



The House of Finance at Goethe University Frankfurt Germany

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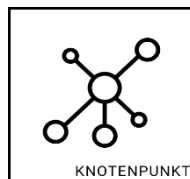
The House of Finance is...



a building on the new Westend campus of Goethe University hosting the finance-related departments of University's Economics&Business and Law Faculties as well as some other specialized research units.



an interdisciplinary research community in an inspiring and international working atmosphere that consistently produces new top finance-related research and transfer activities.



a hub of expertise in finance, linked to other leading academic institutions nationally and internationally, sharing knowledge with policymakers, the financial industry, and society.

Goethe University Frankfurt

- Goethe University is **one of Germany's five largest universities.**
- The House of Finance opened in **May 2008** on Goethe University's new Campus Westend.

House of
Finance



- **About 200 full time researchers**, including **40 professors**
- More than **200 Ph.D. students** from all over the world in structured doctoral programs
- Information Center (Ground Floor and Basement)
- Data room
- First class media infrastructure
- 24 hours access

State-of-the art infrastructure for excellent working conditions ...

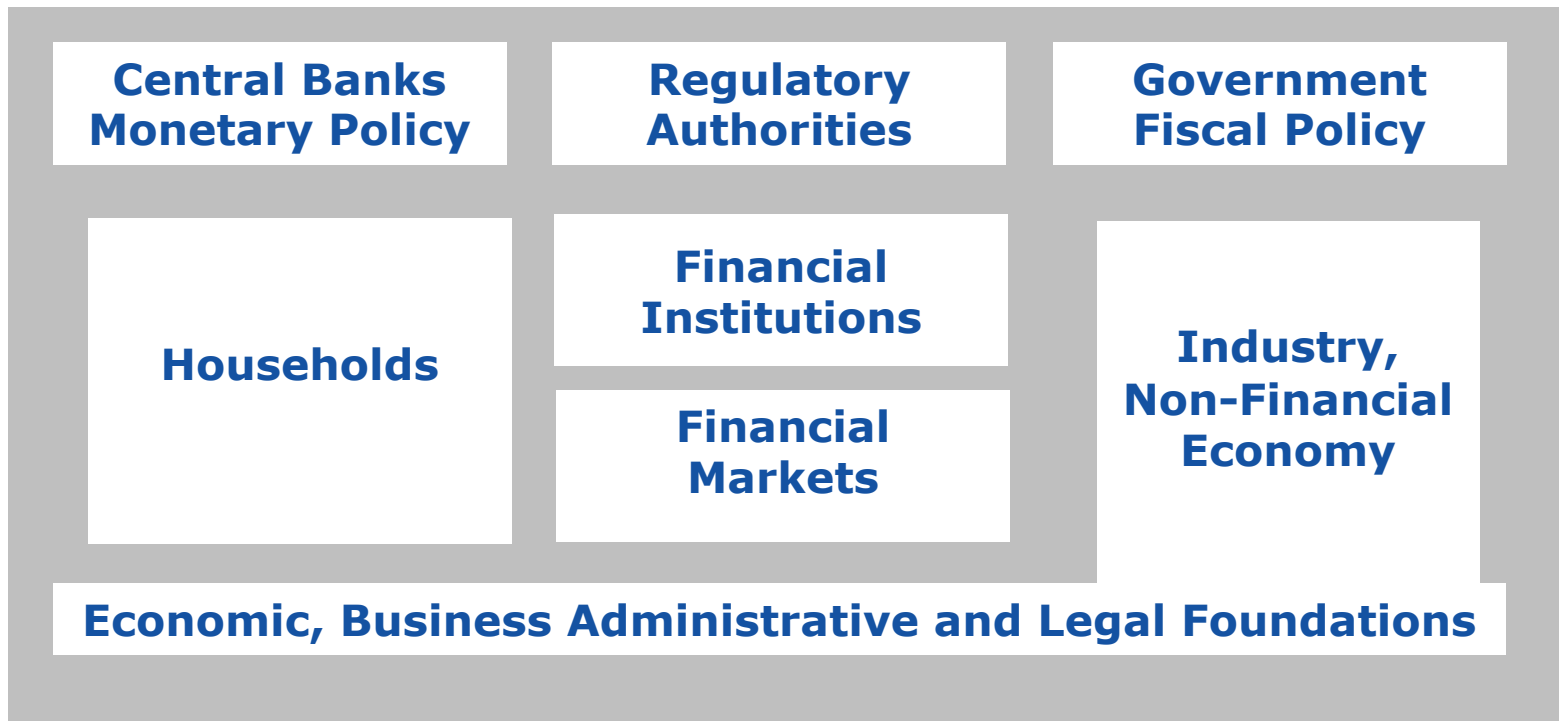
House of Finance – Underlying Goals

The House of Finance interconnects what has, so far, often been regarded as not feasible ...

