



7th Brunel Accounting Symposium
20 June 2017



Brunel Business School
Room 003a Eastern Gateway Building

Programme

09:30 – 10:00	Registration and coffee
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome Prof Christos Pitelis, Head of Brunel Business School Dr Jill Collis, Director, Accounting and Auditing Research Group
10:15 – 11:00	Priya Ramdas, Assistant Director, Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy <i>Increasing diversity and inclusion in business: The Government's approach</i>
11:00 – 11:30	Refreshments
11:30 – 12:15	Peter Swabey, Policy and Research Director, Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators <i>The role of the nomination committee: We and they</i>
12.15 – 13:00	Panel session Prof Robin Jarvis (chair); Prof David Cairns; Marie Lang, European Federation of Accountants and Auditors; Amy Hutchinson, Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 14:30	Prof Grzegorz Trojanowski, University of Exeter <i>Gender diversity in the boardroom: Is the topic still sexy?</i>
14:30 – 15:00	Prof Christopher Napier, Royal Holloway, University of London <i>Ladies on the board: Do female directors make a difference?</i>
15:00 – 15:30	Refreshments
15:30 – 16:00	Carla Edgley, Senior Lecturer, Cardiff University <i>Diversity, meritocracy and the evaluation of professional auditors</i>
16:00 – 16:45	Panel session Prof Robin Jarvis (chair); Prof David Cairns; Marie Lang, European Federation of Accountants and Auditors; Amy Hutchinson, Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland
16:45 – 17:00	Closing remarks Dr Amama Shaukat and Dr Jill Collis