



FIRST CALL FOR PAPERS

2nd ACCOUNTING FORUM CONFERENCE

June 1-3, 2026

Bucharest University of Economic Studies (Academia de Studii Economice din Bucuresti – ASE) Bucharest, Romania

We invite accounting (and non-accounting) academics from all geographic areas to submit papers and share their ideas at the **2nd** *Accounting Forum* **Conference** on **June 1-3, 2025**, which will be hosted by the <u>Bucharest University of Economic Studies (ASE)</u>, Faculty of Accounting and Management Information Systems.

<u>Accounting Forum</u> publishes authoritative yet accessible articles which advance our knowledge of theory and practice in all areas of accounting and related subjects, and welcomes papers with an interdisciplinary approach in these areas. Through our conference, we aim to promote greater understanding of the role of business and accounting in the global environment, and provide a forum for the intellectual exchange of academic research covering a range of topical issues and contemporary developments in accounting and related fields.

In line with *Accounting Forum*'s vision, the theme of this conference is to bring together researchers in accounting and related areas from varying viewpoints, approaches and paradigms; provide a forum for ways we might bridge the gaps in our understanding; and broaden the scope of discussions beyond our own research groups. As such, papers addressing *any* interesting accounting-related research question, using appropriate research methodologies and research paradigms, are welcomed. Innovative approaches are encouraged.

Attendees will include academics, practitioners and PhD students at all levels of experience, and involved with all aspects of theory and practice in accounting and related disciplines. The conference will be open to submissions **from across the broad spectrum of accounting research** and will also offer a *Meet the Editors* session.

Keynote Speaker

We are delighted to announce that our inaugural plenary keynote speaker will be <u>Joanna Krasodomska</u> from the Krakow University of Economics, Poland.

Conference website

Information about registration and accommodation (and other items) will be updated on the <u>conference</u> website.

Paper submission

Full papers should be submitted through the online submission system. Details will be made available on the website in due course.

Important dates

January 31, 2026: Submission system opens
March 1, 2026: Paper submission deadline

March 31, 2026: Response to authors May 1, 2026: Registration deadline

Conference Venue

The conference will take place at the <u>Bucharest University of Economic Studies (ASE)</u>, 7 Piata Romana, Bucharest. More information will be made available on the conference website.

Registration

Registration information will be made available on the conference website in due course.

Accommodation

Delegates will need to book their own hotel accommodation in Bucharest. A list of suggested hotel options will be made available on the conference website soon.

Conference Program and Information

The conference will start in the **afternoon of June 1** with the *Emerging Scholars Colloquium* (ESC) — which aims at introducing **emerging scholars**, including PhD students and early career researchers, into the accounting research community and providing them an opportunity to present and discuss their research projects alongside a cohort of distinguished international academics — followed by two full conference days. The ESC and Conference dinners, lunches and coffee breaks on all three days will be included in the conference registration fee. The conference will conclude at the **end of day of June 3**.

Conference Chairs

Charles H. Cho, Schulich School of Business, York University, Canada Aziza Laguecir, EDHEC Business School, France Byron Song, Hong Kong Baptist University, China Joanne Tingey, University of South Australia, Australia

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Immediately following

Following the 2nd Accounting Forum conference, on June 3-4, ASE will also organize the 19th edition of the Accounting and Management Information Systems (AMIS) conference, now part of the EEGAR (Eastern European Group for Accounting Research) network established between ASE, Krakow University of Economics (Poland) and Prague University of Economics and Business (Czech Republic) as a platform to organize a rotating conference for advancement of accounting research in this region. By fostering academic collaboration and knowledge sharing, the EEGAR's mission is to strengthen the position of Central and Eastern European institutions and scholars within the global research community and enhance their contributions to the evolving field of accounting. A combined (discounted) conference fee will be proposed to academics intending to attend both events.