



## Call for Papers IABS *Business & Society* European Paper Development Workshop Series

Do you have work in progress that would benefit from expert feedback from senior scholars?  
Are you looking to publish business and society research in top journals?

*Business & Society* (IF 3.214), the official journal of IABS, the International Association of Business and Society, is holding a series of five paper development workshops across Europe in 2018/19 to help scholars develop their work for publication. The workshops will take place in Belgium, Italy, UK, France and Spain. We would like to kindly invite you to participate in the fourth of these workshops on **16 May, 2019** in Paris, France, organized at the IÉSEG School of Management in the La Défense area.

Participants to the workshop will benefit from hearing insight and guidance from editors and editorial board members of *Business & Society* about publishing in top journals, and what it takes to publish in *Business & Society*.

They will also receive intensive feedback on their work in progress from senior scholars who will act as mentors for participants during the workshop. Confirmed mentors include *Business & Society* editorial team members Frank de Bakker, Alan Muller, Arno Kourula and François Maon, plus others to be confirmed, who between them have published in *Academy of Management Review*, *Academy of Management Discoveries*, *Strategic Management Journal*, *Business & Society*, *Journal of Management Studies*, *Organization Studies*, and more.

The workshop will cover the following topics (a detailed program will follow):

- Success factors to realize a contribution in *Business & Society* and other top journals
- How to craft an introduction and outline a theoretical contribution
- Paper feedback in small groups, with at least one senior scholar as a mentor in each group
- Lunch with mentors

With this call for papers, we would like to encourage you to apply to the workshop by submitting your work in progress. We welcome the submission of both empirical papers (quantitative, qualitative, or mixed methods) and purely theoretical work.

**Deadline:** 2 April 2019, 5pm. Submit your work in progress (either a long abstract of 3000 words or a full paper, maximum 8000 words) to [bss2019paris@ieseg.fr](mailto:bss2019paris@ieseg.fr) and make sure the subject reads 'submission B&S EPDW'.

Please note that places are limited and papers will be selected based on the quality of the manuscripts, with priority given to scholars based in France. Participants will be asked to pay 20€ at registration (after acceptance) so as to cover partially the lunch and catering costs. It is only when the payment is complete that your participation will be validated.

Notifications of acceptance will be sent within 2 weeks after the deadline.

We look forward to meeting you in Paris!

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