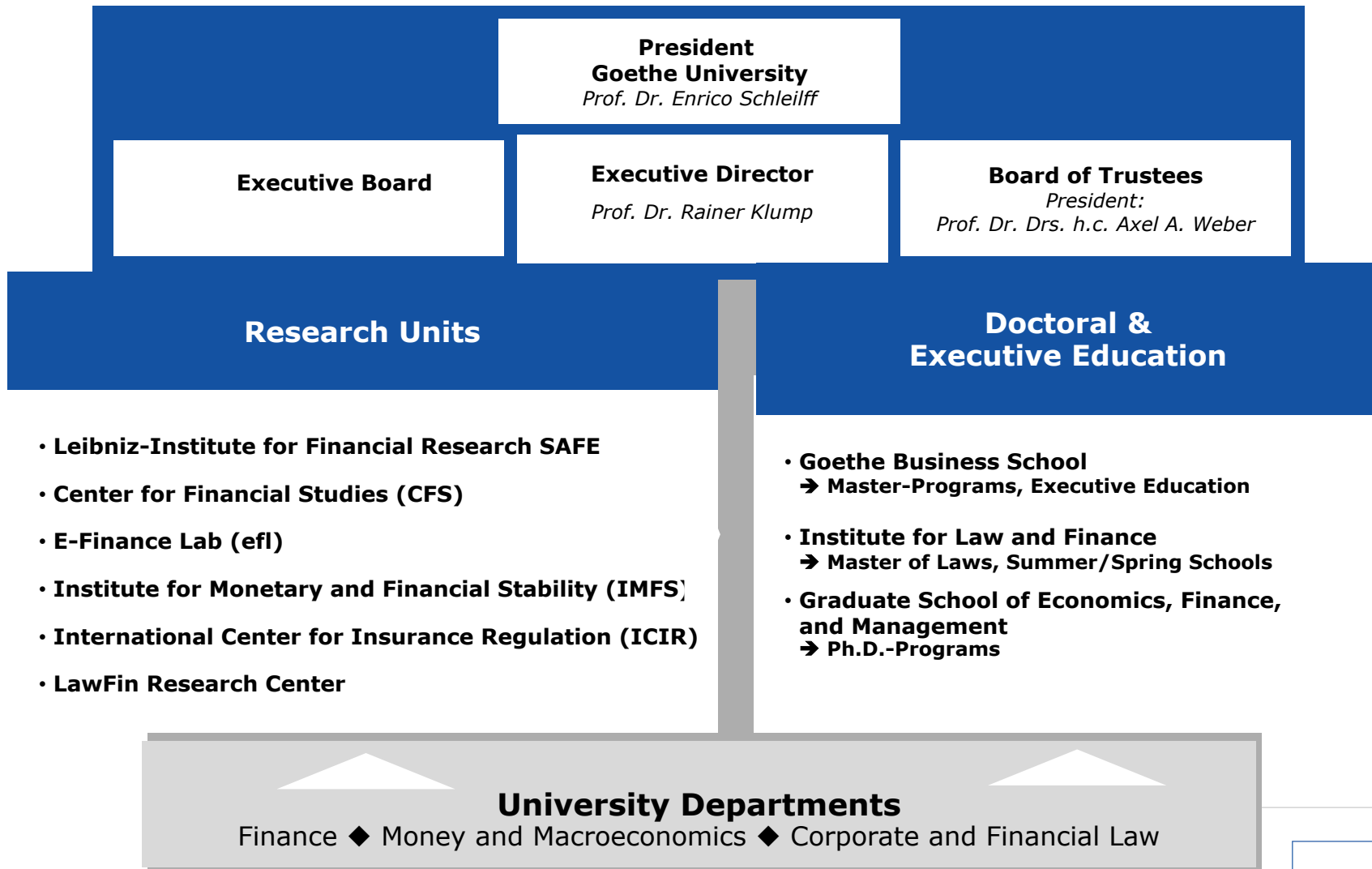
- **Interdisciplinary approach:** Finance, Money and Macroeconomics, Corporate and Financial Law, finance-related components of Microeconomics, Computer Science and Information Systems
- **Top notch research and teaching, including doctoral and executive education**
- **Knowledge transfer** – constant exchange between academia and politics/regulation
- Mix of **public and private financing**
- A **central hub** of a world-spanning network of competence in Finance

An Interdisciplinary Competence Center

... for research, education and knowledge exchange related to the area of **finance**



Organizational Chart



Research units in the House of Finance

University Departments of Faculties of Law and Economics & Business

Finance ♦ Money and Macroeconomics ♦ Corporate and Financial Law

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Research Units

- **Leibniz-Institute for Financial Research SAFE**
- **Center for Financial Studies (CFS)**
- **Institute for Monetary and Financial Stability (IMFS)**
- **International Center for Insurance Regulation (ICIR)**
- **LawFin Research Center**
- **E-Finance Lab (efl)**

Key research topics

Research and Policy Advice at the House of Finance cover crucial societal and economic topics:



In order to disseminate the fruits of its research work among policy makers, the House of Finance offers

- a large number of **events and conferences** that are highly regarded in practice
- in-depth **discussions** in small private circles with decision makers from politics and regulation
- **publication series** (policy letters and white papers) that translate policy relevant research findings for a public audience

House of Finance researchers **advise governments and international organizations**

(e.g. the European Commission, the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA), the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority (EIOPA), the German Government; Germany's Federal Ministries of Finance, and Economics and Technology; the Germany's Federal Financial Supervisory Authority (BaFin), etc.

Due to its experts in various policy fields and the wide range of events, the House of Finance receives large **media coverage**.

Cooperations and Partnerships

Central Banks and Regulatory Agencies:

- Bundesbank, BaFin
- ECB, EIOPA
- ISSB

Cooperating Institutes:

- Frankfurt Institute of Risk Management (FIRM)
- Institute of Banking and Financial History (IBF)
- House of Digital Transformation (HoDT)

Main academic partners:

Wharton School /UPenn:
Annual professorial exchange program

CEPR: Directorships for Research Network „Household Finance“ and Program Area „Macroeconomics and Growth“

QTEM Network on Quantitative Techniques: Cooperations in MA and PhD-Programs.

Nordic Finance Network (NFN)

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