



Accounting Reading Group

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The objective of the “Accounting Reading Group” (ARG) is that students are able to (i) understand and critically evaluate seminal research in accounting and (ii) use these skills to develop an exposé for a research project that has the potential to contribute to extant literature.

The ARG entails group discussions of seminal papers that identify fundamental questions in accounting research and that use innovative methods to address such questions.

The ARG is targeted towards current PhD students in accounting and Master or Bachelor students who are interested in pursuing a PhD in accounting. Master students can obtain 6 ECTS by writing and presenting an exposé for a research project. Bachelor students cannot obtain ECTS through the ARG, but they are very welcome to join the seminar for inspiration. All students are expected to participate actively during the reading group sessions

Enrolment into the ARG is possible at the beginning of each semester. Details on the application procedure will be announced in early March (summer term) and early October (winter term) via the website of our institute. The language of the seminar is English. The number of participants is limited to 20 students. We will base our choice of suitable students on § 90 ZSP-HU.