

## Journal of Law, Finance, and Accounting (JLFA) 2017 Conference Announcement and Call for Papers

June 9 and 10, 2017

At School of Accounting and Finance, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University  
Hong Kong

The Journal of Law, Finance, and Accounting (JLFA) is pleased to announce its 5th conference, to be held at School of Accounting and Finance, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University in Hong Kong on June 9 (Friday) and 10 (Saturday), 2017.

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You are invited to submit your original, unpublished papers for presentation at the conference. Accepted papers will be eligible for expedited review and consideration for publication in JLFA. In choosing papers for presentation at the conference, we will give priority to papers which the authors wish to submit to JLFA for consideration for publication. Publication is at the editors' discretion.

The deadline for submission is **Monday February 15, 2017**. Please submit papers through SSRN at <http://hq.ssrn.com/conference=JLFA-Hong-Kong-2017>

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

1. The impact of the structure of the legal system — including legal origins, procedural rules, and the legal environment in general, on the evolution of financial contracts, financial markets, business enterprises and business groups.
2. The impact of particular legal and market institutions, including accounting, on financial markets and corporate actions, and innovation, economic growth and stability.
3. The co-evolution of the legal rules and market institutions that govern financial sector activity, that activity itself, and the nature of the broader economy and financial markets.
4. The regulation, organization, and performance of financial institutions.
5. The relationships between the structure and performance of financial institutions, and the performance of these institutions and the overall performance of financial markets and economies.
6. The interplay between legal rules, accounting regulations, corporate governance, firm performance, cost of equity and debt capital, financial market performance, and economic performance.
7. The political economy of the regulation of corporate governance, financial institutions, and financial markets.
8. Accounting, finance, and legal issues concerning ownership and property.

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