

# Call for Papers and Participation

## 2017 Conference on Derivatives and Volatility 9-10 November 2017 | Chicago, IL

*Co-Hosted by Chicago Board Options Exchange (CBOE) & Financial Management Association International (FMA)*

FMA International is pleased to announce the 2017 Conference on Derivatives and Volatility on Thursday, 9 November and Friday, 10 November 2017, at the Chicago Board Options Exchange in the heart of downtown Chicago, IL.

The conference is smaller and more focused than the FMA's traditional meetings and will include derivative and volatility focused papers as well as panel sessions on industry trends.

We seek high-quality papers from scholars and practitioners in the fields of finance that:

- Focus on derivatives and volatility
- Advance the frontiers of academic research and inform practice
- Address issues that are relevant to contemporary issues and industry trends
- Introduce new hypotheses that have the potential to stimulate additional research

### Program Co-Chairs

Bryan Kelly, Associate Professor of Finance and Richard N. Rosett Faculty Fellow  
Booth School of Business, University of Chicago  
Russell Rhoads, Director of Education, CBOE Options Institute, Chicago Board Options Exchange

### Deadlines

- Papers Submissions & Panel Discussion Proposals: 12 May 2017
- Program Committee Application: 5 May 2017

**Submission Fee: US \$25 FMA members/ US \$35 non-members**

[Click HERE to complete the online Submission Form](#)

### Paper Acceptance Guidelines

Acceptance letters for the 2017 Conference on Derivatives and Volatility will be sent (electronically) to each paper's presenting author in July 2017. The presenting author will be required to register within one (1) week to confirm his/her attendance. The conference registration fee will be waived for the paper's presenter.

### Best Paper Award

Papers accepted for presentation will be eligible for a \$1000 Best Paper award. The award winning paper will be determined after the conclusion of the Conference. The best paper will be selected based on the quality of the research, the presentation at the conference, and its focus on one of the proprietary indexes calculated and disseminated by CBOE.



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