SMART GOVERNANCE OF PAYMENT SYSTEMS: THE IMPACT OF REGULATION ON COMPETITION AND INNOVATION

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About the Seminar

Payment systems were once a sleepy backwater of financial services industries, but as payment services are transformed by globalization and technological innovation, they have attracted both political controversy and a new generation of entrepreneurs operating inside and outside of banks. This presentation will first review the factors precipitating rapid change in global and local markets for payment services, and then compare the roles of competition and regulation in promoting innovation through a series of case studies. A hybrid model of "smart governance" will be proposed as the appropriate strategic response by regulators to the emergence of global market architectures for payment systems and accelerating technological innovation. The presentation will conclude by considering whether MAS's Smart Financial Centre policy is consistent with the notion of "smart governance."

About the Speaker



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Eu Tong Sen Building,
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NUS, Bukit Timah Campus

PROGRAMME OUTLINE

3.00pm – 3.30pm Registration
 3.30pm – 4.45pm Seminar
 4.45pm Refreshments

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