

Call for Papers

The 1st International Conference on Accounting, Business, Leadership and Information Management

August 7 – 9, 2009, Beijing Friendship Hotel, Beijing, China

Papers are invited for the concurrent paper sessions and IJAIM plenary paper sessions

Introduction

The 1st International Conference on Accounting, Business, Leadership and Information Management (ICABLIM 2009) is hosted by the International Journal of Accounting and Information Management, an esteemed referred journal published by the internationally acclaimed British publisher, Emerald Group Publishing. The theme of the conference is “**Leading to Global Frontiers**”. The conference aims to promote academic exchanges between international and Chinese participants in all areas of business. Beijing, China, home to the 2008 Summer Olympic Games, the emerging economics frontiers, will be the hosting city for the Conference.

Emerald will sponsor the Best Paper Award, with £250 in cash.

Manuscripts previously published or currently under review are not acceptable. All submissions are subject to a double-blind review process. To ensure anonymity in the review process, authors must not identify themselves in the paper. Consult the conference website at www.icablum.org for submission guidelines and other details.

Program Highlights

The 3-day conference comprises tracks in Accounting, Finance, Management, Marketing, Ethics, International Business, Leadership, Entrepreneurship, Strategy, Mobil Commerce, Quality and Productivity, Cross Cultural Management Practices, Operations & Supply Chains, and Information Management Issues. Dr Nick Capaldi will chair a workshop on Entrepreneur Ethics. The Keynote speakers for the Program are Dr William Locander, Dean of Business at Loyola University New Orleans and Dr Ted Malloch, Chairman and CEO of the Roosevelt Group.

Important Dates

Submissions, in the forms of Full Paper, Abstract or Work-in-Progress, to the Concurrent sessions must be received no later than **March 9, 2009**. Submissions, in the form of Full Paper, to IJAIM Plenary paper sessions must be received no later than **March 2, 2009**. Authors submitting for either session can expect to be notified of the chairs' decision by **March 31, 2009**. Papers not selected for IJAIM Plenary sessions will be automatically considered for the Concurrent paper sessions. Authors who do not wish their papers to be considered for Concurrent paper sessions **should clearly state this** in their IJAIM Plenary papers submission.

Registration Fees

		<u>International Participants</u>	<u>Chinese Participants</u>
Early bird Registration	Up to April 3, 2009	US\$400	US\$200
Normal Registration	Up to July 31, 2009	US\$430	US\$220
Workshop Registration	Up to July 31, 2009	US\$100	US\$50

1. Registration fees cover conference bag, proceedings, welcome reception, gala dinner, 2 lunches and all refreshments.
2. Pre- and Post-conference Study Tours to Beijing, Shanghai and Xi'an are organized with additional fees.
3. Conference hotel is the Beijing Friendship Hotel, a 5-Star international hotel, the largest garden-style hotel in Asia. Limited block bookings with special rates are provided for all participants.
4. Registrations will be accepted during the conference, \$50 late fee will apply.

Further information

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