

#### **CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS**

## AIB-UK&I 2024 DIGITALIZATION SIG PAPER DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP (PDW)

# DIGITALIZATION IN A GLOBALIZED WORLD: BETWEEN THEORY & PRACTICE

• Workshop Date: 4<sup>th</sup> April 2024

One-page Proposal Submission Deadline: 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

• Registration Deadline: 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024

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## WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS PDW?

This PWD aims to bridge the gap between research and practice on digitalization in a global
world by bringing in the perspectives of seasoned professionals in digitization together with
experienced academics in the field. The PWD will offer participants an opportunity to gain
insights into the most pressing trends for digitalization as perceived by experienced
professionals and to engage in academic discussions to inspire future research on the topic.

#### WHAT IS THE AIM OF THE PDW?

- The PDW aims to help research scholars, PhD students and DBA candidates to:
  - ✓ Develop research questions and refine research designs.
  - ✓ Identify potential research partners.
  - ✓ Find an advisory network to provide support as you advance your research.

# How Can I Participate in This Workshop?

- The PDW requires prior registration. Participants will be requested to submit a one-page proposal with:
  - 1. The main research idea to be discussed during the workshop and up to 3 questions for the panel to consider (300 words max).
  - 2. A short bio illustrating applicants' research and/or work experience (250 words max).
- The deadline for submissions is 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024 in the author's time zone.
- Please send the submissions to <u>S.Soliman@gold.ac.uk</u> using <u>"Digitalization SIG PDW, AIB-UKI&I"</u> in the subject line.

- Authors will be notified of the outcome of their submission by email.
- Authors of successful submissions will need to register for the AIB-UK&I Conference by 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024 to confirm their participation in the PDW.

## WHO ARE THE ORGANIZERS OF THE PDW?

- **Dr Salma Soliman**, the Institute of Management Studies, Goldsmiths, University of London (S.Soliman@gold.ac.uk)
- **Professor Charles Dhanaraj**, Robinson Professor of International Business and Academic Director of DBA, Georgia State University, Atlanta USA (<a href="mailto:cdhanaraj@gsu.edu">cdhanaraj@gsu.edu</a>)