

FORM A: ABDC 2013 JOURNALS LIST REVIEW NEW ACADEMIC JOURNAL SUBMISSION

***** PLEASE NOTE THAT:** FORM A is designed to formalise requests to the ABDC Journals Review Panel 2013 seeking the **inclusion** of an academic journal which is currently **omitted** from the **ABDC 2010** list. Previously unrated journals should only be nominated in this form where a clear case can be made for them (a) achieving a minimum “business element test” and (b) satisfying a minimum threshold of research quality. Please complete a **separate** form relating to each journal for which you wish to make a submission of this type.

Journal Title:

QA1. FIELD of RESEARCH (FoR) PANEL to which this request is directed (tick one box only):

- ☐ 0806 Information Systems
- ☐ 1401-1499 Economics
- ☐ 1501 Accounting
- ☐ 1502 Finance
- ☐ 1503 Management
- ☐ 1504-07 Marketing/Tourism/Logistics
- ☐ 180105/1801025 Business and Taxation Law

QA2. WHAT ABDC 2013 RATING DO YOU PROPOSE FOR THIS JOURNAL?

- ☐ A* ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C

QA3. IN ERA 2010, WHICH FoR GROUP WAS THIS JOURNAL ASSIGNED?

- ☐ 0806 Information systems
- ☐ 1401-1499 Economics
- ☐ 1501 Accounting
- ☐ 1502 Finance
- ☐ 1503 Management
- ☐ 1504-07 Marketing/Tourism/Logistics
- ☐ 180105/1801025 Business and Taxation Law
- ☐ OTHER: please specify
- ☐ New journal not previously ranked

QA4. WHAT ERA 2010 RATING WAS THIS JOURNAL ASSIGNED?

- ☐ A* ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ not applicable

QA5. NOMINATE “THE BEST” COMPARATOR JOURNAL (journal from the **ABDC 2010 list** that is most similar in research quality):

QA6. JOURNAL INFORMATION

Publisher:

Frequency:

Current Volume: **Current Issue:** **ISSN:** **First Year Published:**

Refereed (please tick one): yes no

Editor's Name: **Institution:**

Web Address:

NATURE OF SUBMISSION

QA7. Primary submitter type (tick one box only)

- ☐ Higher Education Institutional Submission (e.g. formal submission from Business Faculty/School)
- ☐ Peak Body Submission (e.g. AFAANZ, ANZAM)
- ☐ Individual Submission

QA8. Primary submitter:

Institutional Affiliation:

QA9. Are there other signatories to this submission? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many signatories are there (including the primary submitter)?

QA10. Executive Summary (250 words fully presented on this page only). In the space below succinctly highlight the most powerful elements of your case for **including** the designated new journal in the ABDC 2013 list and for the suggested **rating** given in **QA2**. Please use a “bullet point” style where possible.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: APPENDIX CHECKLIST

The ABDC invites further supplementary and supporting information to be submitted by way of appendices.

QA11. Mandatory “substantive business element test” (please tick one box only):

- ☐ **Appendix A1:** Substantive business element test
You should provide:
- Simple metrics that demonstrate a substantive “business” element relating to the relevant FoR Panel e.g. > 50% of articles over 3 years written by business faculty or > 50% of articles over a recent 3-year period are of a business nature. For the purposes of this test, a research area is deemed to be “business” related provided that it meaningfully relates to (at least) one of the FoR Panels established for the ABDC journal list review.
 - The Editorial Board list and clearly establish that many academics on the board have meaningful links to the relevant area of business-related research.
- ☐ ERA 2013 FoR code is the **same** as the requested FoR designation (i.e. answer for QA1 = QA3) – **Appendix A1 is NOT required.**

QA12. What supplementary information are you supplying (by way of appendices) to support your submission? (these appendices should be seen to be **optional** – you have discretion over those that you choose to supply and those that you choose to ignore).

The following documents are attached in support of this application (please tick boxes as relevant):

- ☐ **Appendix A2:** List of Editorial Board Members
☐ **Appendix A3:** Description and Scope of Journal
☐ **Appendix A4:** Recommendations from eminent scholars in the relevant field
☐ **Appendix A5:** Comparisons with existing rated journals
☐ **Appendix A6:** Coverage in review articles
☐ **Appendix A7:** Impact Factors: SSCI or others
☐ **Appendix A8:** Other supporting documentation
☐ **Appendix A9:** Signatory Details – in cases where there are more than one signatory to the submission, list all signatory names and their university or relevant affiliations (this appendix should articulate with the answer given to QA8 above).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

QA11.

Appendix A1: Simple metrics that demonstrate a substantive “business” element relating to the relevant FoR Panel e.g. > 50% of articles over 3 years

Last three years (2011-2013): Total articles 32

Percent Topics related to FoR: 56% (18)

Latest table of content of articles for Journal of Investment Consulting is found in the following link.

<http://www.spauldinggrp.com/the-journal/69-previous-articles>

See attachment for a quick view of the list of articles in the latest issue

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Appendix A2: List of Editorial Board Members

Not available from journal web site

Appendix A3:

Description and Scope of Journal

Journal of Performance Measurement completely focused on performance measurement in investment for the investment professional. The journal target market includes money management firms, investment consultants, plan sponsors, verification firms, and software developers from around the globe. The journal helps firm's professional gaining knowledge about performance measurement of firm's assets. The advisory board is comprised of experts from money management firms, plan sponsors, verification firms, and service and software providers.

Appendix A4: Not applicable because it is C rating journal

Appendix A5: Not applicable because it is C rating journal

Appendix A6: Not applicable because it is C rating journal

Appendix A7: Impact factors - SSCI or others

Not available