

Journal Emerging Technologies in Accounting – Call for Papers

Special issue on Future Labs: Building the Accounting Technologies of Tomorrow Today - **Extension**

The theme of this special issue of *Journal of Emerging Issues in Accounting* is encouraging rapid exploration and development of research initiatives coming out of all emerging areas of the intersection of accounting and technology. Inspired by Lockheed Martin's famous Skunk Works ([origin story](#)), we seek to encourage quick development of prototype use cases in accounting and technologies.

Areas of interest include, but are not limited to: Industry 4.0, blockchain, business intelligence, big data and big data analytics, IoT, ontologies, and semantics. Papers are limited to 4 to 5 single spaced pages of text excluding references, tables and figures. Review will be by a panel of academics and practitioners who will provide initial feedback on the ideas, methods, practical implications and references of the papers. Comments and suggestions from the panel will be published along with the accepted papers. There will be only a limited revision process. The purpose is to get new and novel research proposals into the public sphere in a rapid manner to influence further development of emerging technologies in accounting.

Important Dates:

March 31, 2019	April 30, 2019	Deadline for papers. Early submission is encouraged.
April 30, 2019	May 31, 2019	Revision suggestions sent to authors.
May 31, 2019	June 30, 2019	Final version due.

Submit via the *Journal of Emerging Technologies in Accounting* submission process. For more details regarding this call and submission process please use the following link: [Future Labs Submission](#)

Suggested format:

- Some literature review/development of the research question.
- Contribution/value add of the project to stakeholders. Which stakeholders. Why JETA readers should be interested.
- Description of the research methodology and why it "works" for the project.
- A fairly full description of the research idea. Hypotheses/research question/design artifact as appropriate to the research methodology.
- Next steps in the process of developing the project.

Nothing in the Future Labs draft should be so developed that it would be quoted verbatim in the final article. The review panel will be giving substantive direction to the proposal to make the final project/paper into a unique contribution in full form. Comparison of the first Future Labs version to the final full paper version should be a learning exercise to students/researchers

who study both. The exercise is how to develop a project in emerging technologies in accounting.

What will not be accepted:

1. Literature review only.
2. Completed paper.
3. Other things to avoid: no methodology, lack of project deliverables, out of emerging technologies domain, etc.

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"We are defined not by the technologies we create, but the process in which we create them."

- Kelly Johnson, team leader of the original Skunk Works

