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# Symposium on Financial Crisis Management & Bank Resolution

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The current financial crisis originated as a result of the US sub-prime mortgage market and has exposed both the banking industry and financial system safety net players (central banks and regulators) in many countries to considerable level of distress and economic and reputational damage. The research into bank distress generally highlights several key factors for their problems: mismanagement and illiquidity or deterioration of capital. As a consequence, questions of a legal and political nature arise if an ill thought out bank resolution system is in place prior to a financial crisis hitting, with the respective stakeholders namely, shareholders, management, creditors, central banks, deposit insurance agencies, regulators and governments clambering to protect their interests causing untold costs and reputational damage to the banking system.

These circumstances have heightened the need for policymakers to consider corrective policy options under the broad umbrella of bank resolution and restructuring techniques. The issue of bank resolution is at the forefront of current proposals in a number of countries to deal with the problems recently faced, just to mention a few (1) the bail-outs of Northern Rock plc., Bear & Sterns, Bradford & Bingley, AIG, Hypo Real Estate Bank, Roskilde, RBS; (2) the mergers of Bank of America-MLPF&S and Lloyd's-HBOS; and the collapse of Lehman and several SIVs. Notwithstanding this, the US financial crisis has brought to the fore the need for a possible new special resolution regime for financial conglomerates so authorities can effectively deal with investment banks for instance that may experience financial distress.

This Symposium will provide a new and important contribution to research in this area, at a crucial time in the debate around banking resolution and crisis management regimes. This scholarship will go some way to plug the gap in our knowledge and understanding of the law of bank resolution and restructuring, through the production of an innovative, international and interdisciplinary collection of work which links both the law and policy surrounding crisis management, and bank resolution and restructuring.

Please find the program on the next page. The Symposium sessions will take place in the Lecture Theatre at the Ramphal Building on Library Road (no. 47 on the campus map).

	SYMPOSIUM PROGRAMME
9.30	Registration
10.00	Welcome
	Head of School of Law:
	Prof. Julio Faundez
10.15	Opening Remarks
	Dr. Dalvinder Singh & John Raymond LaBrosse
Session	The International Financial Crisis in its Legal & Economic Context
I	Chair: Bryan P. Davies
10.30- 11.10	Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation
	Keynote Address
	Prof. Philip Wood
	Senior Global Counsel,
	Allen & Overy; Visiting Professor University of Oxford
	Financial Crisis: Predictions for the Future of Finance Law and Lawyers
	Prof. George G. Kaufman
	Loyola University, Chicago
	The Financial Crisis of 2007-08: Causes, Culprits and Consequences
11.10- 11.30	Coffee Break
Session	The Official Safety Net Players
II	What would a more coherent Crisis Management Mandate look like?
11.30-	Chair: Karen Gibbons
12.10	Financial Services Compensation Scheme
	Prof. Geoffrey Wood
	Cass Business School, City University London
	Towards a Coherent Crisis Resolution Mandate
	Prof. Marcus Miller

	University of Warwick and Bank of England
	Leverage and Asset Bubbles: Averting Armageddon with Chapter 11?
12.10- 1.30	Lunch
Session	Overt or Covert Emergency Support
III	Chair: Larry D. Wall
1.30- 2.10	Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta
	Simon Gleeson
	Clifford Chance LLP
	Liquidity, Credit or Markets - What Should Government Financial Support Support?
	Colin Bamford
	Barrister, 3-4 South Square, Gray's Inn, UK
	Transparency and the End of Doing Good by Stealth
Session	The Deposit Insurance System
IV	Chair: Sibel Beadle
	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development
	Keynote Address
	Jean Pierre Sabourin
	Malaysia Deposit Insurance Corporation
	Rethinking the Role of Deposit Insurance: Lessons from the Recent Financial Crisis
2.10 –	Dalvinder Singh & David K. Walker
3.30	University of Warwick;
	Chair of the International Association of Deposit Insurers Guidance Group & Director, Policy and International Affairs,
	Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation
	European Guarantee Arrangements: Lessons Learned

	Ganiyu A. Ogunleye
	Nigeria Deposit Insurance Corporation
	Lessons Learned from the Financial Crisis for Developing Deposit Insurance Systems
	Speaker: David S. Hoelscher
	International Monetary Fund
	Title of Paper: tbc
3.30-	Coffee Break
4.00	Correc Droug.
4.00- 5.00	Q&A Session
	End of Day One
5.00 pm	End of Day One
7.00 pm	
	Dinner
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## **DAY TWO**

