

Call for Papers 3rd FIRN PhD Symposium November 10, 2020, Hamilton Island, Queensland

FIRN cordially invites PhD students from member institutions to submit a paper to the 3rd FIRN PhD symposium. The event will take place on 10th November 2020 at the Hamilton Island Resort, QLD (<https://www.hamiltonisland.com.au>). The symposium will be followed by the FIRN annual conference from 11th to 13th November at the same location.

Presenters at the symposium will receive high-quality feedback in a supportive atmosphere from fellow students and senior academics.

Paper submission conditions:

- Only 1 paper per presenting author may be submitted.
- Papers may not be already accepted for publication.
- Papers in all areas of finance are welcome
- Paper author(s) must allow a copy of the paper to be made available to other conference participants.

Submission Format:

Please submit (1) a blind copy of the manuscript without author information, and (2) a non-blind copy of the manuscript with a title page containing all author information. Only PDF documents can be submitted.

Submission site: <https://www.openconf.org/FIRNTOPIC2020/track2/>

Submission Deadline: 1 May 2020

Evaluation: All papers will be double-blind refereed. Acceptance decisions will preference final year students and a diversity of representation from FIRN member institutions.

Costs and Financial Support: Students accepted into the PhD symposium must also attend the annual conference and can access the discounted student registration rate. FIRN will offer a small number of PhD student grants that can be applied to the conference registration costs. Interested students should email info@firn.org.au by 1 May 2020 to be considered for a travel grant. Presenting authors will be eligible for a best paper prize (sponsored by UNSW) and a best presenter prize (sponsored by FIRN).

Decision communication: July 2020

Program released: September 2020

Symposium website: <https://www.firn.org.au/education/phd-symposium/>

Registration and hotel booking information will be made available on the conference website.