Call for Papers

Special Section of Journal Emerging Technologies in Accounting
Robotic Process Automation in Accounting

The Journal of Emerging Technologies in Accounting (JETA) is the academic journal of the Strategic and Emerging Technologies Section of the American Accounting Association. JETA’s Mission is to encourage, support and disseminate the production of a stream of high-quality research focused on emerging technologies and artificial intelligence applied or applicable to a wide set of accounting related problems. In response to the challenges presented by today’s new technology development and innovations, the JETA editorial team is excited to provide an opportunity for accounting and information systems academics to publish their work on Robotic Process Automation in accounting.

Robotic Process Automation (RPA) has received increasing attention from both the accounting academia and practice in recent years. RPA increases efficiency and reliability and reduces cost of accounting processes; however, it also brings new risks and challenges. This call for papers aims to promote theoretical and empirical academic research on the opportunities and challenges of using RPA in accounting.

Areas of interest include, but are not limited to:
- Application of RPA in financial reporting
- Application of RPA in management accounting
- Application of RPA in auditing
- Application of RPA in taxation
- Standards and regulations regarding the use of RPA for accounting purposes
- Frameworks for using RPA in accounting
- The acceptance of RPA by the accounting profession
- Ethical issues of using RPA in accounting
- Challenges of using RPA in accounting

All research methods are welcome, including review, analytical, archival, design science, behavioral, qualitative, field, and case study. Submissions are due by **May 31, 2022**. Early submission is encouraged, and the review of submissions will be on a fast track.

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