

## 2<sup>ND</sup> ESSEC PRIVATE EQUITY CHAIR CONFERENCE

Essec Business School Paris, France

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### CALL FOR PAPERS

The ESSEC Private Equity Chair, with the support of the ESSEC Research Center, is inviting submission of papers to its 2nd annual conference. The conference is an opportunity to present state-of-the-art international research on major issues regarding, and related to, Private Equity and Venture Capital. Submission of relevant theoretical, empirical, and policy-oriented research is encouraged.

Submission of papers on broad Corporate Finance topics relevant to Private Equity is also welcome.

#### **Submission Deadline:**

To download the submission form, go to

[http://www.essec-private-equity.com/us/annual\\_conference/index.html](http://www.essec-private-equity.com/us/annual_conference/index.html)

The submission form AND a pdf copy of the paper must be sent to [olive@essec.fr](mailto:olive@essec.fr) before **December 1st, 2009**. The authors of selected papers will be informed in the last week of **February, 2010**.

#### **Scientific committee:**

Viral Acharya (Stern School of Business, New York University),

Ulf Axelson (Stockholm School of Economics and SIFR),

Catherine Casamatta (Université de Toulouse I),

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Michael Weisbach (Ohio State University),

Ayako Yasuda (The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania),

Sridhar Arcot (ESSEC Business School),

José-Miguel Gaspar (ESSEC Business School).

#### **Organization:**

The program, registration form and other conference information will be posted on the ESSEC Private Equity Chair website as they become available.

#### **Expenses:**

Capped travel (economy class round-trip) and accommodation expenses will be covered for academic speakers.

**About the ESSEC Private Equity Chair:**

Launched in 2007, the Chair aims at creating knowledge on topics relevant to Private Equity, and to disseminate this knowledge by training future industry professionals. The Chair benefits from the financial support of Barclays Private Equity, Grant-Thornton and Linklaters. For more information, visit [www.essec-private-equity.com](http://www.essec-private-equity.com).

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