# 2017



# **Federation of Business Disciplines**

An organization of multiple perspectives with a single vision

2017 represents 44 years of bringing together the brightest minds to learn from one another

**Conference Dates:** 

March 8 - March 11, 2017

Little Rock Marriott & Statehouse Convention Center

For both conference and hotel registration, visit www.fbdonline.org

Mail-in Registration Deadline: Postmarked by February 10, 2017

# Join Your Colleagues at the 44th Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Federation of Business Disciplines will be in Oklahoma City, OK, one of our newer conference venues. Meetings of the nine member associations of FBD will include an assortment of program activities certain to provide a stimulating professional experience as well as an opportunity for a friendly association with colleagues:

- American Accounting Association, Southwest
- Association for Business Communication, Southwest
- Association of Business Information Systems
- Association of Collegiate Marketing Educators
- Decision Sciences Institute, Southwest
- Southwest Academy of Management
- Southwest Case Research Association
- Southwestern Finance Association
- Southwestern Society of Economists

Within programs prepared by each member association, both conceptual and empirical competitive papers addressing timely and relevant business issues will be presented. In addition, many excellent invited papers, plenary sessions, tutorials and workshops are scheduled.

### **Conference Hotel:**

Little Rock Marriott
Three Statehouse Plaza
Little Rock, AR 72201
Phone: 501.906.4000

Use the online hotel registration link found at <a href="https://www.fbdonline.org">www.fbdonline.org</a>

Reserve your hotel room early: Deadline is 11:59 p.m. CST February 17, 2017

## Why FBD?

FBD has long been recognized as a premier multidisciplinary platform for advancing business knowledge and practice, developing new standards of educational excellence, and encouraging intellectual and social interchange among academicians, university administrators, and their constituents.

FBD's nine professional associations have joined together to form a federation designed to:

- Provide and coordinate an annual meeting for association members.
- Have a common general program in which all association members will participate together.
- Provide a forum through its annual meeting to discuss and exchange ideas and to present formal research papers.
- Foster professional growth and enrichment for members of each association.
- Provide information which can be used to improve classroom instruction, research, and academic or business development.
- Honor outstanding educators and recognize distinguished papers presented at the meeting through sponsored events.
- Provide a placement service for academic positions.

FBD is a successful, nonprofit, volunteer-driven organization. Since 1974, FBD continues to be a major meeting arm of business administration educators providing outstanding programs to its professional constituencies.

All conference attendees and presenters are required to register. Registration is composed of two fees. Both fees are required:

- FBD Registration Fee
- Appropriate Association(s) Fees

Complete the Registration Form and Postmark by February 10, 2017 or Register Online by 11:59 p.m. CST on February 17, 2017

### **2017** Conference Registration

Registration is composed of two fees: Appropriate Association fees (Section A) and the FBD fee (Section B). You complete BOTH sections and pay BOTH fees to register for the conference.

#### Section A: ASSOCIATION REGISTRATION(S)

(Required to register for at least one of the 9 associations and all those where you are on program)

American Accounting Association, Southwest	American	Accounting	Association,	Southwest
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Registration Fee (includes proceedings & luncheons)	\$110.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	\$50.00
Late Registration Fee (after February 17)	\$135.00
Late Student Registration (after February 17)	\$75.00
(\$35 cancellation fee will be assessed if late cancellation)	
Shani Robinson, Sam Houston State University	
936 294 4241	\$

# Association for Business Communication, Southwestern United States

Registration Fee (includes refereed proceedings & breakfast)	\$50.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	
Late Registration Fee (after February 17)	\$65.00
Late Student Registration (after February 17)	\$55.00
For ABC Membership, please go to www.businesscommunication	n.org
Kelly Grant, Tulane University	•
504.865.5484	

#### Association of Business Information Systems

Registration Fee (includes proceedings, breakfast & journal)	\$55.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	\$40.00
Extra Proceedings Copy	\$25.00
Carla J. Barber, University of Central Arkansas	
501.450.5817\$_	

#### **Association of Collegiate Marketing Educators**

Registration Fee (includes proceedings & luncheon)	\$90.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	\$40.00
Late Registration Fee (after February 17)	\$115.00
Late Student Registration Fee (after February 17)	\$50.00
Optional Guest Luncheon (may not be available onsite)	\$50.00
Membership Renewal Only - not attending FBD	\$35.00
Kishwar Joonas, Prairie View A&M University	
936.261.9214	\$

