



The Australia-Japan Research Centre
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The Services Industry Research Centre
at
The Asia Pacific School of Economics and Government

present

*Cross-Border Trade in E-Finance Services in the
APEC Region: Developments and Policy issues*

13 April 2004

Drawing Room, University House

DRAFT PROGRAM

9.00 am - 11.00 am

Session 1:

Measuring impediments to trade in financial services

Presenter: Philippa Dee, ANU

Discussant: Greg McGuire, UNDP

*E-finance as a mode of supply in cross-border trade of financial services:
trade policy (GATS and WTO) and regulatory issues*

Presenters: Christopher Findlay (ANU) and Jenny Corbett (Oxford and ANU)

Discussant: *to be confirmed*

11.00 am - 11.30 am

Coffee

11.30 am - 1.00pm

Session 2:

Country experiences - diffusion and regulation in e-finance, liberalisation of financial services and openness to cross-border trade.

Korea: Sangche Lee (KIF)

Indonesia: Greg Maguire (UN Support Facility for Indonesian Recovery) and Idris Sulaiman (Indonesia Information Technology Federation)

Japan: Jenny Corbett

Measuring domestic and cross border e-finance transactions

Australian Bureau of Statistics

1.00 pm - 1.4 5pm

Lunch

2.00 pm- 3.30 pm

Session 4:

Regional agenda: APEC and ASEAN views

Presenters: David Parsons and Idris Sulaiman

Dispute Settlement Processes in Cross Border Transactions

Presenter: Liz Williams (Gilbert and Tobin, Legal Services)

Discussant: Mark Sneddon (Clayton Utz) tbc and Siteshi Bhojani

3.30 pm – 4.00 pm

Session 5:

Wrap up and conclusions: future research agenda and policy issues

Presenter: Jenny Corbett