guarantee to Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac**
Michael Gapen (Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, Washington)
Discussant: Thomas King (Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, Washington)
- 16:30 – 17:30 **Speech by Hermann Kokenge (Rector of University of Dresden)**
Speech by Gernot Nerb (ifo Institute for Economic Research)
- 19:00 –
approx. 22:00 Reception and dinner at Restaurant LINGNER
Venue: Restaurant LINGNER, Lingnerplatz 1, 01069 Dresden

Friday, 16 January

09:00 – 09:05

Opening Remarks

by Thilo Liebig (Deutsche Bundesbank)

Session 3

Financial Indicators II

Chair: Thilo Liebig (Deutsche Bundesbank)

09:05 – 09:50

Distress in European Banks : An Analysis Based on an New Dataset

Tigran Poghosyan (University of Groningen)

Martin Cihák (International Monetary Fund)

Discussant: Natalja von Westernhagen (Deutsche Bundesbank)

09:50 – 10:35

Bank Ownership and Stability: Evidence from Germany

Thorsten Beck (Tilburg University)

Heiko Hesse (International Monetary Fund)

Thomas Kick (Deutsche Bundesbank)

Natalja von Westernhagen (Deutsche Bundesbank)

Discussant: Tigran Poghosyan (University of Groningen)

10:35 – 11:00

Coffee Break

11:00 11.45

Distress in the Financial Sector and Economic Activity

Mark Carlson (Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, Washington)

Thomas King (Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, Washington)

Kurt Lewis (Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, Washington)

Discussant: Miroslav Misina (Bank of Canada)

Session 4	Currency Crises: Prevention and Prediction
	Chair: Miroslav Misina (Bank of Canada)
11.45 – 12:30	Twin Crises: An Examination of the Empirical Links
	Jürgen von Hagen (University of Bonn)
	Tai-kuang Ho (National Chung Cheng University Taiwan)
	Discussant: Christian Bauer (University of Bayreuth)
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch Break
13:30 – 14:15	Forecasting currency crises: which methods signaled the south African crisis of June 2006
	Tobias Knedlik (Halle Institute of Economic Research)
	Rolf Scheufele (Halle Institute of Economic Research)
	Discussant: Tai-kuang Ho (National Chung Cheng University Taiwan)
14:15 – 15:00	The dynamics of financial crises and the risk to defend the exchange rate
	Christian Bauer (University of Bayreuth)
	Bernhard Herz (University of Bayreuth)
	Discussant: Tobias Knedlik (Halle Institute of Economic Research)
15:00	Close of Conference