Thursday, April 14, 2016

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Welcome Dinner
Gerri C. LeBow Hall, 2nd Floor
Nance Dicciani, Founder & CEO, RTM Vital Signs, LLC

Friday, April 15, 2016

7:45 am – 8:30 am
Registration and Breakfast
Gerri C. LeBow Hall, 406

SESSION 1: DEBT CONTRACTING
Chair: Bob Parrino, University of Texas at Austin

8:30 am – 9:20 am
Debt Contracting on Management (Brian Akins, David De Angelis, and Maclean Gaulin)
Presenting Author: David De Angelis (Rice University)
Discussant: David Denis (University of Pittsburgh)

9:20 am – 10:10 am
Creditor Control Rights and Resource Allocation within Firms (Nuri Ersahin, Rustom Irani, and Hanh Le)
Presenting Author: Rustom Irani (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)
Discussant: Justin Murfin (Yale University)

10:10 am – 10:35 am
Coffee Break

SESSION 2: DEBT-LIKE COMPENSATION
Chair: Michael Weisbach, The Ohio State University

10:35 am – 11:25 am
Inside Debt and Corporate Investment (Joool Lee, Kevin Murphy, Peter Oh, and Marshall Vance)
Presenting Author: Kevin Murphy (University of Southern California)
Discussant: Michael Roberts (University of Pennsylvania)

11:25 am – 12:45 pm
SESSION 3: NEW IDEAS SESSION
Chair: Eli Fich, Drexel University

Presenter 1:
Andrey Golubov (University of Toronto)

Presenter 2:
Jun Yang (Indiana University)

Presenter 3:
Oguzhan Karakas (Boston College)

Presenter 4:
Mark Chen (Georgia State University)

Presenter 5:
Peter Cziraki (University of Toronto)

12:45 pm – 2:20 pm
AWARD LUNCHEON HONORING
Laura Starks (University of Texas)
Introduction by Stuart Gillan (University of Georgia)

2:20 pm – 3:10 pm
Influencing Control: Jawboning in Risk Arbitrage (Wei Jiang, Tao Li, and Danqing Mei)
Presenting Author: Tao Li (Warwick Business School)
Discussant: Laura Field (University of Delaware)

3:10 pm – 4:10 pm
Public versus Private Provision of Governance: The Case of Proxy Access (Tara Bhandari, Peter Iliev, and Jonathan Kalodimos)
Presenting Author: Peter Iliev (Pennsylvania State University)
Discussant: Nadya Malenko (Boston College)

4:10 pm – 4:15 pm
Concluding Comments
Ralph Walkling (Drexel University)

4:15 pm – 5:00 pm
Reception