The Indian Academy of Management (an affiliate of the Academy of Management) invites submissions for its 2015 conference. The conference will focus on contextual matters, as they relate to the impact of the Indian context, including formal and informal rules, on businesses and markets. This conference will address such issues through the various conference tracks. It is important that each paper must include exclusive or comparative focus on Indian context. Submissions may take the form of competitive papers, work-in-progress, symposia proposals and proposals for doctoral colloquia. All submissions will be peer reviewed based on originality, rigour and relevance.

Given the contextual slant of the conference, academic contributions are invited in the following tracks:

- Leadership
- Strategy and organization
- Management of human resources & firm performance
- Internationalization of Indian firms and markets
- Governance and the Indian institutional context
- Governance of SMEs & family firms
- Entrepreneurship, innovation and new venture management
- Inter- and intra-organizational social networks
- Managing public service organizations
- Managing knowledge networks
- Management of foreign firms in India
- Business Ethics, Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), and Sustainability in India
- Potpourri

**Type of Submissions Invited**

- Competitive papers: max 25 pages
- Working Papers: max 15 pages
- Symposia proposals: max 10 pages
- Doctoral consortium proposals (to be held on 11 December): max 20 pages
Key Dates

Full paper submission deadline: 21st July, 2015
Acceptance notification: 21st September, 2015
Early registration deadline: 15th October, 2015

Awards
1. Awards will be given to Top three papers in the conference.
2. Best Doctoral Paper Award will be given to a doctoral student for Competitive Paper category (submitted by doctoral student - individuals that are currently pursuing in a doctoral degree)

Publication Partners
Select papers would have an opportunity to get published in a special issue of Personnel Review and Journal of Indian Business Research after the peer review, as per the journal norm.

Submission Guidelines

- All submissions must be made no later than July 21, 2015 at 11:59 pm Indian Standard Time, on the conference website (www.iiml.ac.in/iamconference4). The deadline is firm and no extensions will be granted.
- Papers should not have been previously accepted, published, presented, or be under review for another meeting or journal. Subsequent publication, with proper acknowledgement, is encouraged.
- If a paper is accepted, at least one author must register and present their work at the conference.
- No participant is allowed to be included as an author, presenter, session chair, discussant, etc. in more than three program sessions.
- The maximum length of competitive paper submissions is 25 pages. This limit includes the body of the text, notes, and appendices. It excludes the abstract, references, tables and figures. In the case of working papers, the maximum length is up to 15 pages and for symposia proposals, the maximum limit is 10 pages. The proposals for the doctoral colloquium should not exceed 20 pages. Academy of Management Journal's Style Guide (see APA guidelines) should be followed for all submissions. Nonconforming submissions will be returned without review.
- Manuscripts should be double spaced with 1 inch margins on all four sides. Manuscripts should be prepared in Times New Roman font, size 12.
- The entire paper must be in a single document created in Microsoft Word/PDF.
- Paper submissions will be blind reviewed; thus, no author names or other identifying information should appear anywhere in the manuscript. This does not apply to symposia proposals, which are not blind-reviewed.

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