## CALL FOR PROPOSALS: Special Issue of Asian Business & Management

Asian Business & Management (ABM) invites proposals for a special issue to be published in December 2016

Please submit your proposal to the Editor-in-Chief (Michael A. Witt, <u>abm.editor@insead.edu</u>) with the following information:

- 1. The names, contact details, and positions of the proposed Guest Editor(s). Please include brief biographical details.
- 2. The title of the proposed special issue.
- 3. An indication of the type of special issue--invited submissions, open call for paper submissions, or a mix.
- 4. If there is to be an open call for papers: a one-page draft "Call for Papers" indicating the theme of the special issue, key topics, and methodological considerations (if any).
- 5. For any invited papers: 300-word abstracts of the planned invited contributions, plus information about the authors and a confirmation of their commitment.
- 6. Two to three pages on the rationale of the proposal, its intended scope, its intended contribution relative to existing knowledge, and its fit vis-a-vis the <u>ABM editorial policy</u>.

Please submit your proposal by 30 June 2015. A committee of the editors of *ABM* will assess all received proposals and announce their decision within about a month.

Guest editors will be responsible for ensuring that the special issue adheres to our editorial policy and formal guidelines. All manuscripts, including invited pieces, will undergo a standard double-blind review. Guest editors are expected to contribute a substantively meaningful editorial for the special issues. Guest editors may submit their own papers for the special issue; review of these papers will be handled by a regular Editor of the journal, and acceptance is subject to the same standards as any other papers submitted to *ABM*.

Guest editors will be expected to work according to this schedule:

- 30 June 2015: Submission deadline for proposals
- July 2015: Issue of public "Call for Papers" for the special issue
- December 2015: Deadline for first submission of papers, begin of review process
- September 2016: Deadline for submission of final manuscripts to publisher (precise date TBC)

For any questions, please contact me at <u>abm.editor@insead.edu</u>.

All the best,

Michael Editor-in-Chief, *ABM* abm.editor@insead.edu