

# Research Student Conference 15-16 September 2005

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# **PROGRAMME**

## Thursday 15 September 2005

9:00 - 9:30 Registration and coffee Balcony room, 8th floor
9:30 - 9:45 Opening Address
Prof Bridget Hutter, Co-Director, CARR, LSE

Session 1

9.55 - 11:25 **1.1 Regulatory Science** 

Auditorium, 8th floor

Chair: Dr Henry Rothstein, CARR, LSE

- Adam Spencer (IGBiS) Nottingham
   Theorising the new politics of science
- Ingrid Geesink Cardiff University
  Regulatory science in the engineering of human tissue
- Ayo Wahlberg LSE
  The natural, the contaminated and the counterfeit

9.55 - 11:25 **1.2 Audit Society: 1** 

Old Gym, Ground floor

Chair: Prof Mike Power, CARR, LSE

- Yally Avrahampour Essex University
   "Who's afraid of market value?" Performance measurement and division of labour in UK pension fund accounting
- Thomas Carrington Stockholm University School of Business Auditing in the public interest? The market for bad apples
- Tobias Lindeberg Copenhagen Business School
   The circularity of quality: A new relationship between auditing and society?





#### 9.55 - 11:25 **1.3 EU Regulation**

Chair: Prof Bridget Hutter, CARR, LSE

Restaurant Annexe, Ground floor

#### • Paolo Dasgupta LSE

Regulatory Agency Independence in Practice: A Comparative Analysis of Selected Issues in Telecoms for France and the UK

## • Martijn Groenleer Leiden University Regulation through EU agencies

#### • Monica Garcia-Quesada LSE

The implementation of a European directive in England and Spain: the role of national policy networks

#### Session 2

## 11:30 - 13:00 2.1 Regulating Risk & Organisational Cultures

Auditorium, 8th floor

Chair: Dr Henry Rothstein, CARR, LSE

#### Julien Husson IFROSS

Managing risks in the hospital: form of response combined with performance injunctions and the social reinforcement of safety requirements?

- Jacob Kringen University of Oslo
   Regulating culture. HSE regulation in the Norwegian petroleum sector
- **Grégory Rolina** *Ecole des Mines de Paris / Université Paris-Dauphine* From human factors to organisation in the expertise of nuclear safety

#### 11:30 - 13:00

#### 2.2 Audit Society: 2

Old Gym, Ground floor

Chair: Prof Mike Power, CARR, LSE

#### Yasmine Chahed LSE

Management Accounting on the Regulatory Agenda - A comparison of strategic reporting in Germany and the United Kingdom

- Emer Curtis University of Manchester
  From Business Risk Audits to Audit Risk Standards
- **Jonathan Westrup** *Boston University*The Politics of Financial Regulatory Reform and the Privatisation of Risk

#### 11:30 - 13:00

#### 2.3 Regulating Corporate Practice

Chair: Prof Bridget Hutter, CARR, LSE

Restaurant Annexe, Ground floor

- Santhosh Abraham University of Exeter
  An empirical analysis of corporate risk disclosure practices
- Paul White Victoria University of Technology Comparative EFT Regulation
- Dan Assaf University of Toronto

Governing Critical Information Infrastructure Protection: Self-Regulation and Public-Private Partnership Revisited

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch break

Restaurant, Ground

floor

#### Session 3

14:00 - 15:30 **3.1 Risk and Precaution** 

Auditorium, 8th floor

Chair: Dr Henry Rothstein, CARR, LSE

- Kåre Nielsen Norwegian College of Fishery Science
   The Ghost of the TAC Machine: On the operationalisation of the precautionary approach in ICES' fisheries advice
- Maryam Al-Alami Manchester Metropolitan University Precautionary management strategies for GM foods
- Robert Fischer University of Göttingen
  Towards a precautionary risk policy in the EU? A policy analysis comparing
  the regulation of mad cow disease and transgenic plants

### 14:00 - 15:30 **3.2 Regulation & Developing countries**

Old Gym, Ground floor

Chair: Michael Spackman, NERA Economic Consulting/CARR

Qianlan Wu LSE

Regulation of the Chinese Market as an economy in transition

• Stefan Staschen LSE

Designing a Special Legal Framework for Deposit-Taking Microfinance Institutions in Uganda: Some Methodological Issues in Using Private Interest Theories

Yin Xiao LSE

Inclusiveness of Foreign Investors in Post-Approval Standard-Applying: A Mechanism Constituting Regulatory Competitiveness in Developing Countries

14:00 - 15:30 **3.3 Utility Regulation** 

Restaurant Annexe,

Chair: Dr Robert Kaye, CARR, LSE

Ground floor

 Cátia Felisberto Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne / College of Management of Technology

The effects of economic regulation on innovation in the postal sector

• Daniel Grote University of Bristol

The impact of regulation on market risk in the US telecommunication sector

• Elvin Evrim Ozcan Bilkent University

The Regulation of the Electricity Sector in Turkey: Recent Changes and Powers and Functions of the Energy Market Regulatory Authority

