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Annual Meeting 2010

featuring a talk by EUGENE FAMA



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School of Business students at the University of Chicago discuss a problem.



1963

James H. Lorie (left), professor in the University of Chicago's Graduate School of Business, and associate professor Lawrence Fisher (right), check the final results of a study of investments in common stocks and rates of return on the New York Stock Exchange.

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History of Finance at the University of Chicago

by EUGENE FAMA

Wednesday, May 12, 2010

5:45 PM Lecture

Please return reservations no later than Thursday, May 6, 2010.

6:45 PM Reception

7:15 PM Dinner

Free valet parking will be available in front of the Quadrangle Club from 5:15–8:30 PM.

The Quadrangle Club

1155 East 57th Street

Chicago, Illinois

For further details or assistance, please call Barbara Palmer-Bostick at 773.702.7695.

Robert R. McCormick Distinguished Service Professor of Finance, University of Chicago Booth School of Business

EUGENE F. FAMA IS WIDELY RECOGNIZED AS the “father of modern finance.” Fama’s financial research is well known in both the economics and investment communities. He is strongly identified with research on markets, particularly with regard to the efficient market hypothesis. Through his research he has brought an empirical and scientific rigor to the field of investment management, transforming the way finance is viewed and conducted.



He is a prolific author and researcher, having written two books and published more than 100 articles in academic journals. Fama is among the most cited of America’s researchers. He focuses much of his study on the relationship between risk and return and implications for portfolio management.

Fama has received numerous awards and honors. He was the 2007 recipient of the Fred Arditti Innovation Award given by the Chicago Mercantile Exchange (CME) Center for Innovation. In announcing the year’s award, Myron S. Scholes, Nobel Prize-winning economist and chair of CME’s Competitive Markets Advisory Council said, “Eugene Fama has had pathbreaking insights into the functioning of markets, asset pricing theory, and corporate finance that have benefited market participants worldwide. He has written extensively on the efficiency of markets, setting the backdrop for the transfer of risks through futures contracts such as those traded on the CME. His innovative research has resulted in his participation in the development of many new finance products and in the development of new futures contracts for hedging risks.”

- I/We will attend the dinner on Wednesday, May 12, 2010.
Please reserve _____ place(s) at \$55 per person.
- I/We will attend the lecture only.
- I/We understand the dinners are underwritten by the Library Society and would like to make an additional donation.

MEMBER NAME(S)

GUEST NAME(S)

GUEST ADDRESS

- I/We cannot attend the event, but enclosed is a contribution to the University of Chicago Library Society.

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