PRME World Tour Research Paper Development Program 2022-2024

Workshop PRME Chapter Poland

April 09th 2024 – Online

Call for papers and participants

The PRME Chapter Poland is very happy to launch the workshop on academic writing under World Tour Research Paper Development Program (WTRP Development Program). The workshop is co-organised in partnership with PRME Secretariat, PRME World Tour Organizing Committee and leading international journals in the responsible management, sustainable development and business-in-society fields: Business & Society, Journal of Business Ethics and Economics and Environment (Ekonomia i Środowisko). The event is also supported by eminent publishers of professional and academic books and journals such as Routledge and Springer.

WTRP Development Program “Polish edition” is held under the title: “The question of sustainability: Corporate, social, ecological and public policy perspectives” and will be the part of the conference "Universities and Colleges Facing the Challenges of Sustainable Development," organised by Center for Sustainable Development Studies University of Łódź (April 9, 2024; online) https://www.wz.uni.lodz.pl/centrum-studiw-zrownowazonego-rozwoju/szczegoly/ii-konf-sd

To participate in this innovative workshop, please consider submitting your paper or abstract to this call for papers and participants. The call is open for any students or scholars interested in sustainability and responsible business issues working in Central Europe.

The workshop will take place 9th April 2024 (anticipated hours 14:00 – 16:00). It will be chaired by Prof. Scott Taylor, Chair of Leadership & Organization Studies, Birmingham Business School, University of Birmingham, UK, Prof. Anna Visvizi, Chair of International Political Economy, SGH Warsaw School of Economics, Prof. Giuseppe T. Cirella, University of Gdansk and Polo Centre of Sustainability, Prof. Agnieszka Domanska, SGH Warsaw School of Economics. Research and publishing mentors will include representatives from a range of journals in the field.
The deadline for submissions is 31st March 2024. Please submit your paper to this e-mail address: polandWTRP@sgh.waw.pl with message title “PRME World Tour Research Paper Development Poland”.

Your submission can be in one of three categories*:

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c) paper ready for submission (incl. papers already reviewed unsuccessfully);

We invite papers both in English and Polish. We are planning mentoring groups for texts written in both languages. Submissions are welcome from any business school discipline.

**TO SUBMIT and REGISTER to the workshop:**

1) Send your Abstract or Paper to polandWTRP@sgh.waw.pl before March 31st, 2024. Please use the subject line ‘PRME paper development workshop’; in the email message, please list: paper title, authors (name, institution, ORCID), main discipline, target journal (in case of any preferences)

2) Please register to the conference; link to the registration form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdNf4X61IZIkRU7hczfopdt6jUF7CtaZVhlv99E3vINAbB9kg/formResponse and on the second step where You are asked about Tytuł wystąpienia/referatu:* (title of the presentation) **please submit the title of Your paper/abstract extended by “WRTP workshop”**.

**WORKSHOP AGENDA**
The workshop will have two parts. The workshop is free for all participants.

**FIRST PART: Editors panel**
The first part of the workshop is open to anyone interested. Editors discuss how to publish responsible management and sustainable business research in international, peer-reviewed management journals, among it how to craft a research question that not only adds substantial value to the existing body of knowledge but also incorporates distinguishing factors highly appreciated by publishers. This may help to create theoretical contributions that resonate with international peer-reviewed management journals pressing sustainability-related issues (i.e. knowledge about these issues). Editors panel will be supplemented with Q&A session as an opportunity for participants to ask questions to panel members.

**SECOND PART (workshop on the submitted abstracts and papers)**
This part is only open to authors who have submitted a paper. The workshop is built around small discussions where authors receive direct detailed feedback on their work in progress from
mentors, all experienced scholars, editors, associate editors, board members, authors, and reviewers for leading management journals.

Submissions may be accepted according to the following streams:

1. **Extended abstracts.** Please submit an extended abstract that you seek to publish in an indexed scientific journal. It is advised that the submission should be between 2000-4000 words in length, including references, double line spaced. It is recommended that the abstract includes the following subsections: 1) Purpose, research question or research objective; 2) Theoretical framework; 3) Methods; 4) Expected results.

2. **Working papers.** Kindly submit an ongoing paper that you intend to submit to a journal. We welcome both empirical papers (quantitative, qualitative, or mixed methods), theoretical work or review work. The working papers should be 4000-10,000 words long, including references, with double line spacing. Please bear in mind that submissions will not be reviewed blind, so please include a cover page with authors’ identification (names, institutions, ORCID).

Accepted abstracts and papers **MUST be in the broad field of sustainability and responsible management** including, e.g. responsible management/leadership, Corporate responsibility/sustainability, Business ethics, Social enterprise, social business, Circular economy, cleaner production, human rights and other related fields.

Participants must be able to communicate in English and must be available for full commitment to the event on the scheduled day. We anticipate the workshop will run from 2 am to 4pm.