

# Conference

## "THE ROLE OF CENTRAL BANKS IN MODERN TIMES: TWENTY-FIVE YEARS INTO THE CENTRAL BANK OF CHILE'S INDEPENDENCE"

Program arranged by Rodrigo Caputo and Alejandra Rozas  
Grand Hyatt Hotel, Santiago, Chile

**Friday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

*Registration and coffee* 08:15 – 08:45

Opening remarks by **Rodrigo Vergara** – Governor, Central Bank of Chile 08:45 – 09:00

### **SESSION I: KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

**John Taylor** and **Olivier Blanchard**

Moderator: **Pablo Garcia Silva**, Board Member, Central Bank of Chile

*"Central Bank Independence and Economic Performance: It's Not Only the Law"* 09:00 – 09:30

Speaker: **John Taylor** – Professor of Economics, Stanford University

Q&A 09:30 – 09:50

*"Dealing with Capital Inflows"* 09:50 – 10:20

Speaker: **Olivier Blanchard** – Economic Counsellor and Director, Research Department,  
International Monetary Fund

Q&A 10:20 – 10:40

*Coffee break* 10:40 – 11:00

### **SESSION II: PANEL OF FORMER GOVERNORS OF THE CENTRAL BANK OF CHILE**

Speakers: **Andrés Bianchi**, **Roberto Zahler**, **Carlos Massad**, **Vittorio Corbo**, 11:00 – 12:15

**José De Gregorio** (15 min. each)

Moderator: **Rodrigo Vergara**

General discussion 12:15 – 12:30

*Closing luncheon (by invitation)* 13:30 – 15:30

**Language:** Sessions will be conducted in English and Spanish. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided.

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