

NFA 2016 CALL FOR PAPERS

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Northern Finance Association Conference 2016 Fairmont Tremblant, September 16-18, 2016 Mont-Tremblant, Québec

We invite members and friends of the Northern Finance Association to submit research papers for the 28TH annual meeting of the NFA, which will be held on September 16-18, 2016, at the Fairmont Tremblant, in picturesque Mont-Tremblant, Québec. Papers on any topic related to finance will be considered, as long as they have not already been accepted for publication in a journal. Each author is restricted to one submission.

Papers should be submitted electronically at www.openconf.org/nfa2016/ [2]. THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS MARCH 21, 2016, AT 11:59 PM (23:59 HRS) EASTERN TIME.

Papers will be reviewed anonymously by up to three members of the Program Committee, and authors will be notified about the outcome of the review process, by mid-May 2016. We are hoping to maximize participation opportunities in the conference, so corresponding authors will likely not be invited to serve as discussants or session chairs. Discussants and session chairs will be selected from our list of NFA contacts, which includes 5-year NFA members, Program Committee members, co-authors of accepted papers, and past presenters. If you would like to become a member of the Program Committee or serve as discussant/session chair, please contact us at nfaprogramchair@northernfinance.org. Conference registration will open on May 11, 2016 and the early registration will end on June 14, 2016. Authors must be registered by this date in order to be eligible for paper awards. Conference registration and hotel booking details are available at www.northernfinance.org/conference/ [3].

Keynote Speaker:

Maureen O'Hara

Professor of Finance and Purcell Professor of Finance Johnson Graduate School of Management, Cornell University.

Special Session for Assistant Professors:

G. Andrew Karolyi

Professor of Finance and Alumni Chair in Asset Management Johnson Graduate School of Management, Cornell University.

PhD Students Session Chairs:

Reena Aggarwal

Professor of Finance and Robert E. McDonough Professor of Business Administration McDonough School of Business, Georgetown University

Tom McCurdy

Professor of Finance and Bonham Chair in International Finance Rotman School of Business, University of Toronto

Papers authored exclusively by PhD students may be submitted using the standard submission procedure. Such papers should be marked "Student Paper" along with a comment requesting that the paper be considered for the PhD Session, which will be held on Friday afternoon, if they aren't selected for the regular program. Our PhD Session Chairs will select papers from this group, and assign discussants who will provide constructive criticism and ideas to enhance the papers during the PhD Session.

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We hope to see you in Mont-Tremblant next September!

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