

## ANNOUNCEMENT

# ICGS Doctoral Workshop

The ICGS Doctoral Workshop is intended for promising doctoral students who are in their third-fourth year of the PhD program. The workshop welcomes students working in corporate governance from every discipline (e.g. accounting, economics, finance, management, sociology) and from every country. The workshop is open to doctoral students with different theoretical and methodological traditions.

Ideal candidates have already started their dissertation and are close to submit the first paper to a conference or a journal. During the workshop, students will have the opportunity to present and discuss their research paper, and to meet and interact with peers and distinguished scholars.

## 1 | Objective

The ICGS Doctoral Workshop has several objectives:

- offering a place where students can present and discuss their paper;
- providing feedbacks on paper presentation by peers and distinguished scholars;
- promoting the development of an international and interdisciplinary community of young and distinguished scholars working on corporate governance;
- favoring meeting and interaction among scholars from different institutions, countries and disciplines.

## 2 | Distinguished Faculty Members

**Ruth V. Aguilera** is a Professor at the D'Amore-McKim School of Business at Northeastern University. Her research focuses on comparative corporate governance and sustainability and lies at the intersection of international business, economic sociology, and organization studies. She is an Associate Editor at *Corporate Governance: An International Review* and a Senior Editor at *Organization Science*.

**Jill A. Brown** is an associate professor of Management at Bentley University and the Geneen Research Professor of Corporate Governance. Her research and teaching interests include ethics, corporate social responsibility, corporate governance and strategic leadership. She is an Associate Editor at *Corporate Governance: An International Review* and serves on the editorial board of *Business & Society*.

**Douglas Cumming**, J.D., Ph.D., CFA, is a Professor of Finance and Entrepreneurship and the Ontario Research Chair at the Schulich

School of Business, York University. His research interests span topics that include crowdfunding, venture capital, private equity, hedge funds, corporate finance, corporate governance, and law and finance. He is the Founding Editor of *Annals of Corporate Governance*, and Co-Editor of *Finance Research Letters*, and *Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice*.

**William (Bill) Judge** is the E.V. Williams Professor of Strategic Leadership at Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Virginia. He has been researching corporate governance phenomena for over 25 years, is the former editor of *Corporate Governance: An International Review*, and is the founding and current President of the International Corporate Governance Society.

**Eduardo Schiehl**, PhD, FCPA, FCMA, is Professor of Accounting and Corporate Governance at HEC Montréal (Canada). His research and teaching activities are focused in the areas of corporate governance, management control systems design and performance management.

**Till Talaulicar** is a Professor of Organization and Management at the Faculty of Economics, Law and Social Sciences at the University of Erfurt. He is an Associate Editor at *Corporate Governance: An International Review*. His corporate governance research interests focus on the systems, structures and processes of governance as well as the determinants and consequences of the acceptance of internationally recognized standards of good and responsible management.

**Alessandro Zattoni** is Professor of Strategy and governance at LUISS University in Rome, Italy. His research interests focus on corporate governance, with a particular focus on boards of directors, good governance codes, and comparative corporate governance. He is the co-EIC of *Corporate Governance: An International Review*.

## 3 | Application Process

Each applicant should submit:

a cover letter stating you are applying to the ICGS Doctoral Workshop and you will attend the workshop if accepted. In addition, you should indicate the number of years in your PhD program, your expected dissertation proposal or defense, and your primary discipline;

a paper of 5,000 to 7,000 words, to be evaluated by a conference coordinating committee prior to the workshop. The submission should have one author and represent work that is "in progress" but also well thought out and articulated.

Selection criteria are the paper's fit with the conference focus, quality of research, practical relevance, and clarity of writing.

Participants to the workshop that would like to attend the third ICGS conference should register and pay the regular fee through the ICGS website (<https://www.icgsociety.org/conferences/>).

#### 4 | Sponsorships

The applicants that meet the workshop quality criteria and reside in emerging markets/developing countries will receive travel support

from the International Finance Corporation, amounting to the economy class roundtrip airfare. The list of the eligible countries can be found here (<http://ida.worldbank.org/about/borrowing-countries>).

The workshop is sponsored by Wiley that will cover lunch, coffee break and social dinner for all participants.

**Please Email Submissions by April 1, 2017 to:**

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