



Nonbanks in the Payments System: Innovation, Competition, and Risk

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The conference was held at the La Fonda Hotel, May 2-4, 2007, in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Papers, remarks, handouts, and a listing of conference attendees are available below for viewing.

Nonbanks are becoming increasingly prominent in payments systems around the world. What are the implications of this heightened presence for innovation, competition, and risk? This international conference brought together three principal audiences - industry participants, academics, and public authorities - for an exchange of views and thoughts. The following issues were addressed:

- What activities do banks and nonbanks perform in payments?
- How has rising nonbank participation affected product innovation and market competition in the payments industry?
- Do banks and nonbanks compete on a level playing field?
- Is the current supervisory framework over bank and nonbank payment service providers adequate to control risk?
- What role should public authorities play in overseeing retail payments in light of changing technologies and changing industrial structures?

Conference Summary

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Welcome and Opening Remarks

Richard K. Rasdall, Jr.

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European Central Bank Stuart E. Weiner Vice President and Director of Payments System Research Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City Session 2: Innovation **Paper Handout General Discussion** Author Bronwyn Hall Professor University of California, Berkley **Moderator** Lee Manfred Partner First Annapolis Remarks **Handout Panelists** Benjamin Ling | Remarks | Handout Head of Google Checkout Google Nonbanks in the Payments System: Innovation, Competition, and Risk https://www.kansascityfed.org/research/payments-conferences/nonbanks-in-the-payments-system-inno

Session 1: Nonbank Payment Activities: An Overview

Paper

Handout

Authors

General Discussion

Simonetta Rosati

Senior Market Infrastructure Expert

Rene Pelegero | Remarks | Handout

Senior Director of Industry Relations, Strategy and Compliance

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Margaret Weichert | Remarks | Handout

Senior Vice President, Strategy, Innovation and Payments Executive

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Luncheon Address: Modernizing Payments: No Pain, No Gain

Paper | General Discussion |

Gertrude Tumpel-Gugerell

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Session 3: Competition: Vertical Integration

Paper | General Discussion |

Author

Nicholas Economides

Professor

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Moderator

Kenneth Posner | Remarks | Handout

Managing Director

Morgan Stanley

Panelists

Michael A. Cook | Remarks | Handout

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Senior Director, Corporate Strategy and Planning

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University of Toulouse **Moderator** Ken Howes | Remarks | Handout Director Edgar, Dunn & Company **Panelists** B.J. Haasdijk | Remarks | Handout Chairman **Equens** Gerard Hartsink | Remarks | Handout Chairman European Payments Council David Yates | Remarks President, Europe, Middle East, and Africa First Data International Session 5: Risk Paper | Handout | General Discussion | Author **Ross Anderson**

Pamela A. Joseph | Remarks | Handout

Session 4: Competition: Horizontal Integration

Vice Chair

Author

Professor

U.S. Bancorp

Paper | General Discussion

Jean-Charles Rochet

Professor

Cambridge University

Moderator

Avivah Litan | Remarks

Vice President and Distinguished Analyst

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Panelists

Jean Bruesewitz | Remarks

Senior Vice President

Visa U.S.A.

Roy C. DeCicco | Remarks | Handout

Senior Vice President

JPMorgan Chase

Richard Oliver | Remarks | Handout

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James Van Dyke|Remarks|Handout

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Session 6: Central Bank Perspectives

General Discussion

Speakers

Philip Klopper | Remarks | Handout

Executive Director

De Nederlandsche Bank

Philip Lowe | Remarks

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Thomas M. Hoenig | Remarks

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