



# IAAER

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR  
ACCOUNTING EDUCATION & RESEARCH



## **CALL FOR PROPOSALS/PAPERS AND PARTICIPATION**

### **IAAER ACCA Emerging Accounting Scholars Paper Development Workshop**

**8-9 June 2015**

**Immediately Preceding AMIS 2015  
Hosted by Bucharest University of Economic Studies**

**Funding Provided by ACCA Global**

The International Association for Accounting Education and Research (IAAER) and Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) will host an Early Career Researchers Workshop in Bucharest, Romania on **8 – 9 June 2015** in conjunction with the AMIS 2015 Conference that is being organized by the Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Romania. The objective of the workshop is to provide doctoral students, early career researchers and emerging scholars (collectively referred to as emerging scholars) from transitional economies with feedback on their research and to develop their research skills. Representatives of the ACCA and IAAER will select the research projects to be featured during the workshop and will attend the workshop to provide comprehensive feedback and guidance to the participants.

Emerging scholars are invited to submit unpublished papers and research proposals (i.e. paper ideas) to be considered for presentation at the workshop. Up to 12 papers / proposals will be selected for presentation at the workshop.

On Monday night 8 June, the workshop will begin with a reception where the emerging scholars participating in the workshop can informally network with ACCA and IAAER representatives.

The workshop will be held Tuesday 9 June. During the morning sessions, internationally recognized scholars will participate in panels addressing general research skills development. These sessions will provide a platform for discussion of research ideas and issues. Following lunch, emerging scholars will make their research presentations. Following each research presentation, ACCA and IAAER representatives will assess the work and provide guidance on ways to increase the quality of the research project and hence its publication potential. Written feedback will also be provided to presenters prior to the workshop to assist them in identifying ways to modify the paper/proposal prior to the workshop.

Papers/proposals should be submitted on or before **31 March 2015** to Professor Donna Street at [dstreet1@udayton.edu](mailto:dstreet1@udayton.edu). Papers should not exceed 20 pages (including tables and references). Research proposals (paper ideas) should not exceed five pages. All submissions should be double-spaced, utilize size 12 Times New Roman font, and be in English. Each submission should include a brief (one page or less) bio of the author including information regarding the author's current employer (university) and the author's doctoral granting institution and the date the PhD was received (or in the case of doctoral candidates the anticipated date for receiving the PhD). Only those submissions adhering to the guidelines will be considered for presentation.

Authors selected to participate in the workshop will be notified about the acceptance of their paper/proposal no later than **30 April 2015**. Authors are to confirm their participation by **3 May 2015** or will be dropped from the program. All participating authors must attend the entire workshop on Tuesday and the reception on Monday night, and also attend AMIS 2015 on 10-11 June 2015. Please make your travel arrangements with these dates in mind. For those authors selected to present at the workshop, accommodation of up to three nights will be provided at a hotel situated close to the vicinity of the workshop, the AMIS registration fee will be waived and a travel grant of up to 300 Euro will be provided to cover actual travel costs. Funding for the hotel and travel grants is provided by ACCA Global.

**There is no fee for attending the workshop.** However, spaces are limited. **Attendance is also open to emerging scholars not presenting at the workshop; however, you must register your interest in participating in advance. Please register your interest in attending the workshop via email by 3 May 2015 to [dstreet1@udayton.edu](mailto:dstreet1@udayton.edu).** Your email should include an abbreviated CV. Early application is encouraged.

The ACCA and IAAER believe the Workshop will provide valuable feedback and networking opportunities for the emerging scholars attending. We hope you will consider submitting a paper/proposal. If you are not eligible to participate in this program, please encourage emerging scholars on your faculty and doctoral students to submit a paper/proposal.

Internationally recognized scholars participating in the workshop will include but not be limited to:

Paul André, ESSEC, France  
Ulf Brüggemann, Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany  
Robert Faff, University of Queensland, Australia  
Elizabeth Gordon, Temple University, USA  
Leslie Hodder, Indiana University, USA  
Patrick Hopkins, Indiana University, USA  
Linda Kidwell, University of Wyoming, USA  
Gilad Livne, University of Exeter, UK  
Katherine Schipper, Duke University, USA  
Donna Street, University of Dayton, USA  
Alfred Wagenhofer, University of Graz, Austria

For further questions, to submit an interest of participation, or the submission of a research proposal, please email Professor Donna Street, at [dstreet1@udayton.edu](mailto:dstreet1@udayton.edu).

#### **Workshop Coordinators**

Professor Donna Street IAAER Director of Research and Educational Activities  
and University of Dayton

Professors Cătălin Albu and Nadia Albu both of Bucharest University of Economic Studies

#### **KEY DATES**

Deadline for proposal submission: **31 March 2015**

Selection decisions advised: **30 April 2015**

Deadline to accept invitation to present at the workshop: **3 May 2015**

