



THE ECONOMICS AND REGULATION OF PAYMENT CARD INTERCHANGE FEES

Co-hosted by International Center for Law and Economics
and the Mercatus Center at George Mason University

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 2010

Willard InterContinental, 1401 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC

8:30–9:00 a.m. Pierce Room	Continental Breakfast and Registration
9:00-9:15 a.m. Pierce Room	Welcome and Opening Remarks <i>Tim Muris, former Chairman, Federal Trade Commission</i>
9:15- 10:45 a.m. Pierce Room	Picking Up the Tab: The Regulation of Credit Cards Moderator: <i>Megan McArdle, Atlantic Monthly</i> Session Speakers: <i>Thomas Durkin, former Senior Economist, Federal Reserve Board</i> <i>Mike Konczal, Roosevelt Institute</i> <i>Geoffrey Manne, International Center for Law and Economics</i> <i>Felix Salmon, Reuters</i> <i>Steven Semeraro, Thomas Jefferson University</i> <i>Fred Smith, Competitive Enterprise Institute</i>
10:55-11:55 a.m. Pierce Room	All Things Reconsidered: Updates on the Economic Literature of Interchange Fees <i>Thomas Brown, O'Melveny & Myers</i> <i>Sujit Chakravorti, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago</i> <i>Joshua Wright, George Mason University Law School</i>
12:00 noon – 1:15 p.m. Buchanan Room	The Economics of Payment Card Interchange Fees and the Limits of Regulation <i>Todd Zywicki, George Mason University Law School</i>
