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1st CSEAR France
(Congress on Social and Environmental Accounting Research)

June 13-14, 2011
Université Paris Dauphine, Paris, France

Sustainable development is one of the key issues of the 21st century. In fact, it is now full integrated in both the political and economical spheres. The management/business field, particularly accounting and accountability researchers, has also an important contribution to make to this issue.

The Centre for Social and Environmental Accounting Research (CSEAR) has held an annual conference in the UK (often referred to as the Summer School) for almost two decades, and other parts of the world in Europe, Australia, New Zealand, and in both North and South Americas.

In this light, the Université de Paris Dauphine is delighted to announce that the First French Conference on Social and Environmental Accounting Research (under the umbrella of CSEAR) will be held in Paris, France on June 13 and 14, 2011.

The main objective of the conference is to provide a deliberately informal discussion forum to further enhance research in new instruments, policies and strategies related to sustainable development.

- How can sustainable development-related issues impact organizations?
- How do they influence their strategies?
- How do we assess them? And how do we control them?

The conference welcomes various interdisciplinary perspectives beyond accounting such as (but not limited to) organizational theory, human resources, marketing, finance, strategy, economy but also to political science, sociology, urban planning and environmental sciences.

The conference will provide participants an opportunity to present their research projects, ranging from discussing preliminary findings to full papers in a friendly and enthusiastic atmosphere. Submissions are welcome in either French or English.

To inaugurate CSEAR in France, the plenary speaker will be Professor Rob Gray, Professor of Social and Environmental Accounting at the University of Saint Andrews, School of Management and Director of the Centre for Social and Environmental Accounting Research.

Under the aegis of the AFC (French Accounting Association) and the RIODD (International Research Network on Organizations and Sustainable Development), the conference will be organized by Dauphine Recherche en Management (DRM), the laboratory of management studies at Université Paris Dauphine.
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Dates to remember:

March 15, 2011: Deadline to submit paper title & abstract (e-mail: csear.france@gmail.com)

April 15, 2011: Authors will be informed of the final decision

April 30, 2011: Registration deadline (details to come)

May 15, 2011: Deadline to send final versions of accepted papers

Organizing Committee:
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