IAAER Activities

Professor Leslie Hodder appointed IAAER representative on the IFRS Advisory Council

The Trustees of the IFRS Foundation, responsible for the oversight and governance of the IASB, have confirmed the appointment of Professor Leslie Hodder (Indiana University, Kelley School of Business, USA) to the IFRS Advisory Council. The appointments takes effect on January 1, 2020 and is for a three-year period.

The Council advises the IFRS Foundation Trustees and the Board on strategic and technical matters. It consists of representatives from over 40 groups that are affected by and interested in international financial reporting, including academics, analysts, auditors, investors, preparers, professional accounting bodies, regulators and standard-setters. The Council membership is held by the organization concerned, and not its individual representative.

JIFMA Open Call for Papers

JIFMA is the official research journal of IAAER. The journal publishes original research dealing with international aspects of financial management and reporting, banking and financial services, auditing and taxation. It is an ISI ranked, SSCI listed journal with an Impact Factor (2018) of 1.485. The journal is co-edited by Sidney Gray and Richard Levich. For further information, please see JIFMA website here.

Informing the IASB Standard Setting Process: IAAER - KPMG Research Opportunities - Round 7

The International Association for Accounting Education and Research (IAAER), the KPMG Foundation, and KPMG Global Services Group are pleased to invite research proposals under the Informing the IASB Standard Setting Process Research Program. The program supports scholarly research that is intended to provide objective, evidence-based inputs to the IASB's decision process on any current agenda item. Up to five research grants of \$US 25,000 each will be awarded under this program. Funded projects will be presented at three events that will also include representatives from the IASB. Funding for this program has been provided by the KPMG Foundation and KPMG Global Services Group. The full call for proposals is available here. Contact Donna Street at dstreet1@udayton.edu for more information. The proposal submission deadline is February 17, 2020.

IFAC's new approach to advancing accountancy education

IFAC has a new approach to advancing accounting education. The new approach involves the formation of an International Accountancy Education Panel (IPAE). The panel comprises members from various professional backgrounds (including Professional Accounting Organizations, Accounting firms and Academics) and regions (including North America, Europe, Asia, Africa/Middle East, Latin America and Oceania). IAAER has observer status on the IPAE. To raise awareness of the International Education Standards and IFAC's approach to advancing accountancy education, a video is available for distribution here.

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In October 2019 the International Accounting Education Standards Board (IAESB) released four revised International Education Standards (IESs) addressing learning and development for information and communications technologies (ICT) and professional skepticism. The revised education standards are available here.

IAAER Conferences and Workshops

Meditari Accountancy Research Conference 2020 in Collaboration with SAAA and IAAER, Cape Town (South Africa), June 29-30, 2020

The overall conference combines the bi-annual conference of Meditari Accountancy Research with the South African Accounting Association's Teaching and Learning conference. Paper submissions are welcome until April 9, 2020. For further information please view the Call for Papers here.

IAAER ACCA Central and Eastern European Emerging Accounting Scholars Research Workshop, Bucharest (Romania), September 28-29, 2020

The Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) together with IAAER will host their annual joint workshop to provide emerging scholars from Central and Eastern Europe (CEE) with feedback on their research proposals and to help develop their research skills. Please view the Call for Papers here.

IAAER APCAM Latin American Accounting Scholars Research Workshop, Mexico City (Mexico), September 9, 2020

The International Association for Accounting Education and Research (IAAER) and APCAM will host an Accounting Scholars Research Workshop in Mexico City. The objectives of the workshop are to provide scholars from Latin America with feedback on their research proposals and to help develop their research skills. Representatives of IAAER will select the research projects to be presented during the workshop and will attend the workshop to provide feedback and guidance to the participants. The workshop is open to all accounting scholars holding or pursuing a terminal degree that are affiliated with higher education institutions in Latin American countries and that are committed to improving their research skills capacity. Please view the Call for Papers here.

APACAM/ITAM/IAAER Joint Conference, Mexico City (Mexico), September 9-11, 2020

APACAM's XI International Congress on Innovations in Teaching Accounting and Business will be held jointly with IAAER on September 09-11, 2020 in Mexico City. Submissions are welcome until May 1, 2020. For further information please view the Call for Papers here.

IAAER/Taiwan Accounting Association Joint Conference, Taipei (Taiwan), 2021 (dates to be confirmed)

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Accounting Section of VHB / IAAER Joint Conference 2022 (dates and location forthcoming)

Krakow University of Economics / IAAER Joint Conference, Krakow (Poland), September 2023 (dates forthcoming)

Research funding and grants

2nd IPSASB Research Forum, Hosted by the CIGAR Workshop 2020 in Oslo (Norway), 7 June 2020

IPSASB is offering grants of USD 1,500 for research on a number of specified topics. The grant recipients, as well as other scholars, will present the first drafts of their full papers at the 2020 Research Forum, in order to receive feedback from fellow academics, IPSASB members and staff. Grant recipients are then expected to finalize their paper by 8 September 2020 and to present it in the week of 15 September 2020 at the IPSAS Board Meeting in Paris, France. Final papers are invited to be published in Public Money & Management, after undergoing a formal peer review process, involving one reviewer from CIGAR and one from IPSASB. Submissions are due on December 15, 2019. For further information please view the Call for Papers here.

