

WCA Annual lecture: Build-to-Rent

Wednesday 26 February 2020

15:00-16:00

MATH-027 (Mathematical Sciences Building)

On 26 February 2019 we will be joined by Miria Whittle and Charlie Hibbert from EY's multi-award winning Investment Advisory practice. The pair will be giving a talk on the use of illiquid asset strategies by UK insurance and pension schemes. Their talk will provide insights on why these investors are demonstrating increasing appetite for less liquid investments and will introduce one such opportunity: Build-to-Rent.

Speakers

Miria Whittle



Miria Whittle is Head of Thought Leadership for EY's Investment Advisory Team and author of a number of EY's research papers including 'Build-to-rent: An opportunity for institutional investors to bridge the housing deficit?' and 'Aviation finance: an interesting prospect for long-term investors'. She is a qualified actuary with over 10 years' experience across the insurance and pensions industry. Miria's day-to-day focus involves advising insurance companies across the investment lifecycle from strategy, to implementation, to governance. Prior to this Miria worked at KPMG advising pension scheme clients on liability management and optimisation of their investment portfolio.

Charlie Hibbert



Charlie Hibbert is a qualified actuary with 6 years' experience working in Life Insurance, both in industry and now as a Senior Consultant with EY. He graduated from the University of Birmingham with a first class degree in Mathematics in July 2013. Charlie works in EY's Life Advisory practice, focusing on Investments. His core focus is the on boarding of new asset classes, debt structuring and investment strategy optimisation. Charlie is the author of a Thought Leadership paper discussing the key challenges for Chief Investment Officers. Prior to EY Charlie worked at both Phoenix and Sun Life of Canada, in With-Profits and Asset Liability Management teams. During this time Charlie carried out market leading conversions of their With-Profit funds, conducted a programme to optimise their hedging strategy and the implementation of a strategic reinsurance arrangement

Who should attend?

This annual lecture has been devised for students of actuarial mathematics, mathematics with finance and actuaries. After the lecture get together with all participants.

This lecture is sponsored by the Worshipful Company of Actuaries. For those who wish to claim CPD credit, a register of attendance will be taken.

Limited spaces, first come first served!

