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AIB-LAT Doctoral Student Consortium

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On January 22, 2015, the Academy of International Business, Latin American Chapter, will host a Doctoral Student Consortium as part of the AIB-LAT Annual Meeting in Santiago, Chile (for more information about the conference go to www.aiblat2015.com). The Consortium is intended for doctoral students interested in Latin American affairs who wish to develop and expand their research skills, enhance their particular research agenda, and network with like-minded students and academics in their field of study. The Consortium will facilitate constructive and supportive discussions between and among doctoral students and faculty members on a wide array of topics including but not limited to: conducting research in international business and Latin America, writing and completing successful dissertations, and transitioning into an academic career. The Consortium will also provide feedback and commentary to those students whose research and dissertations are in progress.

The Consortium's Committee is seeking candidates who are Ph.D. students in international business (or a related field dealing with Latin American issues). While candidates in the dissertation phase of their Ph.D. programs are preferred, all candidates will be considered. In order to stimulate the exchange of ideas and provide the greatest level of commentary and guidance to students, the committee will restrict the number of participants.

The 2015 Doctoral Student Consortium faculty panel will feature a diverse group of distinguished and rising international business scholars who together boast a strong record of publications in top academic journals. The panel members have received numerous research awards, supervised doctoral students, and worked as editors or are members of editorial boards for top academic journals. (Note: the final list of panelists will be announced soon).

Tentative Program

- 09:00 - 09:30** Welcome and Introduction
- 09:30 - 10:15** Panel: Managing the Dissertation and Job Hunt Stage
- 10:15 - 10:30** Coffee Break
- 10:30 - 12:00** Small Group Discussion of Doctoral Student Research
- 12:00 - 13:00** Lunch
- 13:00 - 13:45** Panel: Conducting High Impact IB Research on Latin America
- 13:45 - 14:00** Coffee Break
- 14:00 - 15:00** Panel: Meet the Editors (jointly with Paper Development Workshop)

Submission Requirements

Interested students should submit an application containing:

- (1) a nomination letter from the advisor with information on the progress of the student in the PhD program,
- (2) a one-page CV, and
- (3) a one-page description of the dissertation (or a research proposal for those who don't have a formal dissertation proposal yet).

The dissertation description (or research proposal) should provide information about (a) the research question, (b) relevant literature, (c) dependent and independent variables, (d) methodology, (e) data, and (f) anticipated findings and implications. Priority will be given to students that have their research more clearly defined.

Submission will be accepted on a rolling basis through October 15, 2014, or until positions are filled, whichever occurs first. Please submit all materials in a single PDF file. Send the complete application to santiago.mingo@uai.cl with the message header "AIB-LAT 2015 Doctoral Consortium Application." Specific questions about the consortium or application process can also be sent to santiago.mingo@uai.cl.