



3rd Qualitative Accounting Research Symposium – Program

Venue: Room 442, University Center, University of Guelph

Friday, November 30, 2018

09:00 – 09:20	Registration with light Continental Breakfast
09:20 – 09:30	Welcome address by Sean Lyons, Associate Dean, Research & Graduate Students
Paper presentations (1)	
09:30 – 10:10	“The status of scholarship of teaching and learning in accounting discipline: A multi-case study of academics’ perspectives” Sanobar Anjum (<i>University of Calgary</i>) Discussant: Martin Persson (<i>Western University</i>)
10:10 – 10:50	“The Moral Project of Recognizing International Accountants in the Canadian Accounting Profession” <u>Joanne C Jones</u> (<i>York University</i>) & Kelly Thomson (<i>York University</i>)
10:50 – 11:10	Refreshment Break
11:10 – 12:10	Panel discussion: “Theoretical Challenges in Qualitative Accounting Research: What is Theory and What is NOT” Teerooven Soobaroyen (<i>University of Essex</i>); Alan Richardson (<i>University of Windsor</i>); John Kurpierz (<i>York University</i>) – Moderated by Matt Bamber (<i>York University</i>)
12:10 – 13:10	Lunch
Paper presentations (2)	
13:10 – 13:50	“Biographical research in accounting” Alan Richardson (<i>University of Windsor</i>)
13:50 – 14:30	“Exploring the Mechanisms of Accountability in Project Management” Kelly MacDonald (<i>University of Guelph</i>) Discussant: Matt Bamber (<i>York University</i>)
14:30 – 15:10	“Open accounts: Tracing the emergence of the 'open' discourse in public management” Leigh Ellen Walsh (<i>University of Ottawa</i>)



15:10 - 15:30	Refreshment Break
15:30 – 16:10	“What are Audit Firms Rewarding? The Case of Tangible Rewards” <i>Giselle Durand (Wilfrid Laurier University); Krista Fiolleau (University of Waterloo) & Carolyn MacTavish (Wilfrid Laurier University)</i> Discussant: Sara Wick (University of Guelph)
16:10 – 16:50	“Competing Claims to Professionalism in South Korea’s CSR Field” Charles Cho (York University)

Saturday, December 1, 2018

08:45 – 09:15	Registration with light Continental Breakfast
Paper presentations (3)	
09:15 – 09:55	“Accumulation and Conversion of Capital in transnational accountancy” Marcia Annisette (York University)
09:55 – 10:35	“State of and Governance in Islamic Finance: Sharia Scholars’ Perspectives” Haider Madani (King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals) & S.M. <u>Khalid Nainar</u> (McMaster University) Discussant: Ron Baker (University of Guelph)
10:35 - 11:00	Refreshment Break
11:00 – 12:00	<u>Keynote address</u>: “Charity Disclosure and Narratives in Times of Crises: The Case of Kids Company” Teerooven Soobaroyen (University of Essex)
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch



WORKSHOP: ‘TEXT ANALYSIS IN ACCOUNTING RESEARCH’

Researchers have analyzed the content of text for decades. In this workshop, we will explore and apply some of the new techniques and automated tools that are contributing to the explosion of text analytics. We will also examine how these techniques and tools have been used in the specific context of accounting research. Our goal is for the workshop to be useful to both researchers familiar with these tools and those who are not.

13:00 – 14:20	‘Text Analysis in Accounting Research’ – Part 1 Martin Persson (<i>Western University</i>), Louise Hayes (<i>University of Guelph</i>) & Jee-Hae Lim (<i>University of Hawaii</i>)
14:20 - 14:40	Refreshment Break
14:40 – 16:00	‘Text Analysis in Accounting Research’ – Part 2 Martin Persson (<i>Western University</i>), Louise Hayes (<i>University of Guelph</i>) & Jee-Hae Lim (<i>University of Hawaii</i>)
16:00	Symposium closing