Winter Research Seminar 11-12 December 2008

**Thursday 11 December  Queen’s College**

19:00 – 19:30  Reception *Old Kitchens*
19:30 – 22:00  Dinner  *Old Hall*

**Friday 12 December  Judge Business School**

09:00  Registration and coffee
09:30  Welcome and introduction - **David Newbery** *Lecture Theatre 1*

09:40 – 10:50  **SESSION 1 – INVESTMENT & THE CREDIT CRUNCH**
Chair: Bill Nuttall (*EPRG, University of Cambridge*)

**Jonathan Mirrlees-Black** (*Exane BNP-Paribas*) Power generation
**Simon Taylor** (*JBS, University of Cambridge*) Nuclear investment

10:50 – 11:20  Coffee break

11:20 – 12:30  **SESSION 2 – TECHNOLOGY TRANSFERS TO CHINA & INDIA**
Chair: Karsten Neuhoff (*EPRG, University of Cambridge*)

**David Reiner & Dabo Guan** (*EPRG, Cambridge*) The scenarios
**Chen Wenying** (*Tsinghua University, Beijing*) The view from China
**Alain Haurie** (*HEC Geneva*) Modelling results

12:30 – 14:00  Lunch  *Old Library, Pembroke College*

14:00 – 15:10  **SESSION 3 – MARKET INTEGRATION IN EUROPE**
Chair: Tooraj Jamasb (*EPRG, University of Cambridge*)

**Pierre Noel** (*EPRG, Cambridge*) Geopolitics of EU gas market integration
**Martin Thomas** (*APX Group*) UK-Continent market integration

15:10 – 15:40  Tea

15:40 – 16:50  **SESSION 4 – ENERGY DEMAND & CLIMATE POLICY**
Chair: Michael Pollitt (*EPRG, University of Cambridge*)

**Elcin Akcura** (*EPRG, Cambridge*) Households’ willingness to pay
**Jevgenijs Steinbuks** (*EPRG, Cambridge*) Energy intensity response to price
**Jim Skea** (*UKERC*) *The UK Climate Change Committee report*

16:55-17:00  Conclusion -- **David Newbery**