

Joint Junior Faculty and Doctoral Consortium Announcement 2010

Academy of Management Operations Management (OM) Division

The Operations Management Division is proud to announce a joint session of junior faculty and doctoral consortium at the annual Academy of Management (AoM) conference in Montreal, Canada. This event will be held between 9AM to 4:30PM on Saturday, **August 7, 2010**. The AoM Conference is the premier venue for empirically focused OM research.

An innovative format is going to be used this year in that all participating junior faculty and doctoral students are going to stay together throughout the day. A group of leading senior scholars will serve as faculty mentors, and the junior faculty are also expected to share their experiences with the doctoral students. As of this announcement, we have signed up the following senior faculty: Professors Barbara Flynn (Indiana), Keong Leong (UNLV), Ram Narasimhan (Michigan State), Xiande Zhao (Chinese University of Hong Kong), and Craig Carter (University of Nevada at Reno).

The joint consortium is primarily composed of two integrated sessions. After a welcome breakfast, the morning session invites junior faculty to present their research prospectus that may include a description of how they are extending their dissertation research and starting new research streams. The doctoral students are expected to ask questions and learn about the life after dissertation. After lunch, the afternoon session follows an intensive research incubator format. Students present their research proposals to a panel of senior and junior faculty that will provide feedback and guidance on each proposal. All participating faculty will be asked to read student proposals in advance.

Doctoral students and junior faculty doing research on any Operations Management topic may participate. Space is limited. Preference is given to students and junior faculty employing empirical research techniques. Students who have attended other doctoral consortia find this consortium uniquely beneficial due to its sole and intensive focus on developing research. In our innovative format, junior faculty are put in a unique position of receiving advice from senior faculty as well as acting as mentors for doctoral students.

We ask applicants to submit the following: vita (all), your full contact information (all), your advisor's contact information (doctoral students only), one-sentence statement on your stage in the doctoral program (doctoral students only), and a one-page summary of your dissertation research (doctoral students only) and one-page research prospectus (junior faculty only). Electronic applications to Zhaohui Wu are required for all participants—junior faculty and doctoral students. Applications are accepted through May 30. Applications will be acknowledged via email by June 10. Please email the application to the consortium coordinator Zhaohui Wu.

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