**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**M&O: Lunch Seminar: March 1, 2016: Wouter Stam**
Wouter Stam (VU) will present his paper, titled “Network-induced risk preferences and the efficacy of organizational risk taking responses to performance feedback”, in room 8A44 from 12:30 till 13:30. Lunch will be provided. This seminar replaces the seminar of Kerstin Neumann. For the abstract please click [here](#).

**ABRI: Tutorial: March 3, 2016: Ralf van der Lans**
On March 3, 2016, Dr. Ralf van der Lans, Associate Professor at Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, provides an opportunity for FEWEB faculty members to attend his tutorial on “Bayesian Inference of Multiple Discrete Choice Models” at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. The tutorial will take place from 09:00 – 12:00. The location will be announced in due course. Some basic knowledge of Bayesian statistics and programming language is required to participate in the tutorial. To register for this event, please send an e-mail to: m.diezdonoso@vu.nl before March 1st, 2016.

**NEWS**

**Jelle de Vries graduated cum laude**
On Thursday, February 18, Jelle de Vries (Assistant Professor of Logistics at the department of Information, Logistics and Innovation at the Faculty of Economics and Business Administration) defended his PhD thesis titled “Behavioral Operations in Logistics” at the Rotterdam School of Management. He was awarded his PhD cum laude, the highest honour for PhD students in the Netherlands. This honour is only awarded in cases of exceptionally high quality. Jelle’s research focuses on Behavioral Operations Management, and more specifically on the influence of human behavior (such as leadership, motivation, and individual differences) on operational processes and outcomes in logistics.

**EVENT OVERVIEW**

**ARCA: Seminar: March 7, 2016: Tim Hermans**
Tim Hermans (KU Leuven) will present his paper (co-authored with Martine Cools and Alexandra Van den Abbeele) titled “Subjective performance evaluation: the role of information accuracy and accountability”. This seminar will take place on Monday, March 7 from 12.00 to 14.00 in 8A-44 in the Main building. To register for the ARCA seminar, please send an email to: l.m.abinta@vu.nl

**KIN: Lunch Seminar: March 8, 2016: Richard Boland**
KIN Research has organized a lunch seminar given by Richard Boland about Design Issues. The seminar will take place on Tuesday March 8th between 12:00-13:00 on the 5th floor, in room 5A-91. The seminar is open to a maximum of 5 members of the ABRI community on a first-come-first-serve base. After the 5th first registrations we’ll create a waiting list in case there is any cancellation from the accepted participants. To register for this event, please send an e-mail to: m.diezdonoso@vu.nl before March 7th, 2016. For more information please click [here](#).

**KIN: Workshop: March 11-12, 2016**
Two day workshop on Organizing for Digital Innovation with amongst others: Michael Barrett (Cambridge University), Patrick Cohendet (HEC Montreal), Raghu Garud (Penn State University), Ola Henfridsson (University of Warwick) and Youngjin Yoo (Temple University). For more information please click here.

AMSIA: Application Deadline: March 11, 2016
The Amsterdam Science & Innovation Award is the Amsterdam competition for innovative ideas with a social and/or commercial impact. Participating in this contest will give you an excellent opportunity to develop your idea further, explore its potential, propose your idea to an experienced jury and share it with the public. Deadline for registration is Friday, 11 March 2016. For more information please click here.

ABRI: PhD Day 2016: March 15, 2016
Discover what is new and exciting in business research, by joining the annual ABRI PhD Day on Tuesday March 15. Seven ABRI PhD candidates will present their work in this Midterm Evaluation and they will discuss their papers and receive constructive feedback from fellow candidates, reviewers and faculty members. Next to the presentations there will be two other activities aimed at PhD candidates. During lunch the PhD Council has invited Ina Putter (research policy officer at FEWEB) as guest speaker and in the afternoon we have organized a workshop about fast reading hosted by MT Company. We kindly invite you to become part of this annual event, as it is great opportunity to exchange knowledge and to further strengthen our research community!

The event will take place in BelleVUe rooms 1H-17, 0H-19 and 0H-36 (parallel sessions) between 10:00 – 15:00. You are invited to join for the whole day or part of the day.
For registration, please send an email to Mar Diez (m.diezdonoso@vu.nl) before March 10th and also indicate whether or not you will have lunch with us and join the workshop.
For further questions, please contact Maura Soekijad (m.soekijad@vu.nl), Director of Doctoral Education at ABRI.

Lund University: Application Deadline: March 15, 2016
Lund University (Sweden) organises several International PhD courses in Spring 2016. Their intensive courses offer a combination of lectures, seminars, and workshops for students to learn and receive guided feedback on their PhD projects from leading scholars. The first course covers Critical Management Studies (18-22 April), the second course engages in Reflexive and Creative Methodology (9-13 May) and the third course discusses Critical Perspectives on Leadership (16-20 May). These courses are aimed to be of interest to participants from across the social sciences. The first application deadline is March 15, 2016. For more information please click here.

ABRI: Application Deadline for PhD positions: March 15, 2016
Highly qualified candidates are invited to apply for a 3-year paid PhD position in Business Administration at the Amsterdam Business Research Institute (full time). Only candidates with an accredited research master (Mphil, MSc) or equivalent programme (e.g. junior researcher programme on top of a regular master) are eligible to apply. In case you have potential candidates for these positions in your network, please forward the vacancy to them. More information about the PhD positions can be found here.

WCCES: Call for papers: March 15, 2016
The World Council of Comparative Education Societies is organising the XVI World Congress which will be held from 22-26 August 2016 in Beijing, China. The website is now open, please click here for more information. The submission deadline is on March 15, 2016.

KIN: KINTalk: March 18, 2016: Willem Herter and Wouter Kroese
On Friday the 18th of March KIN welcomes Willem Herter & Wouter Kroese founders of Pacmed who will present around the theme: “Healthcare & Digital Innovation”. The Talk will be held in the kitchen area, 5th floor of the VU University Amsterdam main building, from 16:30-17.30 with drinks afterwards. For more information please and registration please click here.

ABRI: PhD Research Seminar: March 22, 2015: Nienke Hofstra
Nienke Hofstra will present her paper titled: “Collaborative planning in Logistics Service Providers Networks”. The seminar is at 16:00 in room 0G-10. The seminar will be followed with drinks in the Basket.

M&O: Lunch Seminar: April 7, 2016: Tim Clarck
Tim Clarck (Durham University) will present his paper, title to be announced, on 7 April from 12:30-13:30hrs
in room 8A-44. Lunch will be provided.

KIN: Summer School Application Deadline: May 1, 2016
The KIN Summer School is organized by the KIN Research Group of the VU University Amsterdam together with ABRI. This year it will take place between 11th and 14th July. The deadline for registration is May 1, 2016. More information can be found here and here.

ABRI & Marketing: Seminar: May 18, 2016: Gerry Tellis
ABRI and the Marketing Department would like to invite you to a seminar given by Prof. Gerry Tellis from Marshall School of Business (University of Southern California). He does research in the area of innovations, is one of the best scholars in his field and has a fantastic track record both in academia as in practice. The seminar will take place on Wednesday May 18th at 16:00 in room 12A-37. To register for this event, please send an email to m.diezdonoso@vu.nl before May 16th. Find more information about Prof. Gerry Tellis here.