



UNSW Business School/ Banking and Finance  
Institute of Global Finance  
**The 31<sup>st</sup> Australasian Finance and Banking Conference**

**CALL FOR PAPERS**

**The 31<sup>st</sup> Australasian Finance and Banking Conference 2018**

**Venue:** Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney, Australia

**Date:** 13–15 December 2018

**PRIZES**

**BlackRock Research Award**

AU\$10,000 will be awarded for the best paper in Capital Markets / Funds Management / Mutual Funds.

**SIRCA Research Prize**

AU\$2,500 will be awarded for the best paper using data generated by SIRCA. Use of SIRCA data must be cited in the paper.

**Bureau van Dijk Prizes**

AU\$2,500 will be awarded for the best paper in Banking.

AU\$2,500 will be awarded for the best paper in Corporate Finance / Corporate Governance / Institutional Block Holders.

**Australian Securities Exchange Prize**

AU\$1,000 will be awarded for the best paper presented on Derivatives / Quantitative Finance.

**PHD FORUM as part of the 31<sup>st</sup> AFBC**

**Venue:** Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney

**Date:** 12 December 2018

The 30<sup>th</sup> AFBC conference will include a PhD Forum for advanced Finance Doctoral Students who are currently working on their dissertation. The one-day forum will offer accepted students the unique opportunity to present their research and have their work discussed by distinguished academics from top business schools in the US, Europe and the Asia-Pacific. Throughout the seminar, students will receive valuable advice about career development from leading scholars, and will discuss recent developments in finance literature with fellow students and faculty members.

**PRIZES**

**Best Paper:** AU\$1,000

**Second Best Paper:** AU\$500

**Third Best Paper:** AU\$250

**SUBMISSION**

**Submission Deadline: Sunday 29 July 2018.**

**How to submit:** Contributors should follow the submission procedure outlined on the conference website.

**FURTHER INFORMATION**

Contact the Conference Administrator

**Email:** [bankconf@unsw.edu.au](mailto:bankconf@unsw.edu.au)

**Telephone:** +61 2 9385 7774

**Website:** <http://www.business.unsw.edu.au/afbc>

**REGISTRATION**

The registration deadline for accepted authors is **Thursday 20 September 2018.**

**Early bird fee** (payment prior to Friday 31 August 2018)

Standard registration: AU\$750\* (incl. GST/VAT)

PhD students: AU\$600\* (incl. GST/VAT)

**Full fee** (payment after Thursday 20 September 2018)

Standard registration: AU\$800\* (incl. GST/VAT)

PhD students: AU\$650\* (incl. GST/VAT)

\* All payments incur a credit card processing fee of 2.5% .

