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Building a QRCA Network in Latin America

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ABOUT QRCA

One of the main objectives of the conference and the emerging scholar's colloquium is to join forces with local initiatives to promote and stimulate the production of Qualitative Research and Critical Accounting (QRCA) in the Portuguese and Spanish-speaking countries of Latin America.

Furthermore, the conference also aims to help build meaningful bridges between researchers in the region committed to QRCA and other international academic communities working on these topics. Although the network is closely related to accounting, the concept is approached from a broad perspective, so you will see in the "topics of interest" of this call that other areas of knowledge are welcome at this conference under a critical approach.

The QRCA initiative does not intend to offer magic recipes on how to engage in research and publish it in an academic journal. However, it is realistic to say that participants can take advantage of the following potential benefits:

- To be aware that they are not alone in conducting qualitative or critical research and that there is a growing community of researchers in Latin America.
- Enable participants to expand their network in the growing community of QRCA.
- Connect QRCA 2024 participants with leading exponents of the topics, research and methodologies they pursue (including editors, publishers, reviewers and reviewers of leading international academic journals).
- Expose participants to in-depth discussions on the criteria for evaluating qualitative, interpretive, and critical research.
- Present their work in progress to an audience of qualitative researchers and receive constructive feedback from this audience.
- Participate in discussions about the challenges and opportunities of publishing QRCA articles in high-impact international journals that accept QRCA articles.
- Participate in discussions on how to make research in Latin American environments of interest to an international audience.

At the Conference and at the Emerging Scholars Colloquium, members of the editorial staff of several academic journals will participate and there will also be a special session with the editors of these journals:

- ☐ **Presentation of journals and special issues by editors/directors. Journals confirmed at the moment: Costos y Gestión (IAPUCO, Arg), Critical Perspectives on Accounting (USA), Escritos Contables y de Administración (UNS, Arg), Economía y Estadística (UNC, Arg), INNOVAR (UNAL, Colombia).**

+ info about QRCA: <https://qrca-net.org/>

CONFERENCE VENUE - 2024

Facultad de Ciencias Económicas de la Universidad Nacional de Córdoba, Argentina.

The Universidad Nacional de Córdoba (UNC) was founded in 1613, making it the oldest university in the country and one of the oldest in Latin America. Its reputation for excellence is recognized throughout the country and the world, giving rise to the name "La Docta", which was historically given to the city of Córdoba.

The School of Economic Sciences was founded in 1946. It trains professionals who excel in the academic field and work in the public, private and third sectors. The building has a floor area of over 17,000 square meters.

School website: <https://www.eco.unc.edu.ar/>

University website: <https://www.unc.edu.ar/>

Location: <https://goo.gl/maps/rdnoAhxTVLHp8amM7>

The QRCA 2024 Conference and Emerging Scholars Colloquium will adopt a hybrid format (face-to-face & virtual). Details of the activities will be available in the next communications, as well as an indication of which activities will be available in virtual format. We encourage those interested to participate in person, hence the early distribution of this call.

+ info on Córdoba: <https://www.cordobaturismo.gov.ar/>

Jointly organized by: School of Economic Sciences of the National University of Córdoba, (Argentina); School of Economic Sciences of the National University of Rio Cuarto (Argentina); Foundation to Support the University of São Paulo (Brazil); Journal Critical Perspectives in Accounting (France-Canada); GENERAS (Brazil); INTERGES (Colombia); OGA (Brazil).

