



## CFA Institute Research Challenge hosted in Los Angeles

### 2012-2013 Sponsorship Opportunities



The CFA Institute Research Challenge offers students the unique opportunity to learn from leading industry experts and compete with peers from the world's top finance programs. This annual educational initiative promotes best practices in equity research among the next generation of analysts through hands-on mentoring and intensive training in company analysis and presentation skills. Universities assemble teams of three to five business and finance students who work directly with a company in researching and preparing a company analysis.

The competition is open to undergraduate and graduate students. Seven universities from the Los Angeles area will participate in the 2012-2013 competition. The team's final research reports and presentations will be evaluated locally and the winning team will advance to the Americas Regional Final in Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Corporate sponsors can reach students, academics, and industry leaders in the Los Angeles area. Several sponsorship opportunities are available. For additional information on getting your message out to students from the area's top university business and finance programs, contact Ned Downes, CFA at [Nathaniel.Downes@ubs.com](mailto:Nathaniel.Downes@ubs.com).

### Participating Universities

California State University, Dominguez Hills

Drucker School of Management/Claremont Graduate University

Loyola Marymount University

Occidental College

Pepperdine University

UCLA Anderson-Management

University of Southern California Marshall School of Business

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- Opportunity to directly address students at the Local Final
- Opportunity to send one email to all participating students

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