CALL FOR PAPERS AND PARTICIPATION

2017 ANNUAL MEETING OF
THE MIDWEST FINANCE ASSOCIATION
Chicago, Illinois, March 1-4
Swissôtel Chicago

Jon Garfinkel, Program Chair, invites members and friends of the MFA to submit papers for presentation at our 66th Annual Meeting. Papers on any topic in finance will be considered. The meeting will be held at the Swissôtel Chicago.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:
Mitchell A. Petersen, Glen Vasel Professor of Finance, Northwestern University
Todd Pulvino, Founding Principal, CNH Partners LLC

SUBMISSION AND REVIEW OF PAPERS:
The submission deadline is October 1, 2016. Papers for the meeting will be reviewed anonymously and authors will be notified of the decision by November 15, 2016. We also invite volunteers to participate as discussants and session chairs.

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NOTE: The MFA is pleased to announce that the Quarterly Journal of Finance will publish a special issue associated with the conference. Authors wishing to have their papers considered for the special issue will be asked to indicate their interest when submitting their paper for the conference.

Further information about the conference is available at: http://www.midwestfinance.org.