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EMPIRICAL EXPLORATION IN MANAGEMENT AND ORGANIZATIONAL RESEARCH: A SHORT WORKSHOP ON ABDUCTIVE REASONING AND THE ROLE OF *ACADEMY OF MANAGEMENT DISCOVERIES*

Université Paris-Dauphine
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Friday, September 21, 2018
TIME: 2:00 – 6:00 PM

Academy of Management Discoveries (*AMD*) – *the journal for empirical exploration in management and organizations* – invites submissions for its 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 event will include presentations by *AMD's* Associate Editor, Christopher Tucci and Founding Associate Editor, Chet Miller as well as hands-on paper development discussions.

PSL Governance Analytics (PSL-GA) will host the event. Governance Analytics is a research initiative at *Paris Science & Lettres University* that brings together researchers in Computer Science, Economics, Management, Political Science, and Sociology interested in governance issues. The purpose of PSL Governance Analytics is to acquire, process and analyze data on collective decision-making mechanisms, institutional dynamics, and the functioning of markets and organizations.

Presentation topics:
➢ Abductive (as opposed to deductive and inductive) reasoning as a necessary basis for research in management and organizations
➢ Plausibility vs. Confirmation, and the distinctive nature of *AMD* papers.
➢ Surfacing phenomenon: Phenomenology and scale development research in *AMD*
➢ Meta-analysis and replication research in *AMD*
➢ Using big/secondary data as a basis for theoretical insight
➢ How to maximize the odds of paper acceptance in *AMD*

Roundtable paper development sessions:
- ➢ Feedback on papers that authors are considering for submission to Academy of Management Discoveries
- ➢ Up to 5 papers presented, discussed and developed at each table.
- ➢ Each table discussion led by a current or founding *AMD* Associate Editor
- ➢ 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
DESCRIPTION
Welcome
Plenary Session: *AMD* -- The Journal for Empirical Exploration
Break-out sessions for paper review and development • In each sequence, each AE gives feedback on 4-5 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:

REGISTRATION AND APPLICATION

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 <u>September 10, 2018</u>. 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.

- ➢ **Before you submit your extended abstract please make sure that your extended abstract is appropriate for *AMD* by reading *AMD*'s Information for Contributors guidelines and the FAQs.**

- ➢ Those who wish to participate in the workshop without submitting a paper for review and discussion need only register *(Select "No" on the form)*

Please contact amd@aom.org with questions and inquiries.

Directions to Dauphine University

The main entrance to the university is located 2, boulevard Lannes in Paris, next to the Porte Dauphine metro station. Directions can be found here. The workshop will take place in "Espace One" (1st floor).