

NATIONAL BUREAU OF ECONOMIC RESEARCH

Entrepreneurship Working Group Meeting

Josh Lerner, Organizer

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NBER

1050 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14:

6:30 PM Group Dinner
Davios at the Royal Sonesta Hotel
5 Cambridge Parkway
Cambridge, MA

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15:

8:30 AM Continental Breakfast

8:45 AM Ideas and Entrepreneurship

THOMAS HELLMANN, University of British Columbia
Circulation of Ideas: Firms versus Markets
(Joint with ENRICO PEROTTI)

Discussant: SCOTT STERN, Northwestern University and NBER

MARIE THURSDAY, Georgia Institute of Technology and NBER
*Shirking, Sharing Risk, and Shelving:
The Role of University License Contracts*
(Joint with JERRY THURSBY and EMMANUEL DECHENAUX)

Discussant: FIONA MURRAY, MIT

10:45 AM Break

11:00 AM Corruption and Entrepreneurship

RAFAEL DI TELLA, Harvard University
Why Doesn't Capitalism Flow to Poor Countries?
(Joint with ROBERT MACCULLOCH)

Discussant: NITTAI BERGMAN, MIT

12:00 N Lunch

12:45 PM Stock Market Bubbles and Their Impact

JOHN GRAHAM, Duke University
*Corporate Survival and Managerial Experiences During
the Great Depression*
(Joint with KRISHNA NARASIMHAN)

Discussant: YAEL HOCHBERG, Cornell University

LUBOS PASTOR, University of Chicago and NBER
Was there a Nasdaq bubble in the late 1990s?
(Joint with PIETRO VERONESI)

Discussant: JOHN CAMPBELL, Harvard University and NBER

2:45 PM Break

3:00 PM Panel Discussion:
The NASDAQ Bubble and Its Implications: What Don't We Understand

TIM BRESHNAHAN, Stanford University and NBER
WILLIAM JANEWAY, Warburg Pincus
LUIGI ZINGALES, University of Chicago and NBER

4:00 PM Adjourn

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