

Illinois International Accounting Symposium

Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada | June 3-6, 2026

Call for Papers

The 2026 Illinois International Accounting Symposium will be held jointly with Brock University, McMaster University, and Saint Mary's University in Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada.

The theme “*New Technology, Disruption, and Sustainability*” invites accounting scholars to explore how technological innovation transforms the production, assurance, and use of accounting information. We welcome studies that examine how disruption — from AI and automation to new reporting frameworks — reshapes professional roles, regulatory systems, and the pursuit of economic, social, and environmental sustainability. Innovative papers on other subjects will also be welcome. Selection of papers will depend on novelty, quality, and incremental contribution to the accounting literature. Submitted papers must not have been published or submitted elsewhere.

Papers accepted for presentation at the symposium will be published in regular issues of *The International Journal of Accounting*, subject to satisfactory revisions and a positive review process. The symposium will contribute to the cost of travel of one author per paper.

Deadline for submission: January 15, 2026

Decision date: March 15, 2026

Submit articles to *The International Journal of Accounting* here: <https://www.worldscientific.com/page/tija/submission-guidelines>

Please enter “2026 TIJA Symposium” for the submission category.

Questions about the symposium may be addressed to the Journal Manager at tijajournal@business.illinois.edu

PhD Consortium

We will also be holding a doctoral consortium on the first day of the symposium (June 3) to assist up to 25 PhD students with the research and development of their dissertations. Further information about the PhD consortium can be found here:

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