2025 NAMS CALL FOR PAPERS

2025 Annual Meeting of the North American Management Society (NAMS)
Wednesday – Friday, April 9-11, 2025 | The Palmer House Hilton, Chicago IL
Submission Deadline: *Sunday, January 26, 2025*

The North American Management Society (NAMS) Annual Meeting at the MBAA International Conference experience offers collegiality and fellowship, renewing friendships and making new ones. Well-aligned with the needs and interests of faculty from institutions that are committed to a balanced emphasis on both teaching and scholarship, NAMS features a rich mixture of attendees from colleges and organizations - large and small as well as public and private.

Faculty, students, and practitioners in all fields of management are invited and encouraged to submit Full-Length Papers, Case Studies, Research-in-Progress, Abstracts, and Panels/Symposia for possible presentation at the NAMS Annual Meeting.

NAMS SUBMISSION TRACKS

- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging
- Entrepreneurship and Corporate Innovation
- Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility
- General Management
- Hospitality Management
- Human Resource Management
- International Management
- Management Education & Teaching
- Non-Profit Management
- Organizational Behavior
- Organizational Leadership
- Strategic Management

NAMS SUBMISSION CATEGORIES & DEFINITIONS

- *Competitive Full-Length Papers* make up the core of the conference program and are organized into concurrent sessions, each of which constitutes three to four papers.
- *Research-in-Progress Papers and Abstracts* may be submitted as papers or as extended abstracts describing an ongoing research project or study of interest.
- *Case Studies* in management present summaries or syntheses of real-life management situations based on data and research requiring the reader to think through the key issues involved against both theory and the larger environment and identify appropriate strategies for the resolution of case situation.
- *Symposia/Panels* consist of a chairperson/moderator and three to five presenters offering their perspectives of the panel topic, providing the opportunity for audience participation and discussion.

NAMS SPECIAL CONFERENCE FEATURES AND AWARDS

- *NAMS Track Awards* - one award is given for the best submission in each of the NAMS conference tracks. Each author of the chosen work will be recognized. Awards are determined by the referees from a double-blind review. The papers selected for each NAMS track award will become eligible for publication in the *Journal of the North American Management Society*.
- *MBAA McGraw-Hill/Irwin Award* - The NAMS track award winners will additionally be considered for the McGraw-Hill/Irwin Award, which is an MBAA Conference level award determined by MBAA representatives.
- *NAMS Best Student Submission Award* – Pending the reviews, one student paper will be selected by the referees for the NAMS Best Student Submission Award. Each author will be recognized. This paper will be eligible for publication in the *Journal of the North American Management Society*.

NAMS SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- Upload anonymized submissions as a PDF document at https://event.fourwaves.com/mbaai2025/submission.
    - Author(s) information will be collected separately, will need a one-sentence description of your submission that can be used in the conference program, & a 50-200 word abstract.
- Submissions should be anonymized, should not exceed twelve (12) double-spaced pages (not including references), nor have they been presented elsewhere before the 2025 NAMS Meeting, nor should they be under consideration by other conferences or journals.
    - Select "North American Management Society" for your submission.

All accepted papers and symposia will be published in the *2025 North American Management Society Proceedings*. Per MBAA a condition of acceptance is that at least one author will register for the conference in order to present and that all presenting authors must register for the conference. Deadline for submissions is **Sunday, January 26, 2025.** *Inquiries addressed to:*

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