Celebrating Henry Hansmann’s Book: The Ownership of Enterprise

Friday, October 29, 2021

8:30–9:00 a.m. Light Breakfast

9:00–9:15 a.m. Welcome and Opening:
Dean Gillian Lester; Zohar Goshen

9:15–10:45 a.m. Ownership of Enterprise: 25 Years Later
John Armour, Oxford University Faculty of Law
Ryan Bubb, NYU School of Law
Roberta Romano, Yale Law School
Charles Sabel, Columbia Law School
MODERATOR
Michael Klausner, Stanford Law School

10:45–11:00 a.m. Coffee Break

11 a.m.–noon Economists on Ownership
Patrick Bolton, Columbia Business School
Naomi Lamoreaux, Yale University, Department of Economics
Luigi Zingales, University of Chicago Booth School of Business
MODERATOR
Eric Talley, Columbia Law School

Noon–1:30 p.m. Lunch and a Keynote Talk
NOBEL LAUREATE
Professor Oliver Hart, Harvard University

1:30–3:30 p.m. Common Ownership
Jill Fisch, “The Uncertain Stewardship Potential of Index Funds”
Zohar Goshen, “Common Ownership and Labor Monopsony”
Robert Jackson, “The Regulatory Challenges of Common Ownership”
Mark Roe, “Corporate Purpose and Corporate Competition”
MODERATOR
Marcel Kahan, NYU School of Law

3:30–3:45 p.m. Coffee Break

3:45–5:45 p.m. Related Work I
Lucian Bebchuk, “Stakeholders and the Ownership of Enterprise”
Lisa Bernstein, “Managerial Contracting: A Preliminary Study”
Joshua Mitsui, “Short-Selling as a Virtual Exit in Corporate Governance”
John Morley, “Directed Trusts: Unbundling Title, Power, and Duty”
MODERATOR
Jeffrey Gordon, Columbia Law School

6–8 p.m. Drinks, Dinner, and a Keynote Talk
Henry Hansmann, Yale Law School

Saturday, October 30, 2021

8:30–9:00 a.m. Light Breakfast

9:00–11:00 a.m. Related Work II
Ronald J. Gilson, “Shifting Influences on Corporate Governance”
MODERATOR
Elizabeth Pollman, University of Pennsylvania Law School

11:00–11:15 a.m. Coffee Break

11:15 a.m.– 12:15 p.m. The Purpose of the Firm: A Discussion
Margaret Blair, Vanderbilt University Law School
Reiner Kraakman, Harvard Law School
Alan Schwartz, Yale Law School
MODERATOR
Edward Rock, NYU School of Law

12:15–1:30 p.m. Lunch and a Keynote Talk
NOBEL LAUREATE
Professor Bengt Holmström, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

1:30–3:30 p.m. Related Work III
Ofer Eldar, “The Rise of Dual-Class Stock IPOs”
Mariana Pargendler, “The Decline of Regulatory Partitioning in Corporate Law”
Gabriel Rauterberg, “The Evolution of Control Across the Public/Private Divide”
MODERATOR
Taisu Zhang, Yale Law School

3:30–3:45 p.m. Closing Remarks
Henry Hansmann; Zohar Goshen