

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

PAST AND FUTURE OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE: PRACTICES, REFORMS AND REGULATIONS

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Conference concept

The way of doing business has changed unrecognizable since the time when the first corporations were created. It has changed substantially even during the last 20 years. Separation of the ownership and control in corporations creates the whole range of sophisticated processes and procedures in the activity of any company and its governance. Company's performance and strategy mostly depend on whether shareholders and directors can create efficient control system over managers and whether managers can provide a smooth day to day activity of business without excessive risks. To what extent the corporation should be transparent, what level of the shareholder activism is optimal, how to motivate but not to force executives to gamble with the company, how to manage risk, how to work ethically: all these issues arose from the corporate governance, ownership and control paradigm. Very important role in this the process of corporate governance plays the third party – regulators who on their side wish to increase market stability and efficiency through new reforms and stricter rules of the “game”. The conference will provide the platform for academics and practitioners to analyze past and actual practices and regulations in corporate governance and estimate future trends and upcoming challenges for the mentioned issues and outline possible scenarios of their development.



Call for papers

Deadline for paper or abstract submission: *April 10, 2016*

Deadline for notification of authors of accepted papers: *April 20, 2016*

Papers for the conference should be submitted by e-mail:

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These papers will be subject to a separate reviewing process.



Key Topics

- Corporate governance
- Corporate Governance regulation
- Reforms in Corporate Governance
- Board of directors
- Minority/Majority shareholders
- Shareholder activism
- State/Private/Family ownership
- M&As, corporate reorganization
- Audit
- Executive remuneration
- Transparency, accountability and misreporting
- Risk management and corporate governance
- etc.



Keynote speakers

- *Sven-Olof Collin*, Professor, Linnæus University, Sweden
- *Michèle F. Sutter-Rüdisser*, Professor, Vice Director, Institute of Accounting, Control and Auditing, Head of the Competence Center of Corporate Governance, University of St. Gallen, Switzerland; Visiting Professor, SDA Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi, Milan, Italy

Conference Chairs

- *Marco Tutino*, Professor, Roma Tre University, Italy
- *Alex Kostyuk*, Director of the Virtus Global Center for Corporate Governance, Professor, Ukrainian Academy of Banking, Ukraine



International scientific committee

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Conference registration fee

Conference registration fee is EURO 270. It covers conference materials, including folders, memory books, and conference program, coffee breaks, lunch, dinner.



Conference organizers



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Conference venue address

The conference will take place at
Roma Tre University: Department of Business Studies
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