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# The 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Accounting and Finance (ICOAF-2024)

# **CALL FOR PAPERS**

July 12th, 2024

Extendend submission deadline: May 31st, 2024 Venue: Grand Tourane hotel, Danang City, Vietnam

Webpage: http://due.udn.vn/vi-vn/icoaf

The University of Danang - University of Economics (*DUE*, *Vietnam*), Institute of Global Finance at the University of New South Wales (*Australia*) and Tunku Abdul Rahman University of Management and Technology (Malaysia), in association with The University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City (*UEH*) and VNU University of Economics and Business (*UEB*), are organizing *the 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Accounting and Finance (ICOAF-2024*), to be held on July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024 in Danang City, Vietnam.

Established in 2015, ICOAF serves as a pivotal platform where researchers, renowned experts, practitioners, and policymakers converge to foster connections, collaboration, and the exchange of innovative ideas, trends, opportunities, and challenges within the diverse domains of Accounting, Finance, and Banking. The conference is poised to be a dynamic forum that transcends geographical boundaries, bringing together a global community of academics and practitioners to collectively address the evolving landscape of these disciplines. This collaborative initiative has grown in significance over the years, culminating in the upcoming ICOAF-2024, which stands as a testament to the conference's enduring commitment to advancing knowledge in these critical fields.

The Organizing Committee takes great pleasure in extending a warm invitation for your active participation in ICOAF-2024. Researchers, academicians, professionals, and policymakers are encouraged to contribute to the conference by submitting their research papers for consideration in presentation sessions. **The conference invites submissions in all areas of Accounting, Finance, and Banking, encompassing both theoretical and empirical studies** (*English submissions only*). This inclusive approach ensures that the conference embraces the diversity of perspectives and insights that characterize these dynamic fields.

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**



**Professor Cameron Truong,** Professor of Accounting at Monash University.

Prof. Truong is a world-class researcher and has published numerous articles in leading peerreviewed accounting and international business including Journal of Accounting journals, Research, The Accounting Review, The Review of Accounting Studies, Contemporary Accounting Research, Auditing: a Journal of Practice and Theory, Journal of Business Finance and Accounting, Journal of Financial Markets, Journal of Corporate Finance, Journal of Banking and Finance. Prof. Truong has won several Best Paper Awards at leading international accounting and finance conferences and several competitive research grants (AFAANZ and ACFS research grants).

# SPECIAL SESSION ON SUSTAINABLE FINANCE

Sustainable finance holds significance for Vietnam as the country, with its rapid economic growth and industrialization, faces a multitude of challenges related to environmental degradation and climate change. As global initiatives like the United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP28) and the pursuit of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) take center stage, integrating sustainable finance practices becomes crucial for long-term resilience and inclusive growth. Vietnam's commitment aligns with the imperative to balance economic development with environmental and social responsibility, positioning the country as a regional leader in sustainable finance and contributing to global sustainability goals. The adoption of sustainable finance principles ensures that economic progress is not only robust but also environmentally sustainable and socially equitable.

The special session on sustainable finance at ICOAF-2024, organized in collaboration with The University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City (*UEH*) and VNU University of Economics and Business (*UEB*), provides a platform for in-depth exploration, dialogue, and recognize the importance of ensuring that sustainable finance practices are accessible and relevant to all stakeholders, fostering a more inclusive and impactful conversation. The Special session invites *submissions in both Vietnamese and English* from academics, practitioners, and policymakers, emphasizing the following topics (*but not limited to*):

- o Green and sustainable finance
- o The impact of climate and sustainable governance on corporate policies
- o Innovations in environmental practices
- o Corporate policies in response to climate change risks
- Exploration of ESG (Environmental, Social, and Governance), CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility), and sustainability practices
- o Green bonds, carbon credits, and tools for sustainable financing
- o Dynamics of green financial markets
- Corporate strategies in adapting to changes in environmental policies
- Investment in Research and Development (R&D) and its role in promoting green innovation

All submissions must be in Word format, and be sent electronically via the conference email (icoaf@due.edu.vn) by no later than *May 31*<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

# **PUBLICATION OPPORTUNITY**

In consultation with the Editors-in-Chief and Prof. Duc Khuong Nguyen, authors of high-quality research papers will be invited to submit their manuscripts to a regular issue of International Journal of **Emerging Markets** (SSCI/Q2), **Journal Economic** of **Asymmetries** (SCOPUS/Q1), UD-Journal of Science and Technology (ACI), and Journal of **Economic Studies** (The University of Danang - University of Economics) with fast track review. Also, all accepted papers for ICOAF-2024 will be published in the proceedings conference with associated ISBN.





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#### **KEY DATES**

May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024 : Extended submission deadline June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024 : Notification of acceptance/rejection

June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024 : Registration deadline July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024 : Conference event

#### **BEST PAPER AWARDS**

All papers will be considered for the Best Paper Awards.

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