

Dear Management Accounting Section (MAS) Members.

Welcome to the 2023/2024 year!

This year, we are excited to announce that we are looking for even more ways to connect with our members throughout the year. As part of this effort, we are pleased to invite you to join the MAS on LinkedIn (<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12007279/>)! Please use this platform to connect with the MAS community; to share teaching, research, and practice engagement resources; and to learn about our latest events.

The MAS started the new year with a great program put together by Todd Thornock and Curtis Hall (Co-Directors) at the 2023 AAA Annual Meeting in Denver, Colorado. Todd and Curtis organized 13 concurrent sessions and a panel session on “Teaching Management and Cost Accounting with Data Analytics”. We thank the authors who submitted 92 papers and the 130 volunteers who reviewed, discussed, and moderated for the Annual Meeting! Here is a highlight of the winners of the awards presented at our business luncheon during the Annual Meeting:

Award Winners

- Best Early Career Researcher in Management Accounting Award (sponsored by the AICPA & CIMA): **Jee-Eun Shin**
- IMA Best Management Accounting Paper at the AAA Annual Meeting: **Jeffrey Ng, Longfei Shang, Sterling Huang, and Walid Saffar**; *Pay Transparency and Cost Stickiness: Evidence from the Passage of State Pay Transparency Laws*.
- IMA Jim Bulloch Innovations in Management Accounting Education Award: **Jeremy Bentley**; *Supplement to What Counts and What Gets Counted*.
- IMA Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award Winner: **Grazia Xiong** (Dissertation Chair: Andrew Newman); *How the Level of Firm Support for Employee Volunteering Affects Employee Productivity and Altruistic Behavior Inside the Firm*.
- IMA Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award Runner Up: **Aishwarrya Deore** (Dissertation Chair: Ranjani Krishnan); *Firm Responses to the Content and Emotions Expressed in Social Media Word-of-Mouth*
- Notable Contribution to Management Accounting Literature Award: **Wim A. Van der Stede, Anne Wu, and Steve Yu-Ching Wu**; *An Empirical Analysis of Employee Responses to Bonuses and Penalties*
- Service Award – President: **Michael Williamson**
- Service Award – Secretary-Treasurer: **W. Timothy Mitchell**

Looking ahead for the year, we have a fantastic program lined up for you.

2024 Midyear Meeting, IMA Doctoral Colloquium, and CGMA Teaching and Practice Symposium

Sofia Lourenco and Adam Presslee (Co-Directors) invite you to the 2024 Midyear Meeting to be held at the University of Central Florida, Orlando, Jan 4-6, 2024 (<https://aaahq.org/Meetings/2024/Management-Accounting-Section-Midyear-Meeting>).

This year, the CGMA Teaching and Practice Symposium (organized by Serena Loftus and Wendy Tietz) will be in-person and integrated into the Midyear Meeting. The deadline for Research Submissions and for the Teaching and Practice Symposium Submissions is **August 17, 2023**. The deadline for applications to the IMA Doctoral Colloquium, organized by Kyonghee Kim and Katlijn Haesebrouck (Co-Directors) is **September 14, 2023** (<https://aaahq.org/Meetings/2024/Management-Accounting-Section-Midyear-Meeting/Doctoral%20Colloquium>), while the deadline for applications to the PhD Mentorship Program is **October 13, 2023** (<https://aaahq.org/MAS/PHD-MENTORSHIP-PROGRAM>)

2023 MAS/IMA Teaching Case Conference

Christine Denison and Dutch Fayard (Co-Directors) invite you to the 2023 MAS/IMA Teaching Case Conference, to be held at Iowa State University on September 29 and 30, 2023 (<https://aaahq.org/Meetings/2023/MAS/IMA-Teaching-Case-Conference>). Join us to enhance your case teaching and case writing skills, as well as for a tour on September 29 to the John Deere Factory in Ankeny! Early registration deadline is **August 28, 2023**, and registration is open until September 28, 2023.

Journal of Management Accounting Research (JMAR)

JMAR Senior Editor Michal Matejka invites you to consider JMAR as an outlet for your research. In particular, please submit to a special interest forum on “[Target Setting: Theory and Practice in the 21st Century](#)” (Co-Editors: Theresa Libby, Matthias Mahlendorf, and Adam Presslee). Submissions for the forum are due on April 30, 2024. JMAR also has issued a “[Call for Registered Reports](#)” to promote rigorous research free of publication biases and to reduce outcome risks for projects relying on high-cost data collections, with a submission deadline of December 31, 2024. Additionally, the search for the incoming JMAR Senior Editor is underway and we anticipate announcing the incoming JMAR Senior Editor at the Jan 2024 Midyear Meeting.

The MAS is grateful for strong partnerships with several organizations, including the Institute of Management Accountants (IMA), the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants-Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (AICPA-CIMA), CPA Canada, and China Association of Chief Financial Officers (CACFO)/China Management Accounting Review (CMAR). Through these partnerships, we offer a wide range of resources to support MAS members in advancing practice, research, and teaching of management accounting; many of which can be accessed on our section webpage (<https://aaahq.org/MAS>) under the “Resources” tab.

Finally, the success of our section relies on our many amazing volunteers. I extend my appreciation to all of you who have stepped up to help the organization during my term as President. And if you haven’t yet had the opportunity to participate, please look out for information on how to volunteer for the next year from our President-Elect, Karen Sedatole (ksedatole@emory.edu), sometime in February 2024.

We are excited to serve and support you this new year and wish you much success and joy this year!

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