



Financial Econometrics Conference

Toulouse, May 15-16, 2009









PROGRAMME

9h00-9h05 Welcome Address: Christian Gollier (Toulouse School of Economics)

9h05-10h40 SESSION I Chair: Bernard Salanié (Columbia University)

Torben Andersen (Northwestern University), Oleg Bondarenko (University of Illinois-Chicago): Dissecting the Market Pricing of Equity and Bond Return Variance via Corridor-Implied Volatility

Discussant: **Peter Christoffersen** (McGill University)

Victor Chernozhukov (MIT), Emre Kocatulum (MIT), Konrad Menzel (MIT):

Inference on Sets in Finance

Discussant: **Thierry Magnac** (Toulouse School of Economics)

Andrea Carriero (Queen Mary University), **Raffaella Giacomini** (University College London): **How Useful are No-Arbitrage Restrictions for Forecasting the Term Structure of Interest Rates?**

Discussant: Fulvio Pegoraro (Banque de France)

10h40-11h10 Coffee & Tea Break

11h10-12h45 SESSION II Chair: Thomas Mariotti (Toulouse School of Economics)

Takakai Hayashi (Keio University), **Jean Jacod** (Université Pierre et Marie Curie), Nakahiro Yoshida (University of Tokyo):

High Frequency Statistics with Irregularly Spaced Observations

Discussant: Mark Podolskij (ETH Zurich)

Tim Bollerslev (Duke University), **Natalia Sizova** (Rice University), George Tauchen (Duke University):

Volatility in Equilibrium: Asymmetries and Dynamic Dependencies

Discussant: Laurent Calvet (HEC-Paris)

Scott Joslin (MIT), Marcel Priebsch (Stanford University), Kenneth Singleton (Stanford University):

Risk Premium Accounting in Macro-Dynamic Term Structure Models

Discussant: **Imen Ghattassi** (Banque de France)

12h45-14h00 Lunch

14h00-15h35 SESSION III Chair: Ulrich Müller (SCOR)

Stéphane Grégoir (EDHEC Business School), Tristan-Pierre Maury (EDHEC Business School): **Liquidity Risk and Housing Price Dynamics**

Discussant: **Patrick Fève** (Toulouse School of Economics)

Bruno Biais (Toulouse School of Economics), **Fany Declerck** (Toulouse School of Economics): **Liquidity, Competition and Price Discovery in the European Corporate Bond Market** Discussant: **Gaëlle Le Fol** (Université d'Evry and CREST)

Christian-Yann Robert (CREST-ENSAE, Paris), **Mathieu Rosenbaum** (Ecole Polytechnique, Paris):

Volatility Estimation Under Endogenous Microstructure Noise

Discussant: **Asger Lunde** (University of Aarhus)

15h35-16h00 Coffee & Tea Break

16h00-17h10 SESSION IV Chair: Jean-Charles Rochet (Toulouse School of Economics)

Gabriele Fiorentini (Università di Firenze), Enrique Sentana (CEMFI, Madrid):

New Testing Approaches for Mean-Variance Predictability

Discussant: **Christian Bontemps** (Toulouse School of Economics)

David Backus (New York University), **Mikhail Chernov** (London Business School), Ian Martin (Stanford University):

Extreme Events Implied by Equity Index Options

Discussant: Roméo Tédongap (Stockholm School of Economics)

17h10-17h20 Short Break

17h20-18h10 PANEL SESSION

Extreme Events and Correlations: Current and Future Models

René Garcia (EDHEC Business School) Ulrich Müller (SCOR) Enrique Sentana (CEMFI)

9h00-10h35 SESSION V Chair: Nour Meddahi (Toulouse School of Economics)

Fousseni Chabi-Yo (Ohio State University):

Pricing Kernels with Coskewness and Volatility Risk

Discussant: René Garcia (EDHEC Business School)

Peter Christoffersen (McGill University), Kris Jacobs (McGill University), Chayawat Ornthanalai (McGill University):

Exploring Time-Varying Jump Intensities: Evidence from S&P500 Returns and Options

Discussant: **Bruno Feunou** (Duke University)

Andrew Patton (University of Oxford), Michela Verardo (London School of Economics):

Systematic Risk and Information Flows

Discussant: **Sophie Moinas** (Toulouse School of Economics)

10h35-11h00 Coffee & Tea Break

11h00-12h35 SESSION VI Chair: Stéphane Villeneuve (Toulouse School of Economics)

Patrick Gagliardini (University of Lugano), and **Christian Gouriéroux** (University of Toronto and CREST):

Efficiency in Large Dynamic Panel Models with Common Factors

Discussant: **Sébastien Van Bellegem** (Toulouse School of Economics)

Serge Darolles (Société Générale and CREST), **Jean-Pierre Florens** (Toulouse School of Economics), Guillaume Simon (Société Générale and Toulouse University):

 ${\bf Hedge\ Funds\ Durations: Endogeneity\ of\ Performance\ and\ Assets\ under\ Management}$

Discussant: **Patrick Gagliardini** (University of Lugano)

Federico Bandi (University of Chicago), **Valentina Corradi** (University of Warwick), Guillermo Moloche (University of Chicago):

Bandwidth Selection for Continuous Time Markov Processes

Discussant: Christian-Yann Robert (CREST)

12h35-13h55 Lunch

13h55-15h30 SESSION VII Chair: Jean-Paul Decamps (Toulouse School of Economics)

Yacine Aït-Sahalia (Princeton University), Jean Jacod (Université Pierre et Marie Curie):

Testing Whether Jumps Have Finite or Infinite Activity

Discussant: **Ekaterina Voltchkova** (Toulouse School of Economics)

Rama Cont (Columbia University), **Cecilia Mancini** (Università di Firenze):

Nonparametric Tests for Analyzing the Fine Structure of Price Fluctuations

Discussant: **Suzanne Lee** (Georgia Institute of Technology)

Neil Shephard (Oxford University), **Kevin Sheppard** (Oxford University):

Realizing the Future: Forecasting Volatility with HEAVY Models and Their Performance in

Times of Crisis

Discussant: Natalia Sizova (Rice University)

15h30 Adjourn

Time allocation: 20 minutes for presenter, 8 minutes for discussant, 3 minutes for audience

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