# Advanced Workshop in Regulation & Competition 2014-2015



# Prospects for Reforming the Postal Sector

March 27, 2015

Location: Venable LLP, 575 7th Street, NW, Washington, D.C.

8:30 – 9:00	Sign in, Coffee & Tea Available	
9:00 – 9:10	Welcome and Introduction – David M. Levy and Michael Crew	
9:10 – 9:45	<b>U.S. Postal Service: Impact of Business Model on Financial Condition and Projections</b> - Joseph Corbett	
9:45 – 10:20	First Principles for Postal Reorganization: A Regulator's View – Robert G. Taub	
10:20 - 10:55	Who Are We Now? – David C. Williams	
10:55 – 11:15	COFFEE BREAK	
11:15 – 11:50	U.S. Postal Regulatory Commission: Regulatory Effectiveness – Alan Finder	
11:50 – 12:25	Implications of Developments in Canadian Telecom Regulation – James D. Reitzes	
12:25 - 13:00	Postal Liberalization in Mexico – Agustin Ros	
13:00 - 14:05	LUNCH	
14:05 – 14-35	<b>Public Use of Open Source Satellite Imagery: Advancing U.S. International Goals</b> — Tony Fainberg	
14:35 – 15:05	<b>Exemption of Competitive Mail Products from Rate Regulation: Current Issues</b> – David M. Levy	
15:05 – 15:35	The Way Forward: the Union View – Jim Sauber	
15:35 – 16:05	Price Cap Regulation with Declining Demand – Timothy Brennan and Michael Crew	
16:05 – 16:35	The Regulatory Economics of Postal Service: A Primer – Larry Buc and Sander Glick	
16:35 – 16:45	Discussion and Concluding Remarks –David M. Levy and Michael Crew	

# **SPEAKERS**

**Timothy Brennan**, Professor, University of Maryland –Baltimore County

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