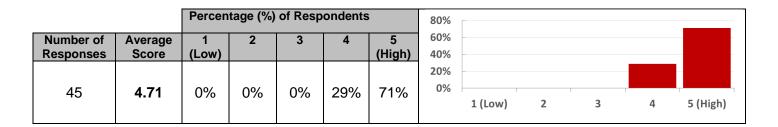
# Financial Risk & Network Theory Seminar

## SUMMARY OF ATTENDEE FEEDBACK

Many thanks to all the attendees of the seminar who provided their feedback.

# **Overall Rating**

Respondents were asked to score the overall rating of the seminar on Financial Risk & Network Theory Seminar, from 1 (Low) to 5 (High).



## **Presentation Sessions**

Respondents were asked to score each session in terms of the quality of their content and interest level.

		Percentage (%) of Respondents						
Presentation		Number of responses	Average Score	1 (Low)	2	3	4	5 (High)
9:30	Keynotes, Session I	40	4.58	0%	0%	8%	28%	65%
11:30	Keynotes, Session II	42	4.48	0%	0%	10%	33%	57%
14:15	Parallel Sessions							
	III: Systemic Risk	21	4.43	0%	5%	0%	43%	52%
	IV: Interbank Networks	14	3.93	7%	7%	0%	57%	29%
	V: SNA in Finance	12	4.25	0%	0%	17%	42%	42%
16:15	Parallel Sessions							
	VI: Correlations Networks	20	4.55	0%	0%	0%	45%	55%
	VII: Networks in Banking	14	4.14	7%	0%	7%	43%	43%
	VIII: Macro Networks	15	3.93	0%	7%	33%	20%	40%

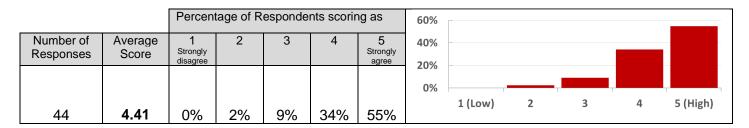
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## Research Impact

To assess the application of research outputs on business activities, respondents were asked to give feedback on the relevance of the research work being presented at this seminar, by asking whether these statements apply.

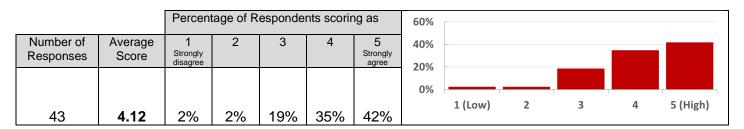
#### Improving Understanding

The material presented was useful in improving my understanding of issues that affect my business or professional activities



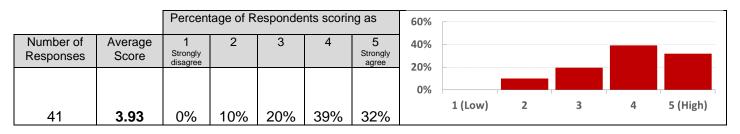
## **Dissemination to Others**

The material presented is likely to be of interest to colleagues and I will pass on presentations from the seminar to others in my organization or elsewhere



## **Personal Decisional-Making**

I am likely to incorporate material from the research presented here into my future business decisions



## **Organization Value**

The scenarios, framework and taxonomy of threats may be directly useful in helping my organisation structure risk management actions in future

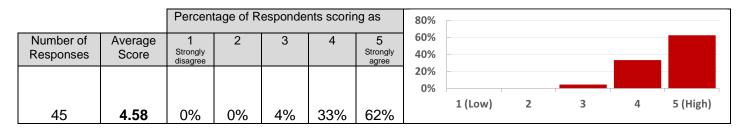
		Percentage of Respondents scoring as					60%					
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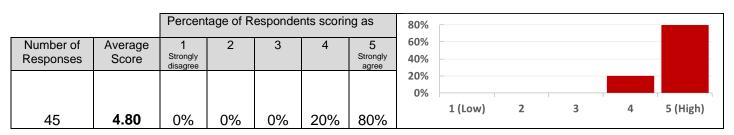
#### **Journal Potential**

I would be interested in content on similar topics published in future editions of the Journal of Network Theory in Finance.



#### **Seminar Value**

I would be interested in attending a future seminar on Financial Risk and Network Theory.



### **Additional Comments**

#### **Comments on the Seminar**

The respondents were invited to provide additional comments on the seminar and the usefulness or relevance of the research work presented. Comments received:

- Conference was topical and illustrated what many people are doing in the absence of data in many cases
- Excellent control. Very interesting.
- Great diversity but solid thematic care
- Excellent Very thought-provoking, good attendees. Now I need to see if we can start using the approach
- I attended Session VIII, which had a change in schedule (the order of talks changed). A prior notification about that would have been helpful in making a more informed decision. It has been a wonderful experience otherwise!
- Very intensive event!

- A bit too much econo-physics
- Excellent conference! How about connecting folks online in a community?
- The first edition was mainly concentrated on banks and banking system. It will be interesting to shift the main focus on financial markets in general, so that tones of aspects can be discussed in the light of network theory
- Broadly very good. Could have done with an updated sheet with the speaker changes
- A clear guidance to presenters which states key results/ findings within first five minutes of the talk
- Everything was really enjoyable and interesting



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#### **Future Suggestions**

Respondents were invited to provide suggestions for would they would like to see from future Cambridge Centre for Risk Studies seminars. Suggestions received:

- Statistical physics of networks
- Introduction of behavioural finance overlays on networks
- Research meeting on rare disasters and their economic/ financial effects
- Catastrophic modelling of sudden very large unexpected human migration flows from war times, natural disasters
- More on stress scenarios

- Financial crises prevention; macroeconomic dynamics and networks theory
- Operational Risk Seminars
- Reaching for researchers in developing countries. Discussions on new models/ techniques
- Ecological risks and effects on the financial markets

#### **Additional feedback**

Excellent keynotes. Overall a wide range of presenters from around the world!

Logistics lunch was very good!

Great location; well organised, diversity of topics and approaches. Thank you!

It is very difficult to choose between the parallel sessions. It would be wonderful to have two-day events, or separate events to accommodate all. Amazing speakers and wonderful sessions!

Very nicely done, really.

Many thanks for organizing such a great event! I very much enjoyed the academic program, people and good food and drinks. I sincerely hope that this type of an event would be organized regularly, but do understand that it takes plenty of your time to set up a conference of this size.

The conference was fantastic. Thank you for your hard work organising it and for CRS' support of the event. It was one of the most intellectually stimulating seminars I've been to in quite some time.

The seminar was excellent – one of the best events I've been to in recent years.