	17 <sup>th</sup> April 2009
	Day Two
9.00	Keynote Address
	Malcolm D. Knight, Vice Chairman of Deutsche Bank Group and Visiting Professor in Finance, London School of Economics and Political Science Too Big to Fail too Complex to Fail: What Policy Concerns and Issues do they Individually Give Rise to
Session	Financial Services Regulation: Scope and Intervention
V	Chair: <b>Richard Button</b>
9.30- 10.10	Bank of England
	Prof. John McEldowney
	University of Warwick
	Defining the Public Interest: Public Law Perspectives on Regulating the Financial Crisis
	Prof. Patrick McAuslan
	Birbeck College
	Whose Mortgage is it Anyway? Producers, Consumers and the Law in the UK Mortgage Market
10.10— 10.30	Coffee Break
Session	EU and International Initiatives on Bank Insolvency
VI	Chair: <b>Prof. Dr. Harald A. Benink</b>
10.30- 11.30	Tilburg University
11.30	Dr. Eva Hupkes
	Head of Regulation of the Swiss Federal Banking Commission
	Resolving Crises in Global Financial Institutions: the Functional Approach Revisited

	Maike Luedersen
	International Monetary Fund
	Legal, Institutional, and Regulatory Framework for Bank Insolvency: Key
	Issues
	Guillian G. H. García, Prof. Rosa M. Lastra and María J. Nieto
	International Monetary Fund
	Queen Mary University of London
	Banco de España
	Bankruptcy and Reorganization Procedures for Cross-border Banks in the
	EU: Towards an Integrated Approach to the Reform of the EU Safety Net
Session	Creditors Rights:
VII	How should the rights of different types of creditors' be best managed?
11.30—	Chair: <b>Lai Wai Keen</b>
12.30	General Manager Policy and International, Malaysia Deposit Insurance
	Corporation
	Andrew Campbell
	University of Leeds
	Protecting Creditors of Insolvent Banks
	Prof. Peter Cartwright
	University of Nottingham
	Deposit Insurance and Consumer Policy: Practical and Theoretical
	Considerations
	Dr. Dalvinder Singh
	University of Warwick
	The FSA Risk Based Model & Heightened Supervision
12.30—	
1.30	Lunch
Session	Bank Restructuring:
VIII	The techniques to restructure a bank in trouble.
1.30—	Is a single financial services resolution regime a viable option?
2.30	Chair: <b>Dr. Jorge Guira</b>
	University of Warwick
	Prof. Robert Bliss
	Wake Forest University, USA

	The Limits of Bankruptcy: The Problem of Large, Complex, Multinational Financial Institutions
	Prof. Rosa M. Lastra and Dr. Rodrigo Olivares-Caminal Queen Mary University of London University of Warwick Cross Border Insolvency: The Case of Financial Conglomerates
	Dr. Ioannis Kokkoris Office of Fair Trading, UK, The Lessening of Competition Law Policy upon Financial Crises. The Case of Mergers
2.30— 3.00	Coffee
Session IX 3.00— 3.40	Special Resolution Regimes: Bridge Bank: What has been the experience of using bridge banks? Is it the magic solution? Chair: John Whitehead, Deloitte
	David G Mayes  Europe Institute, University of Auckland  Keeping Vital Functions Operating: the Role of Bridge Banks and Related  Resolution Techniques
	John Raymond LaBrosse  Patterson & LaBrosse Financial Consultants, Canada  Policy Issues Concerning Bridge Banks
3.40— 4.40 Session X	Individual Case Studies: Domestic and International Experience: Chair: Javier Ruz-Cerezo University of Warwick
A	<b>Dr. Jorge M. Guira</b> University of Warwick  Reflections on Hedge funds Dimension of Crisis
	Dr Lorraine Talbot University of Warwick Keeping Bad Company: Building Societies a Case Study
	<b>Masahiro Kawai</b> Asian Development Bank Institute



	Lessons from Japan's Banking Crisis, 1991-2004
<b>4.40- 5.30</b>	Q&A Session
	Closing Remarks

