IAAER Activities

Changes in the Executive Committee and Board of Advisors

Ann Tarca is joining IAAER’s Executive Committee to replace Chungwoo Suh as Vice President At-Large Special Projects IASB. Anne McGeachin is joining the Board of Advisors replacing Matt Tilling to represent the IFRS Foundation.

We are grateful to Chungwoo Suh and Matt Tilling for their invaluable and continuous service to IAAER and wish them all the best.

Ongoing support provided by KPMG

KPMG LLP and the KPMG Foundation have committed to sponsor IAAER’s website and eIFRS access for its members for an additional three years. Further, KPMG will extend the successful grant program to sponsor academic research that informs the IASB and the diversity research grant. IAAER gratefully acknowledges KPMG’s extensive and long lasting support.

IAAER and ACCA Early Career Researchers Workshop in Bucharest: continued funding for 2018-2020 provided by ACCA Global

Immediately preceding the AMIS 2017 conference in Bucharest (Romania), the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) and the IAAER co-organized another edition of the Emerging Accounting Scholars Research Workshop. On June 6, internationally recognized scholars led sessions designed to increase participants’ research skills (for example, discussing/reviewing a research paper, basic research designs). On June 7, ten research proposals authored or co-authored by emerging scholars were presented, and guidance was provided on ways to increase the quality of the research and publication potential of these proposals. Additionally, feedback was provided on the proposals before the workshop presentation. All 18 international workshop presenting and non-presenting authors (representing eight universities) truly thank the mentors who continue to volunteer their time for the support of their academic careers. The workshop was coordinated by Catalin Albu and Nadia Albu both of Bucharest University of Economic Studies and Donna Street of the University of Dayton.

Following the success of these workshops in recent years, IAAER gratefully acknowledges ACCA’s commitment to continue funding the workshops for the next three years, 2018-2020.

IAAER Conferences

IAAER and Cracow University of Economics Financial Reporting and Auditing Conference in Cracow (Poland), September 26-27, 2017

Cracow University of Economics and IAAER will host a conference on Financial Reporting and Auditing: Challenges and Opportunities for Accounting Researchers and Educators. The conference will be preceded by an IAAER Paper Development Workshop on September 25,
Funding for the paper development workshop is being provided by CIMA. For details on the conference click here and check the options to still register.

**Annual Accounting Conference “Accounting Research: Diversity within Unity” co-organized by AS-VHB and IAAER in Berlin (Germany), February 27-28, 2018**

The Accounting Section of the German Academic Association for Business Research (AS-VHB) together with IAAER co-organize a conference on “Accounting Research: Unity within Diversity” at the European School of Management and Technology (ESMT) in Berlin (Germany). Please see the call for papers here. The submission deadline is September 30, 2017.

**13th World Congress of Accounting Educators and Researchers in Sydney (Australia), November 8-10, 2018**

The University of Sydney together with IAAER will host the next World Congress of Accounting Educators and Researchers in Sydney. Please save the date. A flyer on sponsorship opportunities is available here.

**Calls for papers and conferences announcements**

**Institute of Management Accountants – IMA Educational Case Journal (IECJ)**

The Institute of Management Accountants (IMA®) is pleased to announce that as of July 1, 2017, IMA Educational Case Journal (IECJ ®) has two new associate editors, Jason Porter and Leif Sjöblom.

IMA also calls for submissions to its IECJ® Fall Ethics Case Writing Competition: Cases must be based on real companies or events and relate to an ethical situation. Cases submitted to the competition will concurrently be reviewed for publication in IECJ. Submission deadline is October 15, 2017. For details click here.

**Research funding and grants**

**Proposals invited for IAAER/KPMG Informing the IASB Standard Setting Process Grant Program – Round 6**

Proposals are invited for round six of the IAAER KPMG Informing the IASB Standard Setting process research grant program. The program advisory committee assessing the proposals consists of the following experts from KPMG, IAAER and the IASB: Mary E. Barth, Holger Erchinger, Paul Munter, Katherine Schipper, Donna L. Street, Anne McGeachin, Ann Tarca, and Alfred Wagenhofer. Full information is available here.

Announcing the IAAER KPMG grant program, IASB Chairman, Hans Hoogervorst said:
“Academia plays an essential role in the development of IFRS Standards, and I welcome the insights to standard-setting that will continue to be provided through the grant program with this latest round of research.”

**IMA Research Foundation Funding Opportunities**

The Institute of Management Accountants (IMA®) Research Foundation funds timely research in management accounting and financial management topics for academics, practitioners, and doctoral students. Details may be accessed [here](#).

**CIMA Research Funding Opportunities**

CIMA provides three different kinds of research grant - Topic Specific, Ad-hoc and Seedcorn. Their next topic specific call is scheduled for 2018. Details of CIMA funding opportunities may be accessed [here](#). Please also check the most recent reports from academic research projects funded by CIMA [here](#).