



CALL FOR PAPERS

THE DEVELOPMENT OF SECURITIES MARKETS. TRENDS, RISKS AND POLICIES

February 27, 2015, Milan

CONSOB and Bocconi University, through its CAREFIN and "Paolo Baffi" research centers, are organizing a conference on securities markets aimed at attracting original and highly policy-relevant research, on the following issues:

- 1 financial innovation and systemic risk in securities markets;
- 2 market microstructure, trading strategies and market efficiency;
- 3 post-trading market infrastructures, derivatives clearing and financial stability;
- 4 securities markets as a source of capital;
- 5 corporate governance quality and the development of securities markets;

6 - investor protection and trust in securities markets (also in a behavioral finance perspective).

Interested authors should submit their paper to the e-mail **studi_analisi@consob.it** by November 16, 2014. Papers submitted in a preliminary version may also be considered, provided that the aim of the research, the methodological approach and the main results are clearly outlined.

Papers will be selected through a refereeing process managed by a scientific committee chaired by Massimo Guidolin (Bocconi University), Giovanni Siciliano (Consob) and Nadia Linciano (Consob) and composed by:

- Mario Anolli, Cattolica University
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Authors will be notified of the outcome of the selection by December 22, 2014. The final version of accepted papers must be received by January 18, 2015. The conference will be held on February 27, 2015 at Bocconi University in Milan. Steven Maijoor, Chair of the European Securities and Markets Authority, will give an introductory Keynote Speech. The final program will be published by the first week of February 2015 on CONSOB and Bocconi University web sites.

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