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Talk Title: "Financial Crisis and Financial Reform"

Abstract:

This talk explores the dynamics that drove the recent financial crisis, and analyzes the policy response--both short-run fire-fighting and longer-run attempts at regulatory reform of the financial sector. I will also comment briefly on the forces that shape financial innovation, and on the use (and mis-use) of mathematical and statistical modeling in finance.