The conference will feature a joint hybrid session with The Centre for Social and Environmental Accounting Research (CSEAR). It will be a panel in collaboration with CSEAR, which will be holding its 1st CSEAR African Conference. This session will be held on 13 November at 9:30 am Argentina (1:30 pm Nigeria). For more information on this event: <https://csearafrica.com>

Key Dates

June 1 2024	Paper submission open
June 30 2024	Deadline for the 1st round of submissions
July 29 2024	Deadline for the 2nd round of submissions
August 15 2024	Notification of acceptance for Papers submitted on the 1 st round
September 1 2024	Notification of acceptance for Papers submitted on the 2nd round
September 1st to 15th 2024	Registration and payment (online)
November 13 2024	Emerging Scholars Colloquium

November 14-15 2024	QRCA hybrid conference (face-to-face & virtual)
November 19 2024 <i>(updated date)</i>	Post conference activity: Centro de Modelos Contables (CECONTA) y QRCA Academic Meeting (Buenos Aires)

DRAFT PROGRAM

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To include in your schedule... As part of the activities of the QRCA Network in Argentina, a conversation on critical accounting research will be held at the University of Buenos Aires. After our visit to Córdoba, we invite you to join this engaging discussion.

Organizers: Centro de Modelos Contables (CECONTA). Sección de investigaciones Contables (SIC) - IADCOM

Venue: Av. Córdoba 2122. Facultad de Ciencias Económicas. Universidad de Buenos Aires.

Date: Monday, November 19, 2024, 11:00 am *(updated date)*.

Registration to participate in the meeting:

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PAPER SUBMISSIONS

To submit your work, visit the QRCA website <http://www.qrca-net.org> where we will be updating the call information.

Submission form: Google Form <https://forms.gle/ax9qcRzm1jg1YnF8A>

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Any academic, researcher or graduate student (doctorate or master's) committed to the QRCA or its topics of interest is invited to participate in the Conference and the Emerging Scholars Colloquium, provided that the proposed research follows a qualitative methodology and/or reflects the critical or interpretive paradigm of social research.

The paper options are:

- **Submission of Full Papers (FULL PAPERS):** Authors can submit articles of up to 15,000 words. The most advanced papers will be considered. Doctoral and master's students whose thesis or dissertation is nearing completion can also submit a full paper (in addition to their work in the Graduate Consortium).
- **Submission of Articles in Progress (WORKING PAPERS):** Authors can submit works in progress or extended abstracts of up to 5,000 words. The organizing committee expects to receive unfinished material, but which presents a high degree of originality and relevance to the topics of interest.
- **Emerging Scholars Colloquium:** Postgraduate students (PhD and MSc) can submit a 2,000-word abstract of their thesis or dissertation proposal, specifying the stage of their PhD or MSc work.

Language: Please note that, due to their international character, presentations to the QRCA conference and Emerging Scholars Colloquium can be written in Portuguese, Spanish, English or French. **If the paper is accepted, the organizing committee recommends that the presentation slides be prepared in English** to promote feedback from the international audience. The languages spoken during the conference and the consortium will be Portuguese, Spanish, English, and French. The intention is that each participant will be able to communicate in the language in which they feel comfortable, but there will be no

simultaneous translation during all of the QRCA 2024 activities (only during the plenary sessions).

QRCA 2024 Fees and payment methods

Information about fees and payment methods:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1dgDCrc4_aDhgdP_5JXzm2bUdGXEO-GXqrA9s8HUqtbw/edit?usp=sharing

TOPICS OF INTEREST FOR QRCA 2024

Although this network was formed by accounting scholars, we welcome proposals from other areas of knowledge (administration, economics, others) that address the main current challenges related to the network's interests:

Equity and Equality	Gender, Diversities, Race, Ethnicity
Colonization-Decolonization	Emancipation
Neoliberalism	Climate Change
Labor/Workers' accounts	Poverty
Globalization and its Impacts	Globalization
Corruption	Latin American Studies
Critical, Alternative Epistemologies (Perspectives)	Corporate Social Responsibility, Corporate Sustainability

Specifically on accounting knowledge:

Critical accounting	Social and environmental accounting
Popular accounting	History of accounting
Accounting education	Management accounting
Accounting and gender	Decoloniality and accounting

Accounting and culture	Accounting research
Organizational control	Accounting and economics
Corporate governance	International organizations
Auditing	Accounting and public debates
Qualitative research in accounting	Accounting and power

NOTE: the list is not exhaustive, only illustrative.

Don't hesitate to contact us to see if your research topic is in line with the QRCA 2024 committee.

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