CAAA 2024 Annual Conference

Call for Education

A Rising Tide Lifts All Boats

14-15 June 2024

Halifax Marriott Harbourfront Hotel, Halifax

Submission Deadline: January 15, 2024.

About the 2024 Education Program

The theme of the 2024 CAAA Conference is "A Rising Tide Lifts All Boats." We are especially interested in education proposals that approach this theme through a practical lens with a focus on learning outcomes and growth opportunities. Join us and be part of the wave that reshapes the future of accounting in a dynamically changing world.

Possible topic areas for education sessions include but are not limited to the following:

- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging
- The future of accounting education
- Innovative and multidisciplinary approaches
- The role of technology (e.g., AI, ChatGPT, machine learning)
- ESG issues and considerations
- Mental health and stress; holistic education
- Academia and practice: bridging the gap
- Critical thinking and analytical skills
- Data analytics
- Accounting cases

Preparing your proposal

Education proposals must be between **500 and 1,000 words** in length. Please ensure you include the following information in your proposal:

1. **Topic:** Your topic and how it relates to the theme of the conference.

2. **Format:** Your preferred session format and length from the following options:
    a. ***15-minute roundtable discussion***, in which the presenter engages participants in a brief conversation on their chosen topic. (Several roundtable discussions take place simultaneously in the same room, with participants rotating to a new table/presenter every 15 minutes.)
    b. ***45-minute or 90-minute workshop***.
    c. ***45-minute presentation*** of education-related research results.
3. **Audience:** The primary audience for your session.
4. **Outcomes:** Clear learning outcomes that participants can expect to take away from your session.

Submitting your proposal

You will need to create an account on the submission platform using this link: https://www.abstractscorecard.com/cfp/submit/login.asp?EventKey=GMYOMIBL

You will then see a task list to complete. Please refer to the instructions below for guidance on each step in the task list:

1. **Presenting Author**: Enter the names of all presenters.
2. **Author Declaration**: Follow the instructions for the Education Program at the beginning of the declaration.
3. **Required Additional Information**: Fill in the information requested, ensuring that you select Yes for the question, "Is this submission for the Education Program?"
4. **Abstract**: Enter a proposal summary up to 250 words.
5. **Keywords**: Choose *Submission for the Education Program Only*.
6. **Methodologies**: Choose *Submission for the Education Program Only*.
7. **Blind paper**: Upload a PDF of your proposal with no identifying information (NO presenter names, institutions, or e-mail addresses).
8. **Non-blind paper**: Upload a PDF of your proposal with a cover page that includes full names, institutions, and e-mail addresses for all presenters.

After you have submitted your proposal, you will receive an email confirmation. Your proposal will be reviewed by members of the 2024 Education Committee, and you will be informed whether your proposal has been accepted no later than **March 15, 2024**.

We look forward to receiving your proposal!

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2024 CAAA Education Committee Chair