

## Call for Submissions

### JISC2015-1st Journal of Information Systems Research Conference

The *Journal of Information Systems (JIS)* will hold the 1st *JIS* Research Conference (JISC2015) at the offices of the AICPA in Durham, NC on March 26 & 27, 2015. *JIS* is the research journal of the Accounting Information Systems (AIS) section of the American Accounting Association.

#### Sponsors

Sponsors of JISC2015 are the AICPA and CaseWare-IDEA Inc.

#### Conference Design

The design of JISC2015 is to provide an opportunity for intense discussion between academics and professionals on research in a targeted area of concern to the broad AIS community. The conference will involve research presentations, round-table discussions, and a keynote presentation. Attendance at the conference will be largely limited to those on the program: one member of each author team, commentators and panelists. If you have interest in attending the conference and will not be presenting a paper, please inquire by email ([jis-editors@aaahq.org](mailto:jis-editors@aaahq.org)) as to the possibility of attendance. Papers presented at JISC2015 will appear in a theme issue of *JIS*, edited by Dr. Diane Janvrin of Iowa State University and Dr. David Wood of Brigham Young University.

#### Topics

The focus of JISC15 is on Information Technology auditing. Given the increasing importance of technology in all aspects of business and government, IT auditing has become a vital part of internal and external audit. Topics for the conference may include:

- The development and use of IT audit tools
- IT audit and governance, risk and compliance
- Skills development for IT audit
- IT audit in a world of big data
- Risk management for IT auditing
- Impact of IT risks on the financial statement audit
- Auditing IT risks within a SOX environment
- Level of maturity of IT auditing
- Auditing IT security
- Quantification of IT risks
- Auditing within a distributed computing environment and the cloud
- Planning IT audits
- Continuous audit
- IT audit and privacy
- Undertaking IT audits within a standards environment
- Using generalist auditors for undertaking IT audit engagements

#### Paper Submission

Final papers should follow the *JIS* editorial policy and be submitted to *JIS* using the AAA's manuscript management system. Full details are available at [www.jisonline.com](http://www.jisonline.com). Papers accepted to JISC2015 also receive a conditional acceptance to *JIS*. Research teams are expected to improve their papers following the guidance from the academic and professional reviewers and from interaction at the conference. Papers not accepted for the conference may continue to receive editorial review by *JIS*.

#### Research Methodologies

All research methodologies are welcome, including experimental, qualitative, field study, analytical, behavioral, archival, design science, and empirical.

**Financial Support**

The author team for each accepted paper will receive funding to help defray travel costs to attend the conference (e.g., plane tickets, hotel, etc.). Authors from the USA, Mexico, and Canada will receive \$1,000. Authors from other countries will receive \$1,500.

**Deadlines**

The deadlines for JISC15 are:

- December 15, 2014: Research papers due.
- March 26 & 27, 2015: JISC2015
- May 30, 2015: Revised papers due.

**Additional Information**

If you are planning to submit to this conference, please email Diane Janvrin ([djanvrin@iastate.edu](mailto:djanvrin@iastate.edu)) or David Wood ([davidwood@byu.edu](mailto:davidwood@byu.edu)) by October 31st with the prospective title of the paper and a snapshot of the paper and research methodology. Because an important aspect of this conference is the active participation of practitioners, early notice of intended submissions will allow the editors to plan for practitioner participation with the review process.

Queries can be addressed to [jis-editors@aaahq.org](mailto:jis-editors@aaahq.org).

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