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Theoretical and
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Early Scholars Workshop
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Objectives

The workshop aims to provide early career researchers with the opportunity to elaborate on the benefits and controversies of publishing high-quality *interdisciplinary* studies.

Over the last years, growing calls for more interdisciplinarity have proliferated hugely in management, organisation, marketing, and accounting research, which are traditionally intertwined areas in the business field due to their behavioural, social, and institutional dimensions.

Young researchers are more and more encouraged to investigate issues at the interface between disciplinary traditions by integrating theoretical frameworks and methodological approaches from diverse disciplines within the business field and well beyond (e.g., psychology, sociology, and philosophy).

This workshop has the purpose to:

- a) provide young researchers with guidance on how to conduct high-quality interdisciplinary research;
- b) discuss their early research proposals to help them publish in top journals.

Young researchers' proposals will be discussed with distinguished faculty members during parallel sessions of the workshop.

Target & Topics

The workshop is open to early career scholars (i.e., Ph.D. students in their final stage of the Ph.D. program and early career researchers) developing interdisciplinary research on themes of interest that can include (not exhaustively):

- + Business Ethics, Sustainability, and Social Innovation;
- + Corporate Governance and Control in Family Firms;
- + Cultural and Sociological Approaches to Market Dynamics;
- + Forms and Social Dynamics of Organisational Sensemaking;
- + Management Control and Performance Measurement;
- + Management of Interfirm Relations;
- + Paradoxes in Strategic Management;
- + Psychological Foundations of Management;
- + Social and Institutional Roots of Accounting and Organising.

More generally, participants should be interested in

- + *exploring* potential bridges between different disciplinary traditions by also integrating theoretical and methodological underpinnings of other disciplines;
- + *learning* how to publish high-quality research that integrates theoretical and methodological perspectives from a wide range of disciplines;
- + *discussing* their research ideas and early draft papers with eminent scholars and peers.

Deadlines & Practicalities

The number of participants is limited to facilitate the interactions and more in-depth discussions.

Submission deadline: 5th July 2022

Applicants should send an email to sonia.quarchioni@unipa.it with

- + a CV;
- + a short letter of interest; and
- + an extended abstract of the work to be presented in the workshop (min. 500 and max. 1,000 words).

Notification of acceptance: 10th July 2022

Full paper submission: 1st September 2022

In-Person Workshop: Palermo, 8-9 September 2022

No workshop fees for participants.