Finance Association Meetings

Western Finance Association

Dates: June 21–24, 1987 Place: San Diego, CA Deadline for program participation: November 25, 1986 Contact: Robert Litzenberger, Department of Finance, Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 19104.

European Finance Association

Dates: September 3–5, 1987 Place: Madrid, Spain Deadine for program participation: April 1, 1987 Contact: Angel Berges, Facultad Economicas, Universidad Autonoma, Madrid, Spain 28049.

Financial Management Association

Dates: October 15–17, 1987 Place: Las Vegas, NV Deadline for program participation: January 31, 1987 Contact: Ronald W. Melicher, College of Business Administration, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL 33620.

Academy of Financial Services

Date: October 14, 1987 Place: Las Vegas, NV Contact: S. Travis Pritchett, College of Business Administration, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC 29208.

Academy of International Business

Dates: November 12–15, 1987 Place: Chicago, IL Deadline for program participation: May 31, 1987 Contact: Raj Aggarwal, College of Business Administration, The University of Toledo, Toledo, OH 43606.

Association of Managerial Economists

Dates: December 28–30, 1987 Place: Chicago, IL Deadline for program participation: July 15, 1987 Contact: Mark Hirschey, P.O. Box 1892, Houston, TX 77251.

Southwestern Finance Association

Dates: March 2–5, 1988 Place: San Antonio, TX Deadline for program participation: September 1, 1987 Contact: John W. Peavy, III, Edwin L. Cox School of Business, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX 75275–0333.

Eastern Finance Association

Dates: April 20–23, 1988 Place: Bal Harbor, FL Deadline for program participation: October 23, 1987 Contact: James W. Wansley, College of Business Administration, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803.

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