UPCOMING EVENTS

ARCA: Seminar: February 9, 2015: Roland Königsruber
Roland Königsruber (VU) will present his paper (co-authored with Christian Gross, Christos Pantzalis en Pietro Perotti) titled: “The Earnings Management Effects of Proximity to Political Power”. This seminar will take place on Monday, February 9 from 12.00 to 14.00 in 8A-44 in the Main building. To register for the ARCA seminar, please send an email to: l.m.abinta@vu.nl.

ABRI: Workshop Advanced Quantitative Methods: February 10 and 12, 2015: Marcello Gallucci
On Tuesday 10th and Thursday 12th February we have invited Dr. Marcello Gallucci of the Dept. of Psychology at University of Milano Bicocca, Italy, to talk/teach about advanced quantitative methods for all Faculty. The workshop consists of 4 individual sessions that were requested by faculty members from marketing and M&O in particular, but are open to anyone who wants to advance him-/herself. The sessions are offered as a set (which then makes a ‘course’, e.g. for PhDs), but are also accessible separately. Note that the rooms for the workshop have changed: session 1 in room 7A-06, session 2 in room WN F647, session 3 in room WN C659 and session 4 in room 0B-08. For more information please click here.
Registration to this event has been closed.

M&O: Lunch Seminar: February 12, 2015: Valerie Dupla
On February 12, Valerie Dupla from EDHEC (France) will present her paper titled “Do JV boards of directors and prior ties function as substitutes or complements for contractual re-negotiation?” from 12:30 till 13:30 in room 8A-44. Lunch will be provided. For the abstract please click here.

NEWS

New issue of ‘Amsterdam in Science, Business and Society’

ABRI is delighted to announce the second volume of its research magazine for management practitioners: Amsterdam in Science, Business and Society.

This issue of the magazine is dedicated to the role of ‘Business in Society’, which is undoubtedly one of the most prominent aspects of leading a successful business in the twenty-first century. The magazine contains a selection of multidisciplinary articles related to this topic, contributed by over 20 researchers within the scope of ABRI’s six research tracks:

- Accounting & Financial Management
- Information & Innovation Management
- Logistics & Operations Research
The aim of Amsterdam in Science, Business and Society is to convey to the Dutch business communities what type of research is being conducted within ABRI’s research tracks and how this research can contribute to the success of their businesses.

The online version can be found [here](#).

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**FADO: Seminar: February 19, 2015: Jos van Ommeren and Pieter Gautier**
Jos van Ommeren (Spatial Economics) and Pieter Gautier (Economics) will deliver two presentations on the topic “Search in the housing and labor market”. This event will take place in room 9A-11 at 12:00 – 13:00. Lunch will be provided.

**ARCA: Seminar: February 23, 2015: Rob Boterenbrood**
On February 23 Rob Boterenbrood (VU Amsterdam) will present his paper “Choice of measurement basis and discretionary determination of current value of real estate: evidence from Dutch Social Housing Associations”. Room 8A-44 VU Main Building, from 12.00 - 14.00. Registration to this event has not yet been opened.

**Lund University: Application Deadline: March 2, 2015**
Lund University (Sweden) organises several International PhD courses in Spring 2015. Their intensive courses offer a combination of lectures, seminars, and workshops for students to learn and receive guided feedback on their PhD projects from leading scholars. The first course covers critical perspectives on leadership (13-17 April), the second course engages in reflexive and creative methodologies (5-8 May) and the third course discusses Critical Management Studies (18-22 May). These courses are aimed to be of interest to participants from across the social sciences. Application deadline is March 2, 2015. For more information please click [here](#).

**ABRI: PhD Defence: March 4, 2015: Carolin Ossenkop**
On March 4 Carolin Ossenkop will defend her dissertation: “What you see is what you get!? Looking into ethnic diversity and professional careers in Dutch organizations”. This event will take in the Aula of VU University at 11:45. For more information please click [here](#).

**M&O: Lunch Seminar: March 5, 2015: Ruben van Werven**
On March 5 Ruben van Werven (ABRI) will present his paper from 12:30 till 13:30 in room 8A-44. Topic to be announced. Lunch will be provided.

**ARCA: Seminar: March 9, 2015: Nadine Funcke**
On March 9 Nadine Funcke (Rotterdam School of Management) will present her paper “The Informative Value of the Auditor’s Going-Concern Opinion Incremental to Signals from Other Information Intermediaries”. Room 8A-44 VU Main Building, from 12.00 - 14.00. Registration to this event has not yet been opened.

**ABRI: Deadline Application PhD positions: March 15, 2015**
The Faculty of Economics and Business Administration at VU University Amsterdam offers: 6 (paid) PhD positions in Business and Management f/m. For each 1.0 fte (3-year positions). More information can be found [here](#).

**ABRI: Research Seminar: March 17, 2015: Marlieske van Grinsven**
Marlieske van Grinsven will present her paper “Agency in the Translation of Management Ideas” on March 17, from 16:00 – 17:00 in BelleVUe room 0H-19. Drinks in the Basket will follow the seminar.
FADO: Seminar: March 19, 2015: Alex Alexiev and Henri Dekker
Alex Alexiev (M&O) and Henri Dekker (Accounting) will deliver two presentations on the topic “Managing Intangibility and Measurement Difficulty”. The event will take place in room 9A-10 at 12:00 – 13:00. Lunch will be provided.

ABRI: PhD Day: March 24, 2015
Join us for the ABRI PhD Day 2015 and find out what ABRI PhD candidates have been working on. With only 1.5 years ahead in their PhD trajectory our PhD candidates will share the progress they’ve made on their research and discuss their papers with fellow candidates and members of the faculty. The event will include lunch and a workshop organized together with the ABRI PhD Council. It will take place on March 24th in rooms BV 1H-17 and BV 1H-24 (parallel sessions) from 10:00 to 15:00. Save this date!
You are invited to join for the whole or part of the day. For registration, please send an email to Mar Diez (m.diezdonoso@vu.nl) before March 20th indicating whether you will have lunch with us. For further questions please contact Maura Soekijad (m.soekijad@vu.nl), Director of Doctoral Education at ABRI. More information will follow soon.

FADO: Seminar: April 16, 2015: Brian Spisak and Femke van Horen
Brian Spisak (M&O) and Femke van Horen (Marketing) will deliver two presentations on the topic “Perceptions and decision making in experimental research”. The event will take place in room 14A-36 at 12:00 – 13:00. Lunch will be provided.