

Conference News October 2019

Abstract Submission Deadline

26 October 2019

Abstracts for papers, panels, posters, and roundtables (including innovative new formats) will be accepted until 26 October 2019. See the full call in **English** and **French** for details.

The link to the submission portal is **here**. Note: you must be logged in at istr.org in order to submit your abstract. Having trouble? Submission tutorials are available in **English** and in **French**.

What are reviewers looking for?

- Sample abstracts are available **here**.
- “How to Write a Conference Abstract” worksheet available **here**.
- The abstract review process is described **here**.

PhD Seminar

PhD Seminar applications closed on September 30. We received a total of 115 applications from students in 34 countries! To apply, students submitted abstracts of their doctoral research, a letter from their advisor, and a statement of motivation. The applications are currently out for review by the faculty to determine who will be offered the 50 spots available.

Conference Partners

The ISTR Conference in Montréal will be hosted by a consortium of Universities in Montréal and in Canada more broadly. Six universities have officially signed on and more are expected in the coming months: University of Montréal, Concordia University, McGill University, HEC Montréal, University of Québec, Montréal (UQAM), and Carleton University.

In addition, ISTR is also partnering with Canadian groups, including the **Canadian network of partnership-oriented research on philanthropy (PhiLab)**, and the **ARIMA** partnership, which will be hosting an international colloquium embedded within the ISTR Conference. Proposals can be submitted in **French** or in **English** and must be submitted before October 26, 2019.

Air Canada - The official airline of the ISTR Conference
ISTR has partnered up with Air Canada to offer you dis-



counted airfare to Montréal-Pierre Elliott Trudeau International Airport (YUL). Click **here** to learn more about booking a flight.



Tourisme Montréal

It's not too early to start planning your visit to Montréal and ISTR is partnering with Tourisme Montréal. www.mtl.org/en



Montréal provides a diversity of choices of activities for visitors day and night. It is host to a dizzying array of events, exhibitions, and festivals year-round. While Montréal's masterful chefs continue to elevate its reputation as a gourmet destination, creative artists and artisans draw admirers in droves to the haute couture ateliers, arts galleries and charming boutiques that line the city streets.

Tourisme Montréal provides a constantly updated events calendar, www.mtl.org/en/what-to-do, searchable by date, type of activity, and area of the city to help make the most of your visit. July in Montréal brings Formula One races, the International Jazz Festival, Francofolies, Juste pour rire, Fireworks, and a Circus Festival for just a start. Foodies can search for hidden restaurants at www.restomontreal.ca/, while city and area tours by bike, scooter, boat, and foot can be found at www.mtl.org/en/what-to-do/tours.



Nonprofit Management in East Asia Summit

Monday, July 6, 2020

9:00am – 5:00 pm

Concordia University, Montréal

Beginning in the 1990s, the number of university-based programs to educate future leaders of nonprofit and non-governmental organizations has seen tremendous growth throughout the world (Mirabella, Hvenmark, & Larsson, 2019; Mirabella, 2015; Mirabella, Hvenmark, & Larsson, 2015; Murdock, Tekula, & Parra, 2013). While we know quite a bit about these developments in the Western context (Malcolm, et. al., 2015; Mirabella, Hoffman, Teo & McDonald, 2019; Mirabella, Gemelli, Malcolm & Berger, 2007; Palmer & Bogdanova, 2008; Young, 1999), there has been far less written about these programs in the global south. In the case of East Asia, there is probably only one major study available examining university-based education, focused on the case of China (Zhang & Guo, 2015). A group of scholars from Southeast Asia has been working for several years to fill this knowledge gap through a comprehensive regional study of the current state of nonprofit management education programs. The proposed summit to be held in Montréal in conjunction with the ISTR Bi-Annual Conference will provide an opportunity for these researchers to share their findings to date, compare and contrast findings on a country, regional and international basis, and receive feedback from leading NGO education scholars. Those presenting at the summit will trace the development of nonprofit education programs in East Asia, determine the extent to which curricular options for future nonprofit leaders exist in these countries, and explore the challeng-

es presented to future programmatic development by the social, economic and political environments of the region.

Discussants confirmed: (as of October 2019)

Nonprofit education in China

Ming Hu, Nanjing University

Nonprofit education in Japan

Aya Okada, Tohoku University

Yu Ishida, Miyagi University

Nonprofit education in Korea

Sung-Ju Kim, North Carolina State University

Bok Gyo Jeong, Kean University

Nonprofit education in Singapore

Teo Terence, Seton Hall University

Nonprofit education in Taiwan

Helen K. Liu, National Taiwan University

Discussants:

Maureen Feit,

Seattle University

Roseanne Mirabella,

Seton Hall University

Ola Segnestam Larsson,

Ersta Sköndal Bräcke University College

Pre-registration is required and space is limited. If you are interested in participating please contact: Roseanne Mirabella at email: Roseanne.Mirabella@shu.edu.

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