



**Southwest Academy of Management**



# 65<sup>th</sup> Annual (2023) **MEETING OF THE SOUTHWEST ACADEMY OF MANAGEMENT**

in conjunction with Federation of Business Disciplines

## **KEY SESSIONS**

Journal Editors Panel  
Deans Panel  
Doctoral Consortium  
SWAM Luncheon  
SWAM Social

## **FUN THINGS TO DO**

Livestock Show &  
Rodeo  
Space Center Houston  
Houston Zoo  
World-Class Museums

**8-12 MARCH 2023  
HYATT REGENCY  
HOUSTON**

1200 LOUISIANA STREET  
HOUSTON, TX 77002

## **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

*The Business Transformation of  
Chevron Phillips Chemical*



### **DARREN ERCOLANI**

Senior Vice President of  
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Chevron Phillips Chemical  
Company LP

## **WELCOME FROM THE PRESIDENT**



### **ETHAN WAPLES**

Associate Dean  
MSU Denver  
College of Business

On behalf of the executive  
board, I am excited to invite  
you to SWAM 2023. We are  
planning a re-envisioned and

refocused conference to enhance your experience through 1) meaningful feedback on your scholarly work, 2) networking with academics and practitioners, and 3) high-quality professional development. Join us in Space City for engaging discussions of management teaching and research, then spend your evenings at the Houston Rodeo, an NBA game, or one of Houston's many fine dining venues.

[fbdonline.org](http://fbdonline.org)

[swaom.org](http://swaom.org)

## Submission Information

Submission Portal: <https://easychair.org/my/conference?conf=swam23>

Submission Window: September 12 to November 01, 2022

Do not expect an extension to the submission deadline of 11:59pm on November 1, 2022

## Full Paper Tracks

Full papers include empirical research papers, conceptual and theoretical papers, editorials and viewpoints, practice and white papers, case studies, and review papers. At least one author must register for and attend the conference to present the paper in a session, or the paper will be removed from the program. While it is understood that the vast majority of conference submissions are “working papers,” manuscripts that appear incomplete will be moved from the full paper track to the developmental paper track (see below). Accepted full papers will be given the opportunity to:

- Compete for best paper
- Submit a six-page abridged format for inclusion in the 2023 conference proceedings, which will be published as a special edition of *Administrative Issues Journal* (ISSN: 2153-7615)
- Select full papers may be invited to submit to a special issue of *Organization Management Journal*, sponsored by SWAM in conjunction with Eastern Academy of Management

### Strategy and Organizational Theory

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### Research Methods and Philosophy of Science

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### Administración en Español (Virtual Only)

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Note: All tracks require in-person presentation and there is no virtual option, **except** the Spanish-language track, which is virtual only and there is no in-person option. Authors presenting in the Spanish-language track and another track should expect to attend the conference and present the Spanish-language paper virtually.

## Developmental Paper Track

Many scholars attend SWAM each year to showcase their research early in its development. They do so to find suitable collaborators and coauthors, get valuable feedback from their peers, and gain insights into their research questions. Developmental papers can be any style or track suitable for SWAM, as described above, and may include papers from abstract-only to nearly complete. Frequently, authors submit the “front end” of their paper, prior to completing data collection, in order to get feedback on appropriate methods and sources of data.

- Developmental papers require at least one person listed in the submission to register for the conference and attend the session.
- Developmental papers are included in the conference program, but are not double-blind reviewed and are not eligible for paper awards or inclusion in the proceedings.
- Please identify if you are submitting an FBD Poster Session on the title page of your submission.

## Panels, Symposia, and Workshops

Each year, the SWAM Board actively seeks out high-impact panels, symposia, and workshops for attendees, including the doctoral consortium, deans panel, journal editors panel, and others. To enhance the value SWAM is able to deliver to members, panels, symposia, and workshops are selected from submissions by the Program Chair in coordination with Officers of the SWAM Board.

- Panels, symposia, and workshops require **all** persons listed in the submission to register for the conference and attend the session. If all presenters are not registered by March 03, 2023, the session will be dropped.
- Panels, symposia, and workshops are included in the conference program, but are not double-blind reviewed and are not eligible for paper awards or inclusion in the proceedings.
- For clarification on whether your topic would work best as a panel, symposium, or workshop, you can discuss your submission directly with the Program Chair ([kenneth.sweet@tamusa.edu](mailto:kenneth.sweet@tamusa.edu)) prior to submission to EasyChair.

**Panel:** A panel discussion involves a group of experts providing insights on a topic of interest to SWAM members (i.e., management faculty). Attendees should leave a panel with a deeper understanding of a complex challenge or issue. A panel discussion should include three-to-five experts and a moderator, and conclude with a question-and-answer session. Example panels include the *Deans Panel* and the *Journal Editors Panel*.

**Symposium:** A symposium involves a collective of like-minded scholars coming together to build knowledge around a topic of interest to SWAM members. The coordinator of a symposium should utilize a Socratic (or similar) method of eliciting active discourse to advance thought around the topic. In many cases, symposia are built around nascent research streams and emergent ideas. Example symposia include *Management Research in the Military* and *Increasing Management Faculty Diversity*.

**Workshop:** A workshop involves a group of experts training the attendees on a topic of interest to SWAM members, which would generally be aimed at improving skill in teaching or research. Attendees should leave a workshop with new knowledge and skills that they can take back to their roles as faculty and/or higher-education administrators. Example workshops include *Using R-studio to Conduct Structural Equation Modeling* and *Building Quantitative Reasoning Skills in Undergraduate Management Students*.

## Conference Timeline

- September 12 - Submission Portal Opens
- November 01 - Deadline for Submissions
- November 01 - Nominations for Outstanding Educator Due
- November 21 - Decision Letters Sent to Authors
- December 01 - Hotel Registration Opens
- December 01 - Conference Registration Opens
- December 15 - Presentation Date/Time Information Available
- January 15 - Program Published to SWAM Website
- February 01 - Abridged Papers Due to Proceedings Editor
- February 13 - Hotel Block Reservations End
- February 13 - Early Registration Ends
- March 8 to 11 - Welcome to Houston and Enjoy the Conference



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