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## Registration

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Corporate Fee: £350

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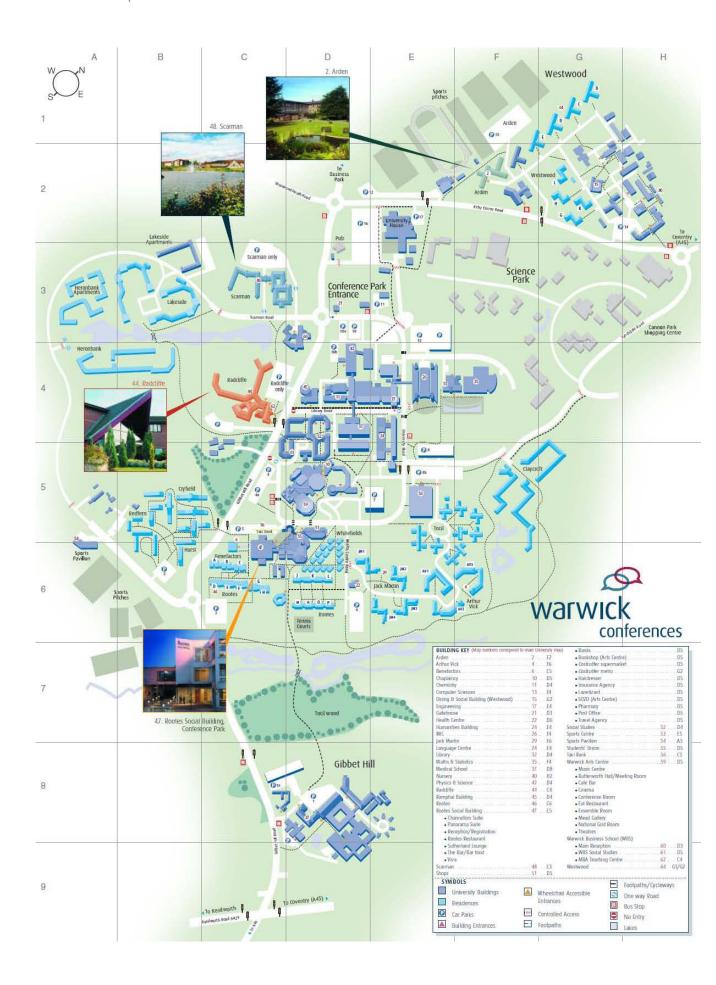
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Please contact Margaret Parker for more details: m.k.parker@warwick.ac.uk







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Please send completed booking form as soon as possible.

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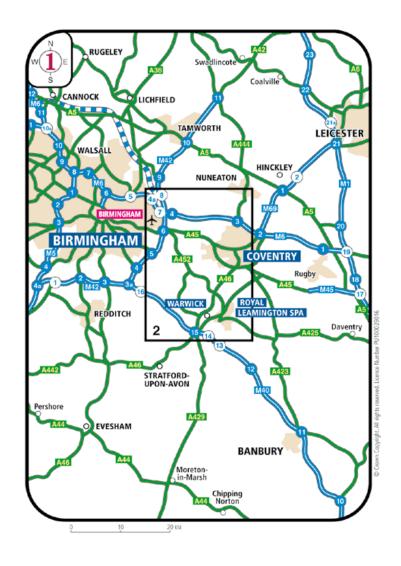
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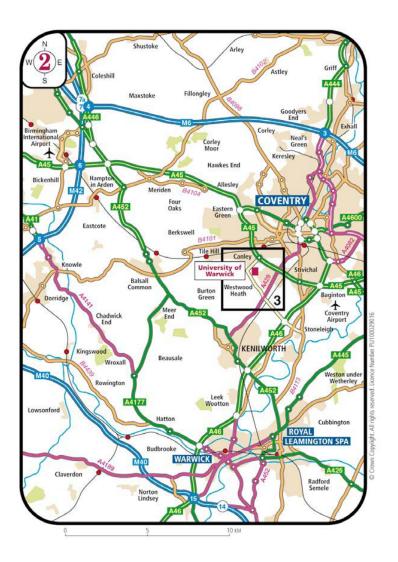
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- After approx 3.5 miles you will reach Tollbar End roundabout (junction with A45). At the roundabout, follow signs for A45 Birmingham.
- After approx 3 miles you will cross the A429 (Kenilworth Road). Half a mile after this junction take the left-hand turn signposted 'University of Warwick' (Fire Station on left, Police Station on right). Follow signs for University of Warwick (and Warwick Arts Centre) across two roundabouts. You are now approaching The University of Warwick from Kirby Corner Road.

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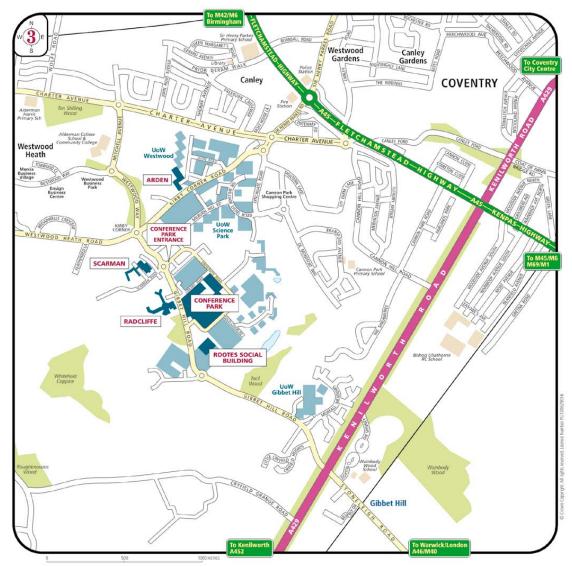
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