### **THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 5, 2019**

## 10th EARNet PhD WORKSHOP

## 8.45 - 9.00 WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS at room K8

**By Marleen Willekens** 

## 9.00 - 11.00 PLENARY SESSION at room K8

**Moderator: Marleen Willekens** 

PL.1. Consequences of Audit Partner Switches for the Outgoing Lead Auditor

**PhD Student**: Victor Reinhardt, Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz **Discussant**: Jere Francis, University Missouri and Maastricht University

PL.2. An exploration of the hybrid-identities of audit firms through the perceptions of potential employees

PhD Student: Johanna Sylvander, University Linköping Sweden

**Discussant:** Stuart Turley, University of Manchester

PL.3. *Material judgments in materiality determination*PhD Student: Wilbert Snoei, Nyenrode Business University
Discussant: W. Robert Knechel, University of Florida

## 11.00 - 11.30 COFFEE BREAK in front of room K8

#### **11.30 - 13.00 PARALLEL SESSIONS**

Session A – in room K9 Chair: Monika Causholli

PAA.1. The effects of audit-related failures by audit firms on auditor reputation

PhD Student: Christian Friedrich, Darmstadt University of Technology

Discussant: Jere R. Francis, University of Missouri

PAA.2. Auditor Independence when Non-Audit Services are Restricted by a Blacklist and a Fee Cap:

**Evidence from Private Firms** 

PhD Student: Victor Zuiddam, KU Leuven

**Discussant:** Monika Causholli, University of Kentucky

### Session B – in room K10

#### **Chair Stuart Turley**

PAB.1. The Effect of Cognitive Processing and Presentation of Information on the Risk Assessment of Auditors

PhD Student: Edwin Hummel, Radboud University Nijmegen

Discussant: Justin Leiby, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

PAB.2. Innovation of the audit through Data Analytics

**PhD Student**: Andrea Crean, National University of Ireland, Galway

Discussant: Anna Gold, VU Amsterdam

### 13.00 – 14.00 LUNCH in front of room K8

### 14.00 - 15.00 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

Table 1 in room K9

Faculty: W. ROBERT KNECHEL, ANNA GOLD, STUART TURLEY, JUSTIN LEIBY

Participants: Magdas Nicolae, Isabelle Fabioux, Ditmir Sufaj

Table 2 in room K10

Faculty: JERE R. FRANCIS, MONIKA CAUSHOLLI, MARLEEN WILLEKENS

Participants: Diletta Vito, Boateng Kwadwo

### 15.00 - 16.30 PARALLEL SESSIONS

#### Session C - in room K9

#### **Chair Anna Gold**

PAC.1. Audit fee premium: Does audit partner expertise in digitalization pay off?

PhD Student: Arpine Maghakyan, Aalto University

Discussant: Marleen Willekens, KU Leuven

PAC.2. Starting Your Career at an Accounting Firm: The Role of Personality in Explaining Career Starts

PhD Student: Linde Kerckhofs, Vrije Universiteit Brussel

Discussant: Anna Gold, VU Amsterdam

#### Session D - in room K10

#### **Chair Justin Leiby**

PAD.1. Does auditors' concentration on special clients impair the audit quality provided to other clients?

**PhD Student**: Jenni Jääskö, University of Oulu, Finland **Discussant**: Monika Causholli, University of Kentucky

PAD.2. Fraudulent Clients' Reactions to Auditors' PCAOB Exposure

PhD Student: Mert Erinc, Bocconi

**Discussant:** Justin Leiby, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

### 16.45 - 17.45 PLENARY PANEL SESSION AND Q&A in room K8

The PhD Faculty will share insights on what they consider to be 'excellent auditing research', 'research contribution' and some 'tips and tricks w.r.t publishing in accounting journals'

# 19.00 – 21.00 WELCOME RECEPTION of the 10th EARNet SYMPOSIUM

## **Open to ALL EARNET SYMPOSIUM DELEGATES (and registered PhD students)**

Location: LE BISTRO' – GARIBALDI PLACE - PARMA