ACE: Research Seminar: March 24, 2014: Prof. dr. Erik Stam
The Amsterdam Center for Entrepreneurship invites you to the Research Seminar by prof. dr. Erik Stam, titled “In Intrapreneurship we Trust”. This seminar will take place at the VU University (Main Building), 11A-36, on March 24, 2014 from 15.30-16.30. Please register via ace-feb@uva.nl.

ARCA: Research Seminar: March 26, 2014: Robert Knechel
Robert Knechel from the University of Florida will present his paper titled "Auditor-client compatibility and audit firm selection". This seminar will take place on Wednesday, March 26th from 15.30 to 17.00 in 0G-30 in the Main building. To register for the ARCA seminar, please send an email to l.m.abinta@vu.nl.

FEWEB: PhD Defence: March 26, 2014: H.J. Doeleman
H.J. Doeleman will defend his thesis titled "Leiderschap in planning & control. Een onderzoek naar de grondslagen, werking, implementatie en het effect van de A3 methodiek". The defence will start at 15:45 in the Aula of the VU.

UvA Business School: pre-defence seminar: March 26, 2014: Mary Uhl-Bien and Rodney Turner
In Liselore Havermans’ pre-defence seminar, titled 'Leadership in project-based organizations: future research directions' Mary Uhl-Bien and Rodney Turner will present their perspective on important future research direction in this field, and will discuss these ideas with you. This seminar will take place on Wednesday the 26th of March 2014 from 10.00 until 12.00 at the University of Amsterdam Business School (Plantage Muidergracht 12, 1018 TV Amsterdam, M building, room M0.02). Lunch will be provided. Please inform Renske van Geffen (R.E.vanGeffen@uva.nl) if you plan to join the seminar, as there are limited places available.
Liselore Havermans’ defence will start at 13.00 sharp in the University of Amsterdam Aula (Singel 411, 1012 WM Amsterdam). You can find the dissertation titled ‘Leadership in project-based organizations: Dealing with complex and paradoxical demands’ on her website: www.liselorehavermans.com

FADO: Seminar: March 27, 2014: Pieter Gautier and Albert Menkveld
Pieter Gautier (Economics) and Albert Menkveld (Finance) will give two presentations on the topic: "Markets with frictions". This session will be chaired by Willem Verschoor. The seminar will take place in room 7A-06 from 12.00-13.00. Lunch will be provided.
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ABRI: PhD Research Day: March 28, 2014
What is new and exciting in business research?! Find out by joining us for our annual ABRI PhD Research Day where ABRI PhD candidates will tell you about their research. Now with only 1.5 years ahead in their PhD trajectory, these researchers will showcase their work for you, FEWEB colleagues.
On this PhD Research Day, Stella Pachidi, Emiel Eijdenberg, Evgenia Lysova, Montserrat Prats Lopez, Hella Abidi and Lin Jia are invited to present their work. More information about their research will be made available for all registered attendants soon.
During the day we will have a lunch to discuss their research and innovative ideas further. The event takes place on March 28th in room BV 0H-21 from 10:00 – 15:00. Save this date!
You are invited to join for the whole, or part of the day. To register for this event, please send an email to Niki Konijn (n.m.konijn@vu.nl) before March 25th, so that we can order the correct number of lunches. Should you have any questions, please contact Maura Soekijad (m.soekijad@vu.nl), director doctoral education ABRI and coordinator of the evaluation day.

FADO: Seminar: April 10, 2014: Eric Bartelsman and Peren Ozturan
Eric Bartelsman (Economics) and Peren Ozturan (Marketing) will give two presentations on the topic "Economic Crisis". The seminar will take place in room 7A-09 at 12:00-13:00. Lunch will be provided.

ProVU: ProVUnd Grant Deadline: April 25, 2014
A grant only for the best ideas, only for the PhD candidates at the VU. A grant of more than 1000 euro to be spent on your PhD research project. Submit a short grant-proposal (4 A4 pages) where you specify the main goal of your PhD project and how the ProVUnd grant could help you reach any aims of your project (also for traveling to an important international conference). Any PhD working at the VU can apply for the grant. The 3 best proposals will be selected to give an official 15 minute talk at the end of the PhD day. An official committee of professors from the VU will select the PhD student to whom the grant will be assigned. Grant proposals will be reviewed by a secret committee of voluntary PhDs and Postdocs working at the VU. The ProVUnd grant--proposal submission deadline is 25-04-2014. PhD day will be held in June 2014 (TBA). For more information and complete please visit www.provu.nl

ABRI: KIN Summer School Application Deadline: May 1, 2014
The ultimate deadline is May 1, 2014, however participants are able to send documents before this date.
For more information please click [here](#).

**FADO: Seminar: May 8, 2014: Suzanne van der Ster and Gabor Maroti**  
Suzanne van der Ster (OR) and Gabor Maroti (ILI) will deliver two presentations on the topic “Scheduling”. The seminar will take place in room 7A-09 at 12:00-13:00. Lunch will be provided.

**ABRI: Research Seminar: May 13, 2014: Stella Pachidi**  
Stella Pachidi will present her paper titled “What happens when analytics lands in the organization? Studying epistemologies in clash” on May 13, from 16:00 – 17:00 in BelleVUe room 0H-20.

**FADO: Seminar: May 22, 2014: Lia van Wesenbeeck and Menno Pradhan**  
Lia van Wesenbeeck (SOW-VU) and Menno Pradhan (Development Economics) will deliver two presentations on the topic “Public Policy”. This event will take place in room 7A-06 at 12:00-13:00. Lunch will be provided.