

**The British Accounting and Finance Association
Financial Accounting and Reporting Special Interest Group**

Invites you to attend a one-day Symposium on

The Future of Financial Reporting 2017: Debating on-going developments



**6 January 2017
9.30am-4.00pm**
Hosted by the ACCA
The Adelphi
1-11 John Adam Street
London, WC2N 6AU



This Symposium brings together a series of high profile speakers to discuss the future of financial reporting. Financial reporting is at an interesting juncture. Against a background of continuing economic uncertainty there have been continuing evolution and development of accounting in areas such as corporate governance, financial regulation, accounting standards, and auditing practices.

This one-day symposium aims to explore some of these issues. It provides a forum for both practitioners and academics to hear and engage in discussion with the following well-informed speakers. The symposium presentations and discussions should also serve as a valuable teaching aid for those academics engaged in financial reporting and contemporary issues in accounting.

Mary Bishop	Director of Learning, ACCA: <i>Innovating the qualification</i>
Ian Mackintosh	Ex Vice-chair of the IASB and Chair of Treasury's Financial Reporting Advisory Board: <i>How is financial reporting evolving?</i>
Richard Macve	Emeritus Professor of Accounting, London School of Economics: <i>Future of Chinese and Western Accounting and Auditing</i>
Mark Vaessen	Partner KPMG LLP, Global IFRS Leader: <i>Improving corporate reporting: the challenge of relevance</i>
Martin Walker	Professor of Finance and Accounting, Alliance Manchester Business School: <i>Electronic analysis of financial narratives: an overview</i>

REGISTRATION FOR THE SYMPOSIUM

The price for attending the event, which includes a buffet lunch and afternoon tea is £50. The price for PhD students and retired BAFA members is £25.

To attend the Symposium, please complete the form below and send it with a cheque to Dr Yannis Tsalavoutas, Treasurer of FARSIG, Accounting and Finance subject group, Adam Smith Business School, University of Glasgow, Glasgow, United Kingdom, G12 8QQ. Cheques should be made payable to the Financial Accounting and Reporting Special Interest Group. Bank transfer details are available from Yannis Tsalavoutas (ioannis.tsalavoutas@glasgow.ac.uk). Please note, we are unable to accept payment by credit card.

I would like to attend the BAFA FARSIG Symposium on The Future of Financial Reporting 2017

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If you have any questions about this event, please contact the Publicity officer Tamer Elshandidy (Tamer.Elshandidy@bristol.ac.uk) or the organiser - Professor Mike Jones, Chair FARSIG, Department of Accounting and Finance, University of Bristol (Michaeljohn.Jones@Bristol.ac.uk).