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Calls for Papers and Other Announcements

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The Accounting Historians Notebook

Call for Papers

The Editors of *The Accounting Historians Notebook* are looking for article submissions suitable for publication within the Notebook. Articles for consideration should be of broad interest to Academy members. Articles might be considered unlikely to be published in established accounting journals because of topic or short length. Possible topics might include: accounting history research techniques, equipment and software useful to history research, and descriptions of accounting archives and large accounting resource collections. Papers should be sent in electronic form (via e-mail if possible) to Jim McKinney at: jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu or David Oldroyd at david.oldroyd@ncl.ac.uk ***Papers will be subject to a blind peer reviewed process.***



A Global History of Accounting, Financial Reporting and Public Policy: Europe

Studies in the Development of Accounting Thought, Volume 14A

Volume Editors: Gary J. Previts, Peter Walton and Peter Wolnizer

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Journal Refocus in 2011

New Editor for 2011:
Stephen Walker, Cardiff University, UK

Accounting History Review

Previously Accounting, Business & Financial History

 **Routledge**
Taylor & Francis Group

accounting history research
theory auditing economics



Accounting History Review (AHR) is an international forum for the publication of scholarly articles on the history of accounting in diverse periods and places.

Submissions are invited which investigate:

- continuities and changes in accounting theories, practices and institutions;
- the technological, economic, organisational, ideological, social, political and cultural contexts in which accounting has emerged and operated;
- the impacts of accounting in these multiple arenas.

The following are also within the scope of the journal:

- histories of auditing, accountability and taxation;
- investigations which reveal the interfaces between accounting, business, finance and management in the past;
- historical explorations of the relationship between accounting and other quantitative technologies;
- studies of the past which inform understandings of accounting in the present.

Original studies emanating from any historiographical tradition or theoretical approach are invited, as are papers which discuss methodologies and innovations in historical research. Reflective of its ecumenical intent, cross-disciplinary ethos and quest for engagement, **AHR** also welcomes contributions from scholars operating in the wide range of subject areas with which accounting connects.

The journal offers an arena for scholarly discussion and argument in accounting history. With a view to constructively advancing research agendas the editor seeks shorter polemical pieces which encourage debate or explore controversies, as well as critical bibliographical reviews and surveys which focus on particular countries and themes in accounting history research.

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Since the successful launch of *Accounting, Business & Financial History (ABFH)* in 1990 there has been a considerable expansion of accounting history research. The refocusing of the journal reflects the emergence of accounting history as a discipline in its own right, the high accounting history content of *ABFH* and the extent to which researchers in the field increasingly engage with a wide range of disciplines in addition to business and financial history.

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*Regnum Legionense: Computandi ratio MC annos historia
adhibita*

(Kingdom of León: The accounts of 1100 years of history)

7th CONFERENCE ON ACCOUNTING HISTORY

Leon, Spain, November 10-12, 2010

TECHNICAL PROGRAM

- November 10
- 16:30 -Inaugural Speech. Gianfranco Cavazzoni (Università degli Studi di Perugia, Italy): *Tractatus Mathematicus ad discipulus perusinos*
- 17:30 -Esteban Hernández-Esteve (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid): *Sale of trades, nobilities and jurisdictions registered in the accounts of the Royal Factory of the Kingdoms of Spain (1557-1560)*
- 18:45 -Eduardo R. Scarano (Universidad de Buenos Aires): *Methodological aspects of double entry bookkeeping and accounting value*
- 19:45 -Panel on Economic and Accounting History: *From mutual ignorance to mutual necessity*
Chair: Esteban Hernández-Esteve
Speakers: Antonio Miguel Bernal (Universidad de Sevilla)
Rafael Donoso Anes (Universidad de Sevilla)
José María González Ferrando (Comisión de Historia de la Contabilidad)
- November 11
- 9:30 -Betsabé Caunedo del Potro (Universidad Autónoma de Madrid): *The development of medioeval trade and its repercussion on merchants' techniques*
- 10:00 to 14:00 -Parallel sessions
- 16:00 -Jesús Basulto Santos (Universidad de Sevilla): *Some accountings items related to the calculation of probabilities*
- 7:00 -Francisco Javier Quesada Sánchez (Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha): *Family, social and financial economy in the Kingdom of León between 900 and 1230. An approach*
- November 12
- 10:00 to 13:00 -Cultural activities. Visits to the museums of St. Isidoro in Leon and the Episcopal Palace, built by Gaudi, in Astorga
- 13:00 -Closing speech. Giuseppe Catturi (Università degli Studi di Siena): *Influences and Reflexes of Accounting History in Italy and Europe*



