

AMD PAPER DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

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The Editors of the *Academy of Management Discoveries (AMD)* – the journal for *empirical exploration in management and organizations* – invite submissions for its first US-based regional paper development workshop. The purpose of this workshop is to help authors develop their ideas for papers that may ultimately be submitted for review in *AMD*.

About the Workshop

This half-day event will include presentations by *AMD*'s editorial team and *AMD* authors as well as roundtable, hands-on paper development discussions.

Presentation Topics

- Abductive reasoning, plausibility and the distinctive nature of *AMD* papers.
- Surfacing phenomenon: Phenomenology and scale development research in *AMD*
- How to publish experimental research in *AMD*
- Using big data and data exploration as a basis for theoretical insight
- Is there a role for induction in *AMD*?

Roundtable Paper Development Sessions

- Up to 4 papers presented, discussed and developed at each table
- Each table discussion led by a current or founding *AMD* AE
- Tables open to both paper authors and non-author participants
- Discussions will focus on framing, methodological rigor, empirical follow-up, interpretation, and specifying directions for down-the-road theorizing

WORKSHOP STRUCTURE

| TIME | DESCRIPTION |
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| 8:45–9:45 AM | On the "Too Much Theory" Problem: Using Data to Surface Phenomenon, Generate Plausible Explanation, and Offer Insight into Anomalies |
| 9:45–10:30 | Reviewing Discoveries: How to Get Your Work Published in AMD |
| 10:30–10:45 | BREAK – Coffee/Tea/Soda/light snacks |
| 10:45–1:00 PM | Break-out sessions for paper review and development <i>(one or two sequences depending on the number of papers received)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Two sequences, each for 1 hour.• In each sequence, each AE gives feedback on 3-4 papers. Authors give 5 minute presentation to the group.• This is followed by 10-15 minutes of AE feedback. |

REGISTRATION and Application to the Workshops

Link to register and/or upload your extended abstract:

<http://aom.link/AMDWorkshopRegistration>

- As space is limited, preference will be given first to those whose papers are being discussed in the roundtables. Additional spots will be allocated on the basis of first come, first served.
- **Those who wish to have their paper reviewed and discussed should submit an extended abstract (between 5 and 10 pages of text) of their papers or paper ideas by October 24. Abstracts will be accepted on a competitive basis.**
 - * The abstract should provide a synopsis of the research question, its relevance and significance, a statement relating to the limited ability of extant concepts and/or theory to provide a coherent response to that question, the empirical approach, and the implications of the findings for down-the-road theorizing.
- **Those who wish to participate in the workshop without submitting a paper for review and discussion need only register. (Select "No" on the form)**

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