

Seminar Announcement

Date: Wednesday, May 2, 2018

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Location: Aula Marie Curie, Palazzo D'Ancona, SNS

Title: Continuous Time Random Walk in finance. The story of

symbiosis.

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Abstract:

Over 50 years ago, two physicists Montroll and Weiss in the physical context of dispersive transport and diffusion introduced stochastic process, named Continuous-Time Random Walk (CTRW). The trajectory of such a process is created by elementary events 'spatial' jumps of the stochastic process preceded by waiting (or interevent or pausing) time. Since introduction, CTRW found innumerable application in different fields [1]. In this seminar, I will focus on the application of CTRW to finance [2] and I will tell the story of how this application turned out to be fruitful for both sided and motivated new directions of research [3,4].

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- [3] Gubiec, T., & Kutner, R. (2010). Backward jump continuous-time random walk: An application to market trading. Physical Review E, 82(4), 046119
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