Saint-Petersburg State
University

**International Scientific
Conference
Sokolov reading
“View from the Past into
the Future”
10-11 February 2011
St. Petersburg**



**Section of Social and
Economic Problems
and Statistics of
St. Petersburg House of
Scientists,
Russian Academy of
Sciences**

Dear Colleagues,

We invite you to participate in the International Conference of Accounting Theory and History, “View from the Past into the Future,” dedicated to the memory of Dr. Professor Yaroslav V. Sokolov.

The Conference will be held in St. Petersburg, 10/11 February 2011.

Venue: House of Scholars named Maxim Gorky (Saint Petersburg, Dvortsovaya naberezhnaya, 26). The Faculty of Economics of Saint-Petersburg State University (Saint Petersburg, Tavricheskaya street, 23).

Deadline for contributed papers and reports is 10th of December 2010. These should be emailed to: **conference.spb.2011@gmail.com**.

An edition of conference materials approved by Organizing committee is planned.

If a Russian Visa is required for your participation in the Conference, please, send a copy of the first page of your passport with your name and passport validity as soon as possible (preferably **before November 10**). It is necessary to prepare an official invitation which we will send to you to apply for a Visa in the Russian Consulate.

List of hotels located near the conference venue: Kempinski Hotel Moika 22, Отель Резиденция на Мойке, Nevsky Grand Hotel, Талион Империял Отель, Pushka Inn Hotel, Отель Дворы Капеллы, Park Inn Nevsky. St. Petersburg is connected by direct air links to major cities and capitals of Europe and the U.S. The travel agency, carrying out visa support, works for the participants of the Conference: www.citybooking.ru office@citybooking.ru. The Agency will assist in selecting a hotel in the most convenient city quarter for you. If you have any questions concerning accommodation and cost of the hotels, please address them to: **conference.spb.2011@gmail.com**. If you need an urgent visa and you cannot send necessary data before 10 November, contact us.

Chairman of the Scientific Section of
Social and Economic Problems and
Statistics of St. Petersburg House of Scientists
named Maxim Gorky Russian Academy of Sciences
Member-in- correspondent of RAS, Professor I.I. Eliseeva



XVITH CONFERENCE OF ACCOUNTING AND MANAGEMENT HISTORY
XVI^e JOURNEES D'HISTOIRE DE LA COMPTABILITE ET DU MANAGEMENT
Nantes (France), Maison des Sciences de l'Homme Ange-Guépin
23 - 25 March 2011

PERCEPTIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND MEASURES OF PROFIT

The purpose of this conference will be to examine profit – whatever the origin, nature, explanation, justification or even the intended purpose and means of appropriation - in as much as it constitutes one of the determinants of the entrepreneur's conduct – 'entrepreneur' being interpreted as either an individual or a collective. Management researchers, historians, sociologists, economists, legal scholars, and other social-science and humanities specialists, who wish to participate in these *Journées*, are invited to be part of our questioning into how the entrepreneur – merchant, banker, industrialist, or the farmer-general of the Ancien Régime – perceived profit *ex ante* or *ex post*. How were these perceptions created, what information did the decision maker use and prefer, on what techniques of observation, measurement and prediction did his judgement rely? How did these perceptions and the representations that flowed from them influence his actions, the development and implementation of strategies, their possible adaptation and/or the appearance of emergent strategies?

