ISCTE BUSINESS SCHOOL ANNUAL FINANCE CONFERENCE

COMMODITIES & ENERGY MARKETS

MAY 27tH 2011 INDEG/ISCTE-IUL ROOM 1.1

08:45 WELCOME

09:00 SPECULATION IN OIL MARKETS

DOES SPECULATION DESTABILIZE THE OIL MARKET? Ine Van Robays (U. Ghent)

SPECULATORS. PRICES AND MARKET VOLATILITY Jeffrey Harris (University of Delaware)

10:45 COMMODITIES & ENERGY MARKETS PRICE **DYNAMICS**

> **SEASONALITY AND THE VALUATION OF COMMODITY OPTIONS** Marcel Prokopczuk (ICMA Centre - Henley Business

NON-SYNCHRONICITY IN ENERGY PRICE CYCLES José G. Dias (ISCTE-Lisbon University Institute)

STORABLE COMMODITY PRICE DYNAMICS Craig Pirrong (Bauer College of Business, University of Houston)

14:00 INVESTING IN COMMODITIES AND ENERGY

SHOULD INVESTORS INCLUDE COMMODITIES IN THEIR PORTFOLIOS AFTER ALL? NEW EVIDENCE Charoula Daskalaki (University of Piraeus)

DOES "PAPER OIL" MATTER? ENERGY MARKETS' FINANCIALIZATION AND EQUITY-COMMODITY **CO-MOVEMENTS** Bahattin Buyuksahin (International Energy Agency)

RETURNS TO THE COMMODITY CARRY TRADE Alexander James (NorthWestern University)

16:30 FUNDAMENTALS OF COMMODITY FUTURES RETURNS

Keynote Address G.Rouwenhorst (Yale School of Management)

REGISTRATION **DEADLINE**

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