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# **Perspectives on Ethical Finance and Investment**

19 May 2017 (Friday) 0900-1800 Edinburgh Napier University (Craiglockhart Campus)

We are delighted to invite you to the ICMGR's academic/public engagement event. This event will present talks and a dialogue on ethical finance and investment that will bridge diverse perspectives to enrich our knowledge on this subject. In the age of worsening corruption and widening gap between rich and poor, how would we drive ethical finance and investment to address this grave concern? The speakers will share their perspectives on this question while exercising their rights to freedom of thought, conscience, religion and expression in accordance with the European Convention on Human Rights.

#### Agenda and speakers:

0900-0915	Coffee and welcome
0915-0930	Opening remarks
0930-1030	Ethics and Finance (Prof Ibrahim Warde, Tufts University, United States)
1030-1130	Islamic Finance (Dr Nazam Dzolkarnaini, University of Salford, United Kingdom)
1130-1230	A Christian Approach to Finance (Revd Jock Stein, The Church of Scotland)
1230-1330	Lunch break with refreshments
1330-1430	Financial Regulation and Trumpism (Prof Ibrahim Warde, Tufts University, United States)
1430-1530	Positive Money (Mr Richard Taylor, Edinburgh Positive Money)
1530-1600	Coffee break
1600-1700	The Role of Professional Bodies (Mr David Stevens, Institute of Chartered Accountants in
	England and Wales)
1700-1800	Dialogue session

Everyone is welcome to join us. Please book your seat here:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/perspectives-on-ethical-finance-and-investment-tickets-34243287595

For more information, please contact: Dr Marizah Minhat, m.minhat@napier.ac.uk We look forward to seeing you on 19 May 2017!



# Speaker details

### Professor Ibrahim Warde, Tufts University, United States

Ibrahim is Adjunct Professor of International Business. He is Carnegie scholar working on informal and underground finance in the Islamic world. His books include The Price of Fear: The Truth Behind the Financial War on Terror, which has been translated into French, Italian, Japanese, and Czech, and was selected by Foreign Affairs as one of the best books of the year about economic, social, and environmental issues, and Islamic Finance in the Global Economy, now in its second edition. He has previously taught at the University of California, Berkeley, at MIT's Sloan School of Management, and at other universities in the United States and abroad. He is also a writer for Le Monde diplomatique and a consultant. He holds a B.A. from Université Saint Joseph in Beirut, Lebanon, an M.B.A. from France's Ecole des Hautes Etudes Commerciales, and an M.A. and a PhD in Political Science from the University of California, Berkeley.

### Dr Nazam Dzolkarnaini, University of Salford, United Kingdom

Nazam is a Lecturer in Accounting and Finance, and the Programme Leader for Masters programmes in International Corporate Finance and Islamic Banking and Finance at the University of Salford. He is also a Visiting Scholar in Islamic Economics and Finance at the Al-Maktoum College of Higher Education, Dundee. He is a Fellow of Higher Education Academy and a member of Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand and CFP Board of Standard Inc, USA. His research on corporate finance and Islamic finance were published in Economics Letters, Applied Economics and Business Ethics: A European Review among others. He has co-authored a book chapter on Islamic Finance for Financial Management Theory and Practice EMEA edition (published by Cengage Learning). He sits on the Editorial Board of the European Journal of Islamic Finance, and International Journal of Excellence in Islamic Banking and Finance, and on the International Advisory Board of Asian Journal of Accounting Perspectives. He holds a PhD and an MSc in Finance from the University of Stirling.

#### Revd Jock Stein, The Church of Scotland

Jock worked in the steel industry after reading economics at Cambridge, and chairs or helps to run a number of Charities. He also has a degree in theology from Edinburgh University, and spent part of his working life in charge of Carberry Tower when it was a conference and retreat centre. In retirement he spends much of his time writing poetry and managing a not for profit Publishing House, believing (with the Czech economist Tomas Sedlacek) that poets often explain what is happening in the world better than economists.

#### Mr Richard Taylor, Edinburgh Positive Money

Richard is the technical director of an Edinburgh software company. After failing to find a convincing explanation of the 2007/2008 crash he started researching our financial system. He eventually happened upon Positive Money, who offers the best explanation of the issues with our monetary system. Since 2014 he has been coordinating the Edinburgh Positive Money group and trying to make a small contribution to the process of getting our money system and its impacts understood more widely.

#### Mr David Stevens ACA, Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW)

David is responsible for ICAEW ethics policy and guidance, as well as its work on economic crime. He manages ICAEW's Anti Money Laundering Committee and the CCAB Anti Money Laundering Working Party, making representations to the UK government on economic crime matters, as well as producing guidance and thought leadership in this area. He also manages the ICAEW Ethics Standards Committee and CCAB Ethics Group, making technical responses to IESBA on changes to the Code of Ethics. With a background in financial training he lectures on the subjects of law and ethics both in the UK and internationally. He trained with a Big4 firm and is a Director/Trustee of the UK Fraud Advisory Panel. He represents the UK profession on the Accountancy Europe Anti Money Laundering and Professional Ethics Working Parties.

## How to get there



Our Craiglockhart campus is well-served by public transport to and from the centre of the city. In addition, there are numerous cycle paths in the area and bike storage facilities on site.

#### By bus

Several Lothian Buses services from the city centre stop close to the campus:

- Services 23 stops within the campus itself at bus stop "Napier Craiglockhart Campus".
- Services 4, 10, 27 and 45 stop on nearby Colinton Road at bus stop "Craiglockhart Campus"

Edinburgh boasts a very efficient network of environmentally friendly buses that will take you all across the city and out to the suburbs. While there is no direct bus service from Edinburgh Airport to the campus, you can easily take Service 100 from the airport (Stance D) to Haymarket Station, walk one minute to Dalry Place, and take Service 4 to "Craiglockhart Campus".

#### By train

Slateford station is just under a mile from the campus, while Edinburgh Waverley and Haymarket stations are situated in the city centre. From Edinburgh Waverley, take a Lothian Buses 4 or 10 from Princes Street or a 45 from North Bridge; from Haymarket, take a Lothian Buses 4 from Dalry Road. Timetables and further information on rail services can be found through National Rail Enquiries.

#### By car

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