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	DAY 1: MONDAY, MAY 1, 2009		
8:00 am	Registration		
9:15 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks Michael Klein, Vice President, Financial and Private Sector Development, World Bank-IFC, Chief Economist, IFC		
9:45 am	Session 1: The role, importance, and determinants of financial development Ross Levine, Brown University		
10:30 am	Coffee Break		
11:00am	Session 2: The role, importance, and determinants of financial development Ross Levine, Brown University		
12:00 pm	Lunch – Presentation on the Financial Sector Reform and Strengthening (FIRST) Initiative Keynote Speaker: David Dellen, FIRST		
1:30 pm	Session 3: Bank risk management models Anthony Saunders, New York University		
2:30 pm	Coffee Break		
3:00 pm	Session 4: Bank risk management models Anthony Saunders, New York University		
4:30 pm	Session 5: A banker's perspective on risk management models Evan Picoult, Citibank		

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	DAY 2: TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2009		
8:30 am	Session 6: Risk-based and cross-border supervision		
	Craig Thorburn, Sr. Financial Sector Specialist, World Bank		
9:30 am	Break		
10:00 am	Session 7: Panel discussion on the future of bank regulation		
	Gerard Caprio, Williams College		
	Mark Carey, Federal Reserve		
12:30 pm	Lunch		
	Keynote Speakers:		
	Javier Bolzico, CEO of Fit and Proper Consulting & former Superintendent of Banks, Argentina		
	Yira Mascaro, Sr. Financial Economist, World Bank		
2:00 pm	Session 8: Bank resolution		
	Javier Bolzico, CEO of Fit and Proper Consulting & former Superintendent of Banks, Argentina		
	Yira Mascaro, Sr. Financial Economist, World Bank		
3:30 pm	Coffee Break		
4:00 pm	Session 9: Case study on bank resolution		
	Javier Bolzico, CEO of Fit and Proper Consulting & former Superintendent of Banks, Argentina		
	Yira Mascaro, Sr Financial Economist, World Bank		
5:30	Adjournment		
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	DAY 3: WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2009		
8:30 am	Session 10: Preparing for systemic crises: "Crises games" David Scott, Financial Systems Unit, World Bank		
10:00 am	Coffee Break		
10:30 am	Session 11: Lessons from the recent financial crisis Charles Calomiris, Columbia University Augusto de la Torre, Office of the Chief Economist for Latin America, World Bank Angel Ubide, Tudor Investment Group Bill Murden, US Treasury		
12:30 pm	Lunch		
2:00 pm	Session 12: Stress testing banks and banking systems: Concepts and practice Andrea Maechler, Monetary and Financial Systems Dept., IMF		
4:00 pm	Break		
4:30 pm	Session 13: Public bank governance and bank privatization Robert Cull, Development Research Group, World Bank		
6:00 pm	Adjournment		

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	DAY 4: THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2009		
8:30 am	Session 14: Challenges in developing the insurance sector		
	Serap Gounal, Financial Systems Unit, World Bank		
9:30 am	Session 15: Challenges in developing pension systems		
	Roberto Rocha, Financial Systems Unit, World Bank		
11:00 am	Coffee Break		
11:30 am	Session 16: Challenges in housing finance		
	Olivier Hassler, Financial Markets for Social Safety Net, World Bank		
1:00 pm	Lunch		
2:30 pm	Session 17: Challenges in developing capital markets		
	Alison Harwood, Capital Markets Advisory Group, World Bank & IFC		
	Anderson Caputo Silva, Capital Markets Advisory Group, World Bank & IFC		
4:00 pm	Coffee Break		
4:30 pm	Session 18: Deposit insurance		
	Asli Demirgüç-Kunt, Development Research Group, World Bank		
6:00 pm	Farewell reception		

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DAY 5: FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2009		
8:30 am	Session 19: Islamic Banking TBD – World Bank	
9:30 am	Session 20: SME finance and the use of leasing and factoring Greg Udell, Indiana University	
10:30 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 am	Session 22: Microfinance Johnathan Morduch, New York University Martin Holtmann, CGAP	
1:00 pm	Session 23: Policy Research Report: Finance for All? Policies and Pitfalls in Expanding Access Sole Martinez Peria, Development Research Group, World Bank	
2:00 pm	Adjournment	