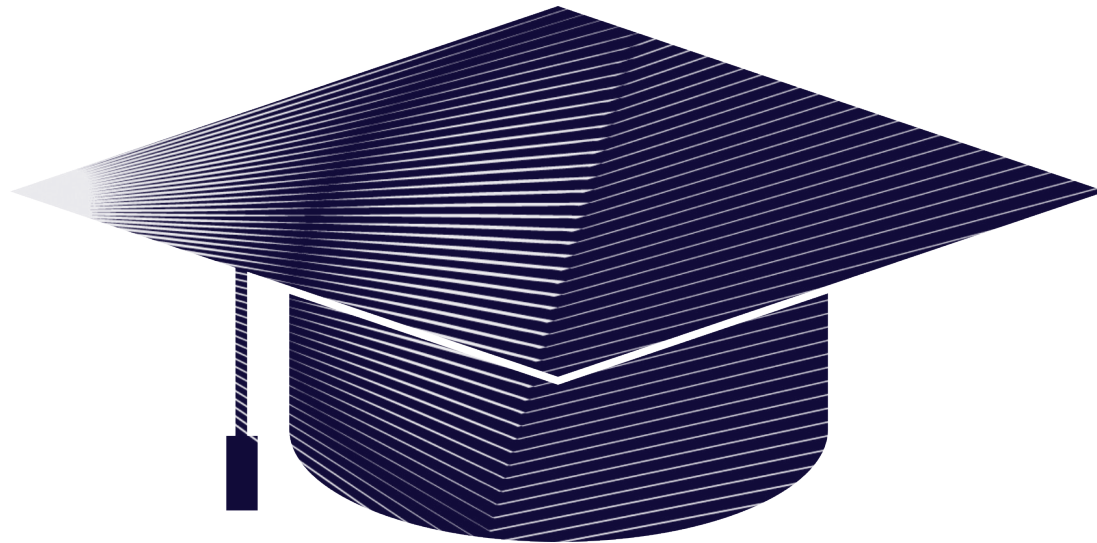


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Academic Events



# Martin Wolf

Time: 18.00

Date: 14/01/2015

Location: Winston Gustave LT

Martin Wolf is currently the Associate Editor and Chief Economics Commentator at the Financial Times. Martin Wolf's authority on European and global economies is evident in his work on the subject of economic relationships underlying complex financial systems, and what lies ahead for Europe, the US and the rest of the world. Among several awards, he has won 'Commentator of the Year' at the Business Journalist of the Year Awards in 2008, and the Ludwig Erhard Prize for economic commentary in 2009.

Wolf obtained Doctor of Science (Economics) of London School of Economics in 2006. More recently, he was a member of the UK government's Independent Commission on Banking from 2010-2011.

He is also the author of several books and numerous articles, including "The Shifts and The Shocks: What We've Learned — and Have Still to Learn — from the Financial Crisis" (September 2014) as well as "Why Globalization Works and Fixing Global Finance: How to Curb Financial Crises in the 21st Century".



# Stephen King

Time: 18.00

Date: 29/01/2015

Location: Wilkins Gustav Tuck Lecture Theatre

Stephen King is currently Group Chief Economist for HSBC and the bank's Global Head of Economics and asset allocation research. Since 2001, Stephen has been writing a weekly column for "The Independent", one of the UK's leading newspapers. In 2007, he became a member of the European Central Bank Shadow Council, and most recently became a member of the Financial Times Economists Forum.

Stephen King has written books on a variety of contemporary subjects of economics and finance today; "Losing Control: The Emerging Threats to Western Prosperity" (2011) and "Money Runs Out: The End of Western Affluence" (2013). King makes a plainspoken assessment of where the West stands today, and assesses the future of Western economies.



Diego De  
Giorgi

Time: 18.00

Date: 03/3/2015

Location: Bentham Denys Holland LT

Diego De Giorgi is currently Bank of America Merrill Lynch's co-head of Corporate and Investment banking for Europe, Middle East and Africa. Prior to joining Bank of America Merrill Lynch he worked for Goldman Sachs for 18 years, acquiring the position of partner and chief operating officer of the Investment Banking Division. Formerly he was co-head of the European Financial Institutions Group, this position involved him covering many large European clients, particularly Continental European banks, corporates and governments. De Giorgi had also previously been co-head of European Equity Capital Markets, having worked his way up the firm from joining in 1994 as an analyst. Prior to this, he worked as an analyst for Mergers & Acquisitions at Wasserstein Perella.

His education includes a BA from Universita Bocconi, Milan, in 1992, as well as a CEMS Master from the London School of Economics in 1992.



Jean  
Tirole

Time: 13.30

Date: 25/02/2015

Location: Christopher Ingold Auditorium

Jean Tirole recently won the Nobel Memorial Prize in Economic Sciences for his analysis of market power and regulation. He is currently chairman of the board of the Jean-Jacques Laffont Foundation at the Toulouse School of Economics, and scientific director of the Industrial Economics Institute (IDEI) in Toulouse. Throughout his career he has been a professor of various institutions, including MIT, École Polytechnique and École des hautes études en sciences sociales. Also, he was president of the Econometric Society in 1998 and of the European Economic Association in 2001.

His education included engineering degrees at both École Polytechnique in 1976, and at École nationale des ponts et chaussées in 1978. At Paris Dauphine, Tirole received both a DEA in 1976 and a Doctorat de troisième cycle in decision mathematics in 1978. He then went on to obtain a Ph.D. degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in "Essays on Economic Theory".





George  
Buckley

Time: TBC  
Date: TBC  
Location: TBC

George Buckley has been the Chief UK Economist at Deutsche Bank since 2005. He has 14 years experience as an analyst at Deutsche Bank, having joined in 1998 after completing his PhD in the area of the housing and mortgage markets at the University of Bristol. During his studies in Bristol, Mr Buckley lectured and taught undergraduate tutorials in macroeconomics.

Buckley holds an MSc in Economics and Finance, also from the University of Bristol, and a BA in Economics from the University of Wales, Bangor.

George has recently published his book "What You Need to Know About Economics" in 2001 and previously won the Society of Business Economists' annual Rybczynski Prize.