



Journal of Accounting and Public Policy Conference

London School of Economics 28/29 May 2015

New Academic Building, Room: NAB LG.03

Thursday 28 May

18.00-19.45 Welcome Reception on the Eighth floor of the New Academic Building, 54 Lincoln's Inn Fields

Friday 29 May

08.45 Arrival, registration and refreshments (room NAB LG.03)

09.20 Welcome: Alnoor Bhimani, London School of Economics and Political Science
Lawrence A. Gordon, Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Accounting and Public Policy
Martin P. Loeb, Editor, Journal of Accounting and Public Policy

09.30 *Internal lobbying at the IASB*
Julia Morley, London School of Economics and Political Science

10.30 *The Politics of Internal Control Regulation: A Cross-Country Comparison*
Amanda Wilford, Southern Utah University

11.30 Distinguished JAPP Conference Speaker: *'Reflections on Accounting Regulation and Politics'*
David Cairns (past Secretary-General of the International Accounting Standards Committee)

12.15 **Lunch: NAB, Lower Ground Floor**
Luncheon Speaker: Sir John Bourn (13.20, NAB LG.03)
(past UK Comptroller and Auditor General/Head of the UK National Audit Office)

14.00 *Why Hedge? Extent, Nature, and Determinants of Derivative Usage in US Municipalities*
Saleha Khumawala, University of Houston
Tharindra Ranasinghe, Singapore Management University
Claire Yan, University of Arkansas

15.00 *Price-Regulation and Accounting Choice*
Jochen Pierk, Humboldt University
Matthias Weil, Kurfurstendamm

16.00 **Tea/Coffee**

16.30 Plenary JAPP Conference Speaker: *Better Financial Reporting: Meanings and Means*
Shyam Sunder, Yale University

17.30 2016 Conference Announcement
Salvador Carmona, IE Business School

17.45 Concluding Remarks

18.00-19.45 Light dinner and drinks (location tbc)