



# FINANCIAL REPORTING AND BUSINESS COMMUNICATION 25TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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## Call for Papers

We are pleased to announce the 25th annual Financial Reporting and Business Communication (FRBC) Conference organised by the University of Cagliari and the BAFA FARSIG in the island of Sardinia (Italy). This is one of the premier conferences of its kind worldwide and attracts an international audience. The conference, supported by ICAEW Charitable Trusts, comprises parallel **full paper with discussants** and **developmental paper sessions** and a **doctoral stream**.

The conference addresses key areas of Accounting and Financial reporting, which are of interest to accounting academics and practitioners and includes:

- The purpose of modern corporate reports
- The effectiveness of financial and non-financial reporting standards
- Accounting measurement and disclosure
- Sustainability, integrated and environmental reporting
- The composition and format of corporate reports and the role of infographics
- Corporate governance and sustainability
- Corporate reporting and accountability in the public sector
- The role of corporate reporting and corporate governance in capital markets
- Historical perspectives on accounting or corporate reporting

Papers are invited on these topics and on other aspects of financial and non-financial reporting and business communication more broadly. Papers may take empirical, theoretical and conceptual approaches, including case studies or experiments.

Abstracts or full papers could be submitted by **19th April 2022** by emailing [frbc@unica.it](mailto:frbc@unica.it). For informal queries you can email [melisa@unica.it](mailto:melisa@unica.it) or [sgaia@essex.ac.uk](mailto:sgaia@essex.ac.uk). Please submit an abstract and **full paper** (up to 12,000 words) for parallel sessions. Discussants will be allocated to full paper submissions, and we expect that all presenters of full papers will be prepared to act as discussants on other papers. Please submit an abstract (maximum 500 words) or **short developmental paper** (up to 5,000 words) for developmental paper sessions.

A number of papers presented at the workshop/conference/track will be eligible for submission to *Journal of Management and Governance* following a fast-track review process for publication



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The *JMG Fast-Track (JMG-FT) review process for publication* gives the opportunity of a paper review process quicker than that of an ordinary submission, as the selected paper is immediately inserted in the review process without undergoing the first *desk-rejection assessment* phase. This formula is applicable to a **maximum of 3 papers presented** at the workshop / conference with which the JMG-FT has been agreed. **The formula does not guarantee the publication of the submitted paper**, which must positively pass the peer-review process.

Please check <https://convegni.unica.it/frbc/> for information about the FRBC conference!

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