MED Interactive Webinar – April 5th, Noon (EST USA)

Opportunities and Challenges for Business Management Education (BME) Research

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The Management Education and Development (MED) division of the Academy of Management is delighted to invite you to an interactive video webinar on "Opportunities and challenges for Business and Management Education (BME) research".

This live, interactive video webinar will bring us together to discuss management learning and education with one of the unquestionable leaders in our discipline. We are particularly keen to involve doctoral students, junior faculty and international scholars and practitioners who may not have easy access to the Academy annual meeting.

The webinar is free, and you can participate using any electronic device (computer, tablet, phone, etc.). Please register in advance.

Registration for the webinar:

https://ubalt.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ZspPzCkTSvKWKLZsw6-G4w

Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

When: April 5, 2018 (Thursday) – 12-12:45 p.m. Eastern Standard Time
(To accommodate participants in a wide range of time zones)

Speaker: Ben Arbaugh (University of Wisconsin -Oshkosh)

Ben has been Editor of *Academy of Management Learning & Education* (AMLE). He also was Chair of the Management Education and Development (MED) Division of the Academy of Management in 2006-2007. A six-time Academy of Management Division Best Paper award winner, he received the 2001 Roethlisberger Award for the Best Article in the *Journal of Management Education*, and a Best Article Award in the *Decision Sciences Journal of Innovative Education*. Ben’s 2000 article “Virtual
classroom characteristics and student satisfaction with internet-based MBA courses” has just been selected as the recipient of the “2018 Lasting Impact Award” by the *Journal of Management Education*; this award recognizes that article as essentially starting the conversation about online learning, and its empirical novelty.

Ben is one of the first two-time winners of the UW Online MBA Consortium Outstanding Faculty Award (2012, 2017). In 2011, Ben became the second College of Business faculty member to be named a John McNaughton Rosebush Professor, UW Oshkosh’s highest award for faculty. Other UW Oshkosh honors include the 2008 Outstanding COB Graduate Faculty Award and the 2009 Management and Human Resources Department Teaching Award. He sits (or has served) on the Editorial Review Boards for the *Journal of Management Education, Management Learning, Decision Sciences Journal of Innovative Education*, the *Journal of Management, Spirituality, and Religion*, and the *International Journal of Management Reviews*.

**Sponsor:** Management Education and Development (MED) division of the Academy of Management; Miguel Olivas-Luján (Clarion University of Pennsylvania - MED Chair)

**Host:** Murray Dalziel (Dean, Merrick School of Business, U. of Baltimore)

If you have any questions, please contact Eusebio Scornavacca, Lisa Stickney, or Regina Bento

An Invitation to Join a Movement for

Transforming our Research to Serve the World

*(Endorsement from MED Chair, Miguel Olivas-Luján)*

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Dear colleagues,

We would like to invite you to join us in supporting an initiative aiming to encourage more responsible and credible business and management research that contributes to the emergence of a better world.

Over the last three years, this initiative has drawn together a growing group of leading scholars in multiple business disciplines from around the world to develop a vision of a new ecology of research
that would support this goal. The group has published a position paper setting out principles and proposing actions to help realize this vision. The position paper ends with this statement, which sums up our goal: "Contributing to a better world is the ultimate goal of science. Science in business and management can live up to its obligation and realize its potential through engaging in responsible research."

We believe that this vision is consistent with the AOM vision – to "inspire and enable a better world through our scholarship and teaching of organizations and management" -- as well as with the AOM strategic goal of enhancing our "professional impact".

A growing number of scholars, both senior and junior, have already joined to support this effort. Please go to the Endorsers page of the RRBM website to see the current list of endorsers (most recent joiners appear first).

We invite you to join us to help make this vision a reality. Please start by reading the position paper, and if you agree with the vision, we would love to see you join RRBM and endorse the paper. (On the website, you’ll find information on Actions, Supporters, Readings (including a blog), and a brief history of RRBM on About Us.). Also, many business schools worldwide are signing up as institutional partners. And this is just the beginning. Change takes time and patience, and each scholar’s voice will add to the call for this much needed transformation.

If you agree with our vision, we sincerely hope that you will be an endorser and invite your colleagues and friends to join us. Go to https://rrbm.network now and add your voice to the community of scholars calling for this transformation.

Thank you and we look forward to your enthusiastic support!

Sincerely,
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(Members of the Responsible Research Leadership Forum)
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