IMA Research Foundation Incubator Grant

The IMA Research Foundation is committed to developing the management accounting researchers of tomorrow. They recognize that it can be difficult for less-experienced researchers to obtain funding through traditional channels. They also know that it can be hard to fully evaluate the merits and feasibility of a research idea, without first undertaking preliminary investigations. Their current Incubator Grant Call for Submissions is open until January 31, 2020. For further information please view the Call for Papers here.

IMA Academic Research Grant Program

IMA encourages submission of innovative research proposals in the area of accounting and finance by both academics and practitioners. The proposals should clearly communicate the purpose and scope of the proposed research project and how it relates to primary management accounting activities such as decision support, planning, and control. For further information please view the program brochure here.

IMA Research Foundation Outstanding Scholars Awards Program

The IMA Research Foundation (IRF) has established the IMA Scholars Awards Program to recognize the accomplishments of outstanding management accounting researchers. The IMA Research Foundation will accept nomination for these awards from September 1, 2019 through January 31, 2020. Nominations may be submitted by the individual candidate, by a peer, or by a member of the IMA Research Foundation's Awards Committee. For further information please view the award brochure here.

IMA Doctoral Scholars Program

The goal of this program is to increase the number of professors who teach and research in

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management accounting. The program will provide support for students at various stages in their doctoral education in accredited programs, enabling them to work on research that will advance management accounting research and practice. Management accounting scholars will go on to teach and mentor the next generation of students and help advance the future of management accounting research and the profession. For further information please view the program leaflet here.

ICAS Calls for Research Proposals

Following ICAS' now closed summer 2019 calls for research on Intangibles and Technology, the Research Centre is committed to providing funding for policy-relevant impactful research on those topics. Further related calls will be issued in 2020.

ICAS continues to welcome pro-active applications for research projects primarily relevant to the accounting profession. ICAS will however also support projects which will consider impacts on other activities and professions. Likewise, research teams do not need to be solely composed of accounting academics, with multi-disciplinary teams encouraged, and ICAS welcomes all research methods. For further information visit the ICAS website here.

Calls for papers and non-IAAER conference announcements

Advances in Accounting Education: Teaching and Curriculum Innovations

Submissions are invited for forthcoming volumes of Advances in Accounting Education (AIAE). AIAE publishes a wide variety of articles dealing with accounting education at the college and university level. AIAE encourages readable, relevant, and reliable articles in all areas of accounting education including auditing, financial and managerial accounting, forensic accounting, governmental accounting, taxation, accounting systems, etc. Articles from outside the U.S. are encouraged. The full call for papers is available here

IMA Accepting Entries for Annual Carl Menconi Ethics Case Writing Competition

International Scientific and Practical Conference "Social and Economic Development of Countries and Regions through Clusters" in Samara (Russia), May 20-21, 2020

The National Institute of Professional Accountants, Financial Managers and Economists (NIPA) in collaboration with the Samara State University of Economics and supported by the Samara Regional Duma (Parliament) hold an International Scientific and Practical Conference "Social and Economic Development of Countries and Regions through Clusters" on May 20-21, 2020 at the Samara Regional Duma (Parliament) and Samara State University of Economics. Further information is available here.

ACE 2020 - IMA's Annual Conference and Expo in Atlanta (USA), June 21-24, 2020

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Featuring appearances of Jay Leno, Mike Walsh, Russ Golden, and Joe Wolk, registration for IMA's 2020 Conference and Expo opens mid-February. Further details are available here.

2020 AFAANZ Conference in Melbourne (Australia), July 5-7, 2020

AFAANZ hold their 2020 annual conference ("Celebrating 60 years") in Melbourne (Australia), from July 5-7, 2020. They invite paper submissions until February 10, 2020. For further information please view the Call for Papers here.

AMIS 2020 International Conference in Bucharest (Romania), September 30-October 1, 2020

The 15th edition of the Accounting and Management Information Systems (AMIS 2020) conference will be hosted by the Bucharest University of Economic Studies (Romania), on September 30 - October 1, 2020. For further information please view the Call for Papers here.

From our institutional and university member network

Recent ICAS Research Publications

The research project "Speak up? Listen up? Whistleblow?" examined how ICAS members respond to ethical dilemmas, but its findings and recommendations are relevant to a much wider audience. The reports are available to download as follows:

Speak up? Listen up? Whistleblow? A survey of ICAS members

Speak up? Listen up? Whistleblow? In their own words – insights into the ethical dilemmas of ICAS members