Particular attention will be paid to entrepreneurial discourse, whatever the circumstances; from thoughts confided to a personal journal, to those addressed to investors, by means of internal notes or correspondence, not to mention the translation provided by the accounting narrative. While the thought and action of the entrepreneur are at the heart of the matter, all other aspects of the profit concept may be examined, since they were likely to influence this thought and action. Our scope encompasses discourses undertaken and conveyed within the framework of diverse institutions which composed the cultural and social environment – for example religion, law, politics, literature or art – or, closer to our focus, the remarks of those whose role was to contribute to the entrepreneur's training or to offer advice.

In keeping with the approach of previous conferences, research proposals that do not fit readily within this year's theme, but which examine management issues within a historical perspective, are equally welcome. Our first consideration will be the novelty and originality of these proposals.

Under the aegis of the *Association francophone de comptabilité*, the 2011 *Journées* are being organised by the *Laboratoire d'économie et de management de Nantes-Atlantique* (LEMNA - EA 4272), in association with the researchers involved in the *MARPROF* project—*Merchant accounting and merchant profits in Europe and America, 1750-1815* (ANR-08-BLAN-0329-03). The conference also will benefit from the generous technical assistance of the *Maison des Sciences de l'Homme Ange-Guépin*.

Key Dates: 15 November 2010: deadline for the submission of manuscripts, preferably complete. Written in either English or French, manuscripts should include an abstract in both languages. Submission of papers is by e-mail to the following address: Annie Busson, Maison des Sciences de l'Homme Ange Guépin, 5 allée Jacques-Berque, BP 12105, 44021 Nantes cedex 1 France
jhcm@univ-nantes.fr

Authors will be advised of the manuscript review committee's decision no later than **January 15 2011**. The final version of accepted papers must be submitted before **February 28 2011**. Once accepted, unless indicated otherwise by the authors, the manuscript will be published on the XVI. *Journées* website. Conference presentations may be in either English or French, simultaneous translation will be provided.

23 March 2011— INTERDISCIPLINARY DOCTORAL WORKSHOP
History of management knowledge and practice

Preceding the conference on **March 23rd**, a **doctoral workshop** will provide doctoral students, in the second or third year of their thesis preparation, the opportunity to present a summary of their work in front of an interdisciplinary audience. Interested students are invited to send, to the e-mail address below, a candidacy dossier including a brief CV and a summary of their thesis project, no more than 25 000 characters (spaces included).



Academy of Accounting Historians



2011 Research Conference

Thursday, June 2 – Saturday, June 4, 2011

Modern Perspectives of Accounting History: 125 Years of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants 1887-2012

The Academy of Accounting Historians is sponsoring an accounting history research conference hosted by the Robert H. Smith School of Business at the University of Maryland. The conference will be held on June 2, 2011 through June 4, 2011, in College Park, MD just outside Washington, DC. The conference will begin with a reception on Thursday evening, June 2, and conclude mid-afternoon on Saturday, June 4, 2011.

Papers are invited that develop contemporary and historical perspectives of accounting. In particular papers with an emphasis on the AICPA, founded in 1887, and its role within the accounting profession are invited. Other subjects will be separately evaluated in the submission process.

The deadline for submissions is **February 15, 2011** but earlier submissions would be appreciated. Papers should include an abstract of approximately 50 words. Papers should be sent by e-mail to Jim McKinney at jmckinney@rhsmith.umd.edu.

REVIEW BOARD: Papers will be reviewed for inclusion in the conference by a board of reviewers.

VENUE: The conference will be held at the Robert H. Smith School of Business, Van Munching Hall, University of Maryland at College Park, College Park, MD 20742. Discounted lodging will be available at the Marriott run University of Maryland University College Inn & Conference Center, located within a five minute walk to the Smith School. Further details will be provided when available on the Academy website. Accommodations are also available at regular rates at other nearby hotels for which information is available upon request. Infrequent shuttles to the Washington DC Metro system are available.

Select Conferences at www.aahhq.org for further details when available and on-line registration.

