### Session A
**8:30-9:00**
**Lorraine Uhlaner and Mike Wright**
*Erasmus University Rotterdam*
9:00-9:40  
**Sophie Manigart**
*Ghent University*
**Welcome**
9:40-10:20  
**Bart Clarysse**
*Ghent University*
"Board Availability and Composition in High Tech Start-ups"
10:20-10:40  
**Coffee Break**
**Session B**
10:40-11:20
**Mattias Nordqvist**
*Jonkoping University*
"Corporate Governance and Strategic Change in Small Firms: Untangling and Combining the Effects of Ownership, Board Structure and Top Management Teams"
11:20-12:00
**Shaker Zahra**
*University of Minnesota*
"Knowledge-based Resources and SME Internationalization: The Effects of Ownership and Governance"
12:00-13:00
**Lunch Break**
**Session C**
13:00-13:40
**Lloyd Steier**
*University of Alberta*
"Firm Governance, Familial Capitalism and Entrepreneurship in Global Contexts"
13:40-14:20
**Sabine B. Klein**
**Torsten M. Pieper**
*European Family Business Center EUROPEN BUSINESS SCHOOL*
"The impact of goal alignment on corporate governance – An agency and stewardship theoretical perspective"
14:20-15:00
**Dan McConaughy**
*California State University*
"The Cost of Capital in the closely-held, family-controlled firm"
15:00-15:20
**Coffee Break**
**Session D**
15:20-16:00
**Mike Wright**
*University of Nottingham*
"Ownership, Governance, Objectives and the Family Firm Succession Process: Evidence from Management Buy-outs"
16:00-16:40
**Lorraine Uhlaner**
*Erasmus University Rotterdam*
"Responsible Ownership and Corporate Governance in Dutch Family Firms: An Exploratory Study"
16:40-17:30
**Morten Huse**
Concluding Remarks by Morten Huse, discussant and other participants