



## CALL FOR PAPERS

### **9th European Workshop on Corporate Governance and Investment**

7 – 8 November 2008 CGFT, Sabancı  
University, Istanbul

This is a **call for papers** for the 9th European Workshop on Corporate Governance and Investment which will be hosted by the CGFT (Corporate Governance Forum of Turkey) at the Sabancı University.

The workshop is an initiative of a group of researchers to meet regularly in a workshop format, where participants from different countries present papers in an advanced stage. The first meeting of the group took place at Cambridge University (UK) in 1998 and was initiated by Prof. Dennis Mueller and Prof. Alan Hughes. Since then several meetings have been organized. The workshop in Istanbul will be the 9th since the start. Other meetings of the group have taken place in Aarhus (1999), Berlin (2000), Cambridge (2001), Vienna (2001), Palma de Mallorca (2005), Jönköping (2006) and Cambridge (2007).

The theme of the workshop is Corporate Governance and Investment in a broad sense. Topics can range from corporate governance structures at the firm or country level to the determinants and effects of these structures including (but not limited to) the following topics: investment, mergers and acquisitions, financing decisions, the role of families and other types of owners such as institutions, banks, business groups, board structures, etc. While a slight preference will be given to papers which focus on corporate governance issues in emerging markets and

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specifically to papers that focus on Turkey, we will do our best to accommodate all types of good quality papers on corporate governance. Each accepted paper for presentation is assigned to a discussant to promote scientific discussions and comments about the research focus, methodology, and results.

One aim of the CGFT to host this workshop is the lively interaction of locally based researchers with the group to initiate joint research projects. Abstracts should be sent to Melsa Ararat ([melsaararat@sabanciuniv.edu](mailto:melsaararat@sabanciuniv.edu)) at Sabanci University, Faculty of Management by e mail.

**Dates:** The workshop is organized in a two day session starting at 14.00 pm on Friday, the 7th of November and finish at 17.30 on Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> of November.

**Submission Dead Line:** 29<sup>th</sup> June 2008

**Submission of Full Papers:** 1<sup>st</sup> September 2008

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