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Forthcoming top publications

Fabio Braggion with Alberto Manconi (Bocconi University) and Haikun Zhu (Erasmus School of Economics)

"Household Credit and Regulatory Arbitrage: Evidence from Online Marketplace Lending"

Management Science, forthcoming.

Fabio Castiglionesi with Sonny Biswas (Bristol University), Giacomo Calzolari (European University Institute), and Tobias Dieler (Bristol University)

"Asset trade, Real investment and a Tilting Financial Transaction Tax"

Management Science, forthcoming.

Jens Soerlie Kvaerner

""What Can Health Shocks Reveal About Bequest Motives? Evidence from a Structural Estimation"

Review of Financial Studies, forthcoming.

Nicola Pavanini, with Fabian Feger (Axpo Group) and Doina Radulescu (Bern University)

"Welfare and Redistribution in Residential Electricity Markets with Solar Power?"
Review of Economic Studies, forthcoming.

Vincenzo Pezone, with Ulrike Malmendier (UC Berkeley) and Hui Zheng

"Managerial Duties and Managerial Biases"
Management Science, forthcoming.

Luc Renneboog, with Julien Penasse (Luxembourg)

"Speculative Trading and Bubbles: Evidence from the Art Market"
Review of Financial Studies, forthcoming.

Magda Rola-Janicka, with Enrico Perotti (Amsterdam)

"The Good, the Bad and the Missed Boom"
Review of Financial Studies, forthcoming.

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