



## Boğaziçi University

### Center for Research in Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation (CCG)

#### Panel

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Rectorate Conference Hall

13.45 - 15.45

#### **Corporate Finance and Corporate Governance: What is Driving Change and What will be the Impact?**

**Chair:** Vedat Akgiray, Director of the Center for Research in Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation, Professor of Finance, Boğaziçi University

Mats Isaksson, *Head of Corporate Affairs, OECD*

Erik Vermeulen, *Professor of Business Law & Finance, Tilburg University; Vice-President, Corporate Legal Dept., Philips International B.V*

Edward Craft, *Partner, Wedlake Bell; Chairman, Corporate Governance Expert Group, UK Quoted Companies Alliance*

Tayfun Bayazit, *Chairman, Bayazit Management Consulting Services*

Ümit Hergüner, *Partner, Hergüner Law Office*

Oğuzhan Özbaş, *Professor of Finance, Koç University*

#### **Mission of the CCG**

Considering the developments in global equity markets over the last two decades and the dramatic loss of confidence in public equity markets, it is vitally important today to remember once again the very basic functions of equity markets and convince both policy makers and also market players of the critical role of capital markets in economic growth and efficient allocation of resources globally. In this regard, Center for Research in Corporate Governance and Financial Regulation (CCG) has been established by Boğaziçi University in order to contribute to the research that augments the legal / regulatory content of corporate governance models with more economic / financial content. During the next couple of years, while positioning itself as a bridge between research in developed markets and in emerging markets, the Center will mainly emphasize designing "economic models" of corporate governance, that go beyond mere fiduciary rules and that try to link "rational" applications of good governance leading to increased economic value for corporations in the long-run.