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# 30th International Congress on Social and Environmental Accounting Research 5<sup>th</sup> Emerging Scholars Colloquium, August 27, 2018 University of St Andrews, Scotland (UK)

CSEAR is pleased to organize the 5<sup>th</sup> Emerging Scholars Colloquium, a one-day event for emerging scholars working on social and environmental accounting research. This year the colloquium will take place on the 27th of August, 2018, immediately before the 30th International Congress on Social and Environmental Accounting Research that will be held in University of St Andrews, Scotland (UK) on 28-30 August 2018. The participants of the Emerging Scholars Colloquium are expected to join the CSEAR UK Congress after the colloquium.

**The aim** of the colloquium is to provide an opportunity for emerging scholars in social and environmental accounting research to present and discuss their research projects alongside a cohort of distinguished international faculty. The colloquium will be relatively informal to enable intensive intellectual debate.

In addition to helping take research projects forward, with this one-day event we aspire to introduce emerging scholars into the social and environmental accounting research community. Simultaneously, the event also aims to prompt a reflection about questions, issues and topics that might be of interest to emerging scholars. For this purpose, we invite the participants to actively raise questions and concerns throughout the event in seeking to create a lively and engaged forum for discussion.

### The Faculty

The colloquium will combine full plenary sessions with small group sessions guided by six leading scholars in the social and environmental accounting research. The faculty members present different research traditions, and provide a range of expertise of various theoretical and methodological approaches.

Jesse Dillard, University of Central Florida, US& Victoria University of Wellington, NZ Sheila Killian, University of Limerick, Ireland Carlos Larrinaga, Universidad de Burgos, Spain Leonardo Rinaldi, Royal Holloway University of London, UK Robin Roberts, University of Central Florida, US Andrea Romi, Texas Tech University, US

The event is organised by Carmen Correa (*Universidad Pablo de Olavide de Sevilla, Spain*) and Giovanna Michelon, (*University of Exeter, UK*).

## Criteria for the selection of participants

To facilitate dialogue and discussion, the number of emerging scholars invited to participate will be limited. Ideally, participants should have at minimum made some progress in their doctoral research. All other early career scholars are also encouraged to apply to the colloquium. Do note, however, that due to limited capacity any research projects presented at the Emerging Scholars Colloquium are not to be presented at the main CSEAR conference.



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Submissions will be selected according to:

- quality (broadly defined) of the research project proposal, and
- geographical, gender, theoretical and methodological diversity.

### Applications

Emerging scholars wishing to participate in this event are invited to submit:

1. A progress report on their research project (maximum 2,000 words). The report should summarize the research question pursued, the theoretical and methodological framework(s) used or considered, the expected contribution, the potential implications of the research, the discussion of the results to date, the encountered challenges, and appropriate bibliographical references outlining the positioning of the work.

2. A one-page curriculum vitae, indicating at least the name, email, affiliation, years in the doctoral program to date (if applicable) and PhD supervisor (if applicable).

Applications should be submitted no later than April 15, 2018 to both <u>mccorrui@upo.es</u> and <u>G.Michelon@exeter.ac.uk</u> indicating "CSEAR Emerging Scholars Colloquium 2018" in the subject. Invited students will be notified by May 21, 2018.

#### Practical information

<u>Venue</u>: The Gateway Building, University of St Andrews, North Haugh, St Andrews.

<u>Accommodation</u>: Like the CSEAR 2018 UK conference, the CSEAR Emerging Scholars Colloquium will be organized as a residential event. For more information, please visit CSEAR website.

<u>Cost</u>: Thanks to the generous support from CIMA, there is no separate participation fee for the CSEAR Emerging Scholars Colloquium. All participating emerging scholars are however required to register and attend the 30<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Social and Environmental Accounting Research. For more information, please visit the CSEAR website.

<u>Bursaries</u>: Thanks to the generous support from CIMA, CSEAR is able to offer bursaries which, if granted, cover the participant's congress registration fee. For further information regarding the application process and how to apply, please visit the CSEAR website.