

AAC 2013 Convention Cluj, Transylvania, Romania

The convention aims to provide an opportunity for accounting scholars from Central and Eastern Europe to present and share their research with other scholars and accounting policy makers throughout the region. The convention comprises a main conference with parallel sessions that include paper presentations, panel discussions on international accounting issues, and keynote presentations. The convention also includes two important developmental activities, including a doctoral course in advance of the main conference, and a doctoral colloquium, at which selected students will have an opportunity to present their work. The hosted events will be organized in order to enhance discussions on particular topics of interest for the participants. Further details concerning the events being comprised within the convention are to be announced. Special attention will also be given to offering doctoral students and young researchers feedback on their work.

The convention's plenary sessions will include presentations being delivered by our distinguished **keynote speakers:**

Professor Mary E. Barth, *Stanford University* Professor Alfred Wagenhofer, *University of Graz*

Scientific committee members include Professor David Alexander, Professor Mary E. Barth, Professor Alain Burlaud, Professor John Christensen, Professor Peter Fiechter, Professor Begoña Giner, Professor Axel Haller, Professor Ion Ionascu, Professor Pekdemir Recep, Professor Wayne Landsman, Professor Ken Peasnell, Professor Aileen Pierce, Professor Mathew Tsamenyi, Professor Alfred Wagenhofer.









The Convention Features

The AAC 2013 Convention is hosted by the Accounting and Audit Department within the Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj Napoca, Romania. The convention comprises a number of three main events as follows:

- Main Conference (6th AAC Conference, September 11-12, 2013),
- **Doctoral Course** *Analytical and Empirical Accounting Research* (an introductory course hosted by professors John Christensen and, Wayne Landsman September 08 10, 2013), and
- Doctoral Colloquium (3rd TIARD Doctoral Colloquium, September 12, 2013).
 Participation in the Doctoral Colloquium is limited to students who are selected for the Doctoral Course.

More details related to the Convention's events are available on AAC 2013 Convention's website (www.econ.ubbcluj.ro/aac2013).

Main Conference Details

Target audience

Submissions are expected considering a broad range of interest topics in the area of accounting research. Papers will be subjected to a double blind review process. Accepted papers will be included in the corresponding events' schedule in accordance to the approached topic. A discussant will be assigned for each presented paper.

Submission guidelines

Papers should be submitted through the convention's website. Submitted papers must be full papers that are written in English in accordance to a high quality research paper style. There are no special format or template requirements for the submission.

The online paper submission system (http://www.openconf.org/aac2013/openconf.php) will be open on the convention's website starting October 1, 2012 until March 15, 2013, representing the submission deadline. Following the review process, a decision will be made and notified in up to 4 weeks after the submission date. Early submissions are welcomed and should be using the contact e-mail addresses (r.v.mustata@gmail.com or razvan.mustata@econ.ubbcluj.ro).









Publication opportunities

All accepted and presented papers will be included in the Convention proceedings on CD with ISBN. The convention proceedings will be submitted for inclusion within the *Conference Proceedings Citation Index of ISI Thomson*. The abstract of all papers being comprised within the convention's program will be posted on the convention's website.

Registration procedure

Authors of accepted papers will be required to revise their paper in accordance to the reviewer's comments and resubmit the final form of their paper. The convention fee is of €250 per participant and includes participation in the Main Conference and Doctoral Colloquium, convention bag and materials, coffee breaks, lunches and gala dinner. The registration form and payment proof should be sent at r.v.mustata@gmail.com.

Please do not hesitate to contact us at <u>r.v.mustata@gmail.com</u> or <u>razvan.mustata@econ.ubbcluj.ro</u> in case you need further details. We also kindly invite you to visit our convention's website at http://www.econ.ubbcluj.ro/aac2013.

Accommodation

Recommended hotels: Hotel Univers T (3 stars, starting at 40 Euro/night/single room, 5 min. walking distance), City Plaza Hotel (4 stars, starting at 145 Euro/night/single room, 10 min. driving) and Opera Plaza Hotel (5 stars, starting at 149 Euro/night/single room, 10 min. walking distance).

Travel information

Traveling to Cluj-Napoca can be done by plane (Cluj International Airport), train or car. Detailed travel related information to the event venue is available on AAC 2013 Convention's website www.econ.ubbcluj.ro/aac2013.

Contact

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Accounting and Audit Convergence

2013 Convention 08-12 September

6th AAC Conference

September 11-12, 2013

Doctoral Course

Introduction to analytical and empirical accounting research

September 8-10, 2013

3rd TIARD Doctoral Colloquium

September 12, 2013

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