

Date: October 3, 2012

Location: Morningstar, 22 West Washington Street Chicago, IL

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SCHEDULE

3:30 - 4:00PM **Registration & Networking**

4:00 - 5:30PM **Program**

"Host Welcome"

Jeremy Diamond, **Morningstar**, Global Head Equity and Market Data

"Connectivity for Market Participants in the OTC Derivative Trade Lifecycle"

- Ganesh Iyer, **IPC**, Senior Manager Product Marketing

PANEL - *Achieving strong ROI at a point of high speed saturation*

Chicago has predilection for derivatives and a different trading culture and structure from New York, as seen in a much higher proportion of small nimble prop shops rather than bulge bracket 'mega' dealing operations. We will discuss how best to leverage real time market data and the technology that underpins it. With the combined impacts of 1) accelerating costs for incremental speed, 2) ominously changing decay rates for many flavors of theoretical alpha, and 3) dramatic changes in market structure for tangential products like swaps, many proprietary trading firms are scrambling to re-invent themselves. In many ways, we have reached a point of high-speed saturation. As new trading strategies focus on factors other than just speed, what issues with respect to the use of data come into play?

Moderator: Paul Rowady, **TABB Group**, Senior Analyst

Panelists:

Joe Bigane, **Interactive Data 7ticks**, MD Sales, Operations, & Strategy

Mustafa Maqbool, **Infinium Capital**, Chief of Staff

Craig Mohan, **CME Group**, MD Co-Location and Data Center Services

Ron Resnick, **TradeLink**, IT Projects

Thomas Watson, **NYSE Technologies**, Product Manager - Global Market Data

"Managing regulatory compliance with an Inventory System - in the context of an increasingly complex technical environment"

-Bradley Firminger, **MDSL**, Director of Sales

"**Big Data in Financial Markets. Where it's coming from - and where it's going**"

- Henrique Hablitschek, **Equinix**, Subject Matter Expert

5:30 - 7:30PM **Networking Reception**

Please contact [David Anderson](#) with program and speaker ideas.