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Call for Papers

The 2009 annual symposium of *The International Journal of Accounting* will be held in Catania, Italy on June 4-6, 2009. The symposium is sponsored by the **Faculty of Economics** of the **University of Catania**, the **Zimmerman Center** of the **University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign**, and **Elsevier**, the publisher of the *Journal*. The symposium will begin with a reception on the evening of June 4th and will continue for one and a half days.

Other than an international dimension, there is no particular theme for the Symposium.

Authors are invited to submit research papers for presentation. Submitted papers will be anonymously reviewed. The Symposium Program Committee will select papers for presentation based on the comments of reviewers, the quality of the work and the potential for contributing to the literature. Registration fees are waived for authors, co-authors, and discussants appearing on the program. There is limited space for other participants who would like to attend. No registration fee will be charged for the first twenty registrants other than the presenters and the discussants. The travel cost and the cost of lodging for three nights (up to €1200 EURO in total based on receipts) will be provided for one author and one discussant for each accepted paper. Accepted papers will be published in *The International Journal of Accounting*, a publication of Elsevier, after satisfying the refereeing process.

The deadline for submission is January 31, 2009.

Papers are to be submitted in an electronic form to: ciera@uiuc.edu

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