

Announcement
1st Joint IAEE/MEEA/ASSA Session
New Orleans, Louisiana, USA January 5, 2008

Oil and Energy Issues

President: Serdar Sayan, TOBB University of Economics and Technology

Mohamed Abdelaziz, Georgios Chortareas and Andrea Cipollini, University of Essex - *Stock Prices, Exchange Rates, and Oil: Evidence from Oil Exporting Countries in the Middle East*

Shawkat Hammoudeh, Drexel University - *Do Oil-Rich GCC Countries Finance US Current Account Deficit?*

Joyce M. Dargay, University of Leeds, Dermot Gately, New York University, and Hillard G. Huntington, Stanford University - *Determinants of World Oil Demand, 1971-2006*

Peter Hartley and Ken Medlock, Department of Economics and James A. Baker III Institute for Public Policy, Rice University - *Empirical Evidence on the Operational Efficiency of National Oil Companies*

Nathan Balke, Southern Methodist University, Stephen Brown, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas and Mine K. Yücel, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas - *Globalization and Oil Prices: Demand versus Supply Shocks*

Discussants: Riza Demirer, Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville
Hadi Salehi Esfahani, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Gokhan Ozertan, Bogazici University
Ahmet Faruk Aysan, Bogazici University
Mehmet Serkan Tosun, University of Nevada, Reno

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