#### **Decision Sciences Institute. Southwest**

Registration Fee (includes online proceedings)	\$45.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	\$15.00
Membership Renewal only – not attending FBD	
For Nat'l DSI Annual Membership, please go to http://www.decisionscien	
Matthew Lindsey, Stephen F. Austin State University	
936 468 1858	\$

#### Southwest Academy of Management

(Thursday Luncheon included only if pre-registration occurs by	02/17/17)
Registration Fee (includes luncheon and proceedings)	\$100.00
Student Registration (includes luncheon and proceedings)	\$60.00
Late Registration Fee (after 2/17/17, luncheon not included)	\$125.00
Late Student Registration Fee (after 2/17/17, luncheon not incle	d)\$70.00
Membership Renewal Only – not attending FBD	\$40.00
Non-SWAM member Guest Luncheon (if paid by 02/17/17)	\$40.00
Brent Kinghorn, Montana State University, Billings	
406 657 1689	\$

#### **Southwest Case Research Association**

Registration Fee (includes proceedings/breakfast)	\$65.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	\$30.00
Late Registration Fee (after February 17)	\$85.00
Late Student Registration (after February 17)	\$30.00
Julia Kwok, Northeastern Oklahoma State University	
918.449.6516	\$

#### **Southwestern Finance Association**

Registration Fee (includes luncheon & reception)	\$100.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	\$50.00
Late Registration Fee (after February 17)	\$125.00
Late Student Registration (after February 17)	\$75.00
Friday Luncheon (Please check if attending)	
Dues payment & subscription fees for the Journal of Financial	Research
go to www.Southwesternfinance.org	
Thomas H. Thompson, University of Texas at Arlington	
817.272.0518	\$

#### **Southwestern Society of Economists**

Registration Fee (includes proceedings and breakfast)	\$49.00
Student Registration (includes same as above)	\$10.00
Extra Journal Copy	\$25.00
Membership Renewal Only – not attending FBD	\$49.00
Mihai Nica, University of Central Oklahoma	
405.974.2484	\$

#### Section B: FBD REGISTRATION - REQUIRED FEE

To qualify for fees below, must postmark mail-in registrations by Feb 10

FBD Regular Member Registration Fee	\$100.00
FBD Student Registration Fee	\$50.00

Pay the following only if you wish to attend the awards reception/dinner on
Wednesday, March 8, 2017 - reception at 6:30; dinner at 7:30
(nonrefundable, nontransferable)\$50.00

#### Grand Total - Association(s) + FBD Fee......\$

Registrations paid by mail must be postmarked by February 10, 2017. Online registration available until 11:59 CST, February 17, 2017)

After these dates, on-site registration fees apply (\$125 for regular members; \$75 for students). Higher on-site association fees may also apply.

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#### Make checks payable to FBD and mail to:

Cheryl Prachyl, FBD Secretary/Treasurer University of Dallas Satish & Yasmin Gupta College of Business 1845 E. Northgate Drive

Irving, TX 75062

Office Phone: 972.721.4107 Email: cprachyl@udallas.edu

#### **Registration Procedures**

To attend sessions, make conference presentations, visit the exhibit areas, and/or other conference events, formal paid registration is required of ALL participants.

Follow the steps below to participate in these conference activities:

- 1. Complete the registration form below ENTIRELY.
- From the list of registration fees for each FBD association shown to the left, please indicate the association(s) for which you are registering by writing the respective fees/dues in the space provided. (You MUST REGISTER AS A MEMBER OF AT LEAST ONE ASSOCIATION.)
- 3. If you are unable to attend the Conference but you want to join an association, pay only the association fee or membership renewal fee and check this box.
- 4. Total your Association(s) fees and add the \$100 FBD registration fee (or \$50 student fee). The FBD registration fee is required of all participants, but is paid only once regardless of the number of other associations you join. If you wish to attend the optional Awards reception/dinner on March 8, 2017, add \$50.00 (nonrefundable and nontransferable)
- If paying by check, make check payable to FBD and mail check and completed registration form to the FBD Secretary/Treasurer. Mail-in registrations must be postmarked by February 10 2017, to avoid on-site registration fees.
- 6. If paying by credit card, you may complete the credit card information at the bottom of this form and mail the completed form by the postmark deadline of February 10, 2017. (Credit card payments are also available with online registration through 11:59 p.m. CST February 17.) Onsite registration is available at the conference, but fees are higher.

**Special Accommodations:** Anyone who requires a special accommodation for a specific disability should contact the conference hotel at least one week prior to the conference.

(Please attach business card)

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