JAAF SYMPOSIUM — CALL FOR PAPERS

2027 JAAF Symposium (International)

Zhejiang University • Hangzhou, China

June 17–19, 2027

The 2027 Journal of Accounting, Auditing and Finance Symposium (International) will be held in Hangzhou, China, on **June 17–19, 2027**. Hosted by the Department of Accounting and Finance, School of Management, Zhejiang University, the Symposium invites high-quality research on cutting-edge topics in (1) artificial intelligence (AI) and deep learning, (2) big data and analytics, (3) environmental, social, and governance (ESG) issues, (4) accounting, auditing, and governance in a changing environment, and (5) supply chain, sustainable operations and corporate innovation. Submissions using novel research methods, innovative data, or interdisciplinary approaches are particularly welcome.

Relevant Topics

- Effects of AI, deep learning, and big data on capital-market participants and other stakeholders
- Financial-reporting challenges and opportunities created by AI, deep learning, and big data
- Applications of emerging AI and deep-learning technologies and big data in accounting research
- Incentives for and economic consequences of ESG disclosure and reporting
- How market participants collect, process, and produce ESG-related information
- Accounting, auditing, and corporate governance amid technological, regulatory, and economic change
- Supply chains, sustainable operations, and corporate innovation

The Symposium will feature plenary and concurrent sessions. Plenary submissions should be closely aligned with the Symposium themes.

Concurrent-session submissions may address a broader range of accounting topics and need not be directly related to the Symposium themes.

KEY DATES & FEES
Submission deadline: February 1, 2027
Decision date: March 15, 2027
Presentation dates: June 17–19, 2027
Fast-track JAAF submission deadline for eligible plenary papers: September 15, 2027
Submission: Please submit papers by emailing to: **dept_fa@zju.edu.cn**. A **$50 submission fee** is required for each paper and may be paid by debit card, credit card, or PayPal through **this link**. Please include the payment transaction ID with the submission. Each submission will be matched with its corresponding fee payment using the payment transaction ID supplied by the author.

Note that there will be a $250 registration fee when you present or attend the symposium.

Only full papers will be considered. A full paper is a completed scholarly research project suitable for posting to a public working-paper repository such as SSRN; research proposals will not be

accepted. No formal manuscript format or page limit is required, although papers should generally not exceed 50 pages. Presenters of accepted papers must register for the Symposium.

Submission Procedures & Rules

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- A title page with the paper title, author names, affiliations, and keywords
- An anonymized main manuscript that includes an abstract but does not contain author-identifying information

Paper Sessions and Publication Path

Papers selected for plenary presentation may, with the authors' agreement, be considered under JAAF's fast-track review process. To qualify, an accepted plenary paper must be submitted to JAAF by **September 15, 2027**. Participation in the fast track is optional, and all editorial decisions remain subject to JAAF's regular policies and the judgment of its editors and reviewers. Papers presented in either plenary or concurrent sessions will be scheduled on **June 17–19, 2027.**

The Symposium Editors—C.S. Agnes Cheng, Wang Dong, and Nan Zhou—will select papers for presentation in consultation with Xiao-Jun Zhang, JAAF Editor-in-Chief. A Best Paper Award will recognize an outstanding paper presented at the Symposium.

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