15:30 - 16:00 Tea Break

Balcony room, 8th floor

#### Session 4

16:00 - 17:30 **4.1 Learning from Risk Crises** 

Auditorium, 8th floor

Chair: Dr Henry Rothstein, CARR, LSE

- **Nell Munro** *University of Nottingham*What can policy makers learn from mental health homicide inquiries?
- Janine Arnott University of Manchester
  Researching vaccine 'health scares'. Ethical issues and dilemmas
- Madeleine Hayenhjelm Royal Institute of Technology
  The idea of risk communication

16:00 - 17:30 **4.2 Banking regulation** 

Old Gym, Ground floor

Chair: Prof Mike Power, CARR, LSE

- Sven Kette University of Bielefeld
   Perspectives on a cognitive turn in banking supervision
- Matthias Kussin University of Bielefeld
   Limits of statistical calculus for risk management in organisational contexts
- Heather McKeen-Edwards McMaster University
   The Private Governance Dimension to Banking Regulation: Discourses of Risk and the Composition of the Basel II Capital Adequacy Accord

16:00 - 17:30 **4.3 Regulatory Strategies** 

Restaurant Annexe,

Chair: Dr Robert Kaye, CARR, LSE

Ground floor

Tola Amodu LSE

Resolving land-use planning dilemmas by agreement: a story of regulatory transformation?

- Lukasz Boberek Warsaw School of Economics Better Regulation Process
- **Hugh Benevides** Osgoode Hall Law School, York University The role of the "ban" in Canadian toxic substance regulation

18:00 - 19:00 **KEYNOTE SPEECH** 

Auditorium, 8th floor

Bill Callaghan, Chair, Health & Safety Commission Chair: Prof Bridget Hutter, CARR, LSE

19:00 - 20:00 Reception Bar, Ground floor



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## Friday 16 September 2005

9.45 - 10:15 Coffee

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Session 5

10:15 - 11:15 **5.1 Environmental Risk Regulation: 1** Chair: Dr Javier Lezaun, CARR, LSE

Auditorium, 8th floor

- Anders Blok Danish Environmental Research Institute Risk regulation of pesticides in Denmark
- Piotr Stankiewicz Nicolaus Copernicus University, Institute of Sociology Poland at risk? The problem of GMO in the new EU-members
- 10:15 11:15 **5.2** Organising risk management: 1 Chair: Dr Henry Rothstein, CARR, LSE

Old Gym, Ground floor

- Eliza Squerzanti University of Bielefeld/Institute for Science and Technologies Studies
   Waste regulation in Italy and Germany. A responsibility dilemma
- Holger Rosencrantz Royal Institute of Technology Road safety - an irrational goal?
- 10:15 11:15 **5.3 Regulation and Society: 1** Chair: Colin Scott, CARR, LSE

Restaurant Annexe, Ground floor

- Anneliese Dodds LSE
  Regulating presence: policies towards foreign students' visas in Britain and
  France
- Susan Gratton University of Toronto
  Risk and Welfare: Managing Uncertainty in the Allocation of Welfare
  Benefits





Session 6
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11.30 - 12.30

6.1 Environmental Risk Regulation: 2 Auditorium, 8th floor Chair: Dr Javier Lezaun, CARR, LSE **David Buffin** City University Key Drivers for Alternatives to Pesticides • Giovanni Prete Sciences Po Paris Managing Invasive Pests: a sociological perspective on the collective management settings of plant health risks 11.30 - 12.30 6.2 Organising Risk Management: 2 Old Gym, Ground floor Chair: Dr Will Jennings, CARR, LSE Mathilde Gralepois University of Marne-la-Vallée/ENPC Local risk management Rita Samiolo LSE "Local" numbers against the rules of the single market. The case of Venice against the European Commission. 11.30 - 12.30 6.3 Regulation and Society: 2 Restaurant Annexe, Chair: Colin Scott Ground floor Samantha Evans Imperial College Interpretation and Legitimacy in Charity Regulation **Jeff Zitron** Cranfield School of Management Competition and regulation in UK social housing 12.30 - 14:00 Lunch break Restaurant, Ground floor 14:00 - 15:30 **MASTERCLASSES** State Regulation Auditorium, 8th floor Colin Scott, CARR, LSE Old Gym, Ground floor Non-State Governance Dr Julia Black, CARR, LSE Regulation of Environmental & Health Risks Balcony room, 8th floor Dr Henry Rothstein & Dr Javier Lezaun, CARR, LSE **Accounting and Audit** Restaurant Annexe, Prof Peter Miller, CARR, LSE Ground floor 15:30 - 16:00 Tea Break Balcony room, 8th floor 16:00 - 17:30 PLENARY: Getting Published Auditorium, 8th floor Dr Julia Black, Prof Peter Miller and Prof Ed Page 17:30 Thanks and Close Auditorium, 8th floor