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SIDREA INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP (SIW) 11th WORKSHOP ON AUDIT QUALITY

Call for Papers

Cagliari, Italy - September 25-26, 2026

Università degli Studi di Cagliari

Via Sant'Ignazio da Laconi, 74

The 11th Workshop on Audit Quality, hosted as a SIDREA International Workshop (SIW), aims to promote discussion by sharing recent research on the major topics related to audit quality. The target audience is academics, PhD students, regulators and practitioners in the area of auditing and governance.

We invite papers that address (but are not limited to) the following topics:

- *The role of regulation in improving audit quality.*
- *Corporate governance systems and their impact on audit quality.*
- *Audit quality and ethical standards.*
- *Auditor characteristics (independence, reputation, industry specialization) and audit quality.*
- *Auditor personal and professional skills as key drivers of audit quality.*
- *Audit market structure and audit quality.*
- *New technologies and audit quality.*
- *Audit/accounting education and audit quality.*
- *Sustainability and audit quality.*
- *Measurement of audit quality.*
- *Audit quality and capital market efficiency.*
- *Audit behaviour (professional scepticism, incentives) and audit quality.*

Submission guidelines

Manuscripts written in English must be submitted through the Workshop website (www.workshopaq.org). Only full papers will be considered in the selection. A discussant will be appointed to each presentation.

Early Researcher Track (ERT)

The Early Researcher Track is open to PhD students in their last year, post-doctoral researchers and early career researchers. Full papers or extended abstracts with preliminary results (no page limit) can be submitted by selecting the ERT track on the Workshop website.

Key dates

- **5 June 2026:** Submission deadline (General Track and ERT).
- **15 July 2026:** Notification of acceptance.
- **14 August 2026:** Authors' registration deadline.
- **4 September 2026:** Final paper submission deadline.

Registration and fees

Regular fee: EUR 350 (+ 22% VAT).

Early Researcher Track fee: EUR 250 (+ 22% VAT). ERT authors are kindly asked to wait for acceptance before registering; a discount code will be provided by the administration.

Payments can be made online via Stripe or PayPal. Cancellations made before 31 August 2026 will be reimbursed minus 20% of the total fee; no reimbursement will be possible after that date.

Chairpersons

Mara Cameran, Bocconi University, Milan (Italy).

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Keynote speaker

Tamara Lambert, University of Manchester (UK), Incoming Senior Editor of *Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory (AJPT)*.

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We look forward to welcoming you in Cagliari!