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The Regional International Accounting Research Forum invites high-quality country- or region-specific accounting research for presentation and potential publication in the *Journal of International Accounting Research* (JIAR). The forum is part of a JIAR initiative aimed at accelerating research that provides deep, contextual insights into individual countries or regions, especially those underrepresented in international accounting literature. The forum focuses on Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) and other accounting issues in Taiwan.

Submission Topics

We encourage research addressing, but not limited to:

- ESG in financial and managerial accounting practices in Taiwan
- ESG in auditing, assurance, and corporate governance in Taiwan
- ESG in taxation, regulation, and institutional factors affecting accounting outcomes
- ESG reporting, sustainability accounting, and green finance in Taiwan
- The impact of global standards (e.g., IFRS, TCFD) on Taiwan practices
- Comparative cross-country analyses highlighting Taiwan or other countries
- Other accounting related issues

We welcome submissions employing a wide range of research methodologies, including theoretical, empirical, case-based, survey, and interview approaches. Replication studies pertaining to Taiwan and the broader Asia-Pacific region will also be considered, provided they demonstrate methodological rigor and contribute novel insights to the field of international accounting research.

Submission Guidelines

- Deadline: May 31, 2026 (start from April 1, 2026, early submission is encouraged)
- Submission Format: Well-developed full working papers in WORD or PDF formats
- Review Process: All submissions will undergo a peer review
- Language: Submissions must be in English
- Initial Submission: Submit your paper to: RIARF2026@nccu.edu.tw
- Journal Submission: All, or a selected subset, of the papers presented at the conference will be invited for formal submission to JIAR through [Editorial Manager®](#) after addressing the feedback from the conference. Please note that American Accounting Association (AAA) and its International Accounting Section (IAS) members will receive a discount on journal submission fees. We highly encourage you to join the AAA membership and IAS sectional membership through [Membership](#) before submitting to JIAR.

The final acceptance of papers to JIAR depends on the regular journal review process. However, papers selected for the conferences will have the opportunity to receive firsthand comments from Editors during the conference, which increases their chances of publication.

Why Submit?

- Engaging with leading international scholars and regional experts
- Receiving high-quality feedback in a focused academic setting
- Opportunity for consideration in JIAR and Journal of Accounting Review
- Helping advance accounting scholarship in and about underrepresented regions

Travelling to Taipei:

The easiest way to reach Taipei City is by flying into Taoyuan International Airport (TPE), the country's main international gateway. From there, you can take a taxi, airport MRT, or airport bus service directly to the city center, which is about 1 hour away.

If you have any questions, please email RIARF2026@nccu.edu.tw