Accounting History

Call for Research Proposals

The second *Accounting History* International Emerging Scholars' Colloquium

Vallendar/Koblenz
Germany

13-15 July 2011

Organized in cooperation with
WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management

This international forum is designed for emerging scholars of all ages and career stages, including doctoral degree students, new faculty and other emerging accounting researchers who have an interest in accounting's past and present and who seek directions and guidance in embarking upon and undertaking specific historical accounting research projects.

The second forum will be hosted by the WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management which is located in Vallendar near Koblenz, in the heart of the Rhine valley and just one hour from both Frankfurt and Cologne airports. The forum will be led by Garry Carnegie of RMIT University and Brian West of the University of Ballarat, Australia who are the editors of *Accounting History*, the journal of the Accounting History Special Interest Group of the Accounting and Finance Association of Australia and New Zealand.

Other senior faculty members participating in the colloquium will comprise Marcia Annisette, York University, Canada, Elena Giovannoni, University of Siena, Italy, Christopher Napier, Royal Holloway, University of London and Utz Schäffer and Thorsten Sellhorn of WHU - Otto Beisheim School of Management, Germany.

Research proposals and brief bibliographical details should be forwarded to Garry Carnegie by **31 March 2011**: garry.carnegie@rmit.edu.au

Further information is available at the *2AHIESC* website: <http://www.whu.edu/accountinghistory>

Inquiries may be directed to the Colloquium Convenor, Mrs. Evelyn Busch, WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management: evelyn.busch@whu.edu Information about the WHU is found at: <http://www.whu.edu> Information about visiting Koblenz is obtainable at: <http://www.koblenz.de/>



PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT

13TH WORLD CONGRESS OF ACCOUNTING HISTORIANS

**ST JAMES' PARK FOOTBALL GROUND,
NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE
17-19 JULY 2012**

**THE ROLE OF ACCOUNTING IN
INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION AND DECLINE**

PAPERS ON ALL OTHER TOPICS WELCOMED

A special section dedicated to a selection of papers presented at the congress will be published by the *BRITISH ACCOUNTING REVIEW*

**The Congress is being organized by the Cultures, Accounting and Management History Research Group
Newcastle University Business School
www.ncl.ac.uk/nubs/research/centres/camh**

**Chair: David Oldroyd
david.oldroyd@ncl.ac.uk**

Accounting History

The seventh *Accounting History* International Conference

“Innovation in accounting thought and practice: Lessons from the past”

Seville, Spain
25-27 September, 2013

Sponsored by: Department of Business Administration, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, de Sevilla, Department of Accounting, Universidad de Sevilla
and
Accounting History Special Interest Group of the
Accounting and Finance Association of Australia and New Zealand

Papers will be accepted across the full range of accounting history topics and methodological and theoretical perspectives. The conference will take place in a city whose rich heritage extends from the Phoenicians to the Bourbon Dynasty. Seville was the main European harbour for more than 200 years and the source of significant developments in business and trade which also fostered innovations in accounting practice and accounting thought. Authors are therefore encouraged to address topics on innovation in accounting thought and practice which have had a pivotal or significant impact on industries, firms and academic communities, including:

- Innovations in public sector accounting;
- Innovations within auditing firms;
- Innovations in taxation;
- Innovations in the regulation of the profession and standard setting processes;
- New approaches to studying accounting history;
- Accounting education and innovation;
- The role of academics in the development of innovation;
- Understanding and developing innovations derived from business crises;
- Accounting innovations with an international dimension.

Submission and Review of Papers: Papers written in the English language should be submitted electronically no later than **24 March 2013** to 7ahic@rmit.edu.au. All papers will be subject to a double-blind refereeing process and will be published on the Conference Web site, as refereed conference proceedings, unless otherwise advised. A special issue of the journal on the conference theme will be published following the event.

Notification of Acceptance: Notification of papers accepted for inclusion in the conference program will be made by **17 May 2013**.

Conference information is available at the Conference Website: www.7ahic-seville2013.com
Inquiries may be directed to the Conference Convenor, Juan Baños, Universidad Pablo de Olavide, de Sevilla, at the following e-mail address: jbasan@upo.es

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