## **Empirical Management Conference – 5<sup>th</sup> Edition Management Practices in the Private and Social Sectors**

We will be running a two-day conference on empirical management, focused on exploring recent empirical research on measuring and exploring management and organizational practices. We are seeking applied and empirical research papers in both the private and the social sector, including education and health, covering a range of topics in this area. This format follows Empirical Management Conferences at Harvard in 2014, at Stanford in 2015, at MIT in 2016 and the World Bank in 2017.

The conference takes place at the Harvard Business School on December 13-14, 2018.

Submissions are due by August 1, 2018 at 11:59 p.m. EST. Accepted papers will be notified by August 31, 2018.

Papers will be submitted via Ex Ordo. If you are you new to Ex Ordo, you'll need to create a username and password. You may submit your paper on <a href="https://emc2018.exordo.com">https://emc2018.exordo.com</a>.

Attendees are expected to attend the full conference. If for any reason you cannot attend the full conference please note this in your submission.

Selected presenter will receive funding for traveling and accommodations as listed below:

- Domestic travel (including Canada): two-nights lodging at the Hyatt Regency Cambridge and up to \$700 for eligible travel related expenses
- International travel from Europe, Latin America, and South America: threenights lodging at the Hyatt Regency Cambridge and up to \$1,500 for eligible travel related expenses
- International travel from Africa, Asia, and Australia: three-nights lodging at the Hyatt Regency Cambridge and up to \$3000 for eligible travel related expenses

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