

## ***Stevens FSC Faculty in Support of Georgetown University Conferences for Chinese Financial Industry Executives***

Stevens Institute of Technology's Financial Systems Center has partnered with **Georgetown University** in two conference programs organized in November in New York for financial industry executives from China. The conferences, organized by Georgetown's Global Education Institute, were designed to offer an intensive introduction to the American financial system. Stevens finance faculty served as "subject matter experts" providing lectures on several advanced topics in finance.

Attending the Georgetown conferences were senior representatives of two leading Chinese financial institutions:

- **China Construction Bank**: the 2nd largest commercial bank in China
- **Huatai Securities**, one of China's top 10 securities brokers with over 200 branch offices in China, and the first comprehensive stock brokerage firm approved by the China Securities Regulatory Commission (CSRC)<sup>1</sup>



Participating Stevens Faculty were:

- **Khalidoun Khashanah**, speaking on ***"Socio-Economic Technical Systemic Financial Analysis"***
- **Jan Klein**, speaking on ***"Commercial Bank Management & Strategy in the Global Financial Crisis"***
- **Jon Kaufman**, speaking on ***"The Evolution of US Over-the-Counter Markets – with Emphasis on the Impact of Dodd-Frank Legislation on the Derivatives Industry"***
- **Ionut Florescu**, speaking on ***"High Frequency Data Analysis in Finance"***

*"The Stevens faculty were outstanding,"* said **James V. Parenti**, Senior Associate Dean & Chief Administrative Officer for Georgetown's School of Continuing Studies. *"The participants ranked Stevens experts very highly in their evaluations."*

*"We hope that this can be a first step towards future cooperation with Georgetown in events of this kind, where we can leverage the Stevens location, and faculty expertise, as well as the new Hanlon Lab facility,"* said Prof Khashanah, who heads the Stevens Financial Engineering graduate program.

<sup>1</sup> The CSRC is functionally the equivalent in China of the U.S. Securities & Exchange Commission.