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# 5<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCIAL MARKETS & CORPORATE FINANCE 2023

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# International Conference on Financial Markets & Corporate Finance (ICFMCF) at a Glance



## Genesis

An initiative by leading management schools within the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) system.

## Objective

To provide a forum to showcase the cutting-edge research in the area of financial markets and corporate finance.

## Collaboration

Brings together researchers from academia, industry and regulatory organizations to deliberate on financial market and corporate finance.

## Networking

An excellent avenue to network among the top researchers, academicians and industry executives in the country working in finance and allied areas.



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6-8 July 2023

## About the Conference

International Conference on Financial Markets & Corporate Finance is an initiative taken by leading management schools within the Indian Institute of Technology system. The conference brings together researchers from academia, industry, and regulatory organizations to deliberate on theoretical work, empirical findings and policy implications related to financial market and corporate finance.

Department of Management Studies (DMS) IIT Delhi is pleased to announce the **5<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCIAL MARKETS & CORPORATE FINANCE (ICFMCF 2023)** during **July 6 - 8, 2023**. The aim of the conference is to provide a forum to showcase the cutting-edge research in the area of financial markets and corporate finance. The conference provides an excellent avenue to get quality feedback and an opportunity for networking among researchers, academicians and industry executives working in the area of finance and allied areas. We invite high quality original **theoretical/applied empirical papers (or extended abstracts)** from faculty members, research scholars and industry practitioners.



## About Department of Management Studies (DMS), IIT Delhi

The Department of Management Studies at IIT Delhi began as an idea in 1963 and was formally established in 1978 after the launch of an M.Tech programme in Management Systems. A Management Core Group was set up in 1978, and an Advisory Committee confirmed the inputs for full-time management education. The School for Systems and Management Studies was renamed the Centre for Systems and Management Studies, and eventually became the Centre for Management Studies. The Department of Management Studies was established in 1993 in response to the needs of Indian industry

In 1997, MBA programs were launched based on feedback from students, alumni, and industry. Currently, the department offers a two-year full-time MBA program and a three-year part-time program, along with a PhD program in Management. The department has a multidisciplinary approach and is equipped with world-class infrastructure for research. DMS, IIT Delhi ranks among the top four management schools in India and has been ranked second in the Business and Management category in a Stanford study. In 2022, DMS, IIT Delhi was ranked fourth in India in the QS World University Ranking for Business and Management Studies.



# Submission Tracks

ICFMCF2023 invites high quality original **theoretical/applied empirical papers (or extended abstracts)** from faculty members, research scholars and industry practitioners. Submission covering studies in the context of India and Emerging Markets are generally encouraged. Papers/extended abstracts may be submitted on the topics listed below, but are not limited to:

## Track 1: Financial Markets

- 1.1 Trading, Pricing, Volatility and Efficiency
- 1.2 Derivatives: Trading, Pricing and Risk Management
- 1.3 Banking and Risk Management
- 1.4 Financial Inclusion and Payment System
- 1.5 Fintech, AI & ML

## Track 2: Corporate Finance

- 2.1 Corporate Funding and Capital Structure
- 2.2 Corporate Dividends
- 2.3 Corporate Cash Management
- 2.4 Corporate Governance, Mergers and Acquisitions
- 2.5 MSMEs Competition, Cluster Development and Financing

# Guidelines for Submission

## Points to remember

1. Complete, unpublished papers or extended abstracts should be submitted online in Adobe PDF format through <https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=icfmcf2023>.
2. Papers should reach on or before March 15, 2023. All submissions will be reviewed, and the authors of accepted papers will be informed by April 15, 2023.
3. Authors should anonymize manuscripts prior to submission. This entails removing or replacing author names and affiliations, as well as any self-citations or URLs that would clearly disclose their identity. Paper should start from title, abstract, and keywords, followed by the main paper.
4. Authors should submit their papers online in pdf format only and should not name the pdf file in their name. ICFMCF 2023 uses EasyChair for submission of papers. Unregistered authors should first create an account on EasyChair to log in.
5. Authors of accepted papers may be requested to act as discussants for other papers.

## Easy Chair Submission Process

1. First, the participant needs to sign up in EasyChair.
2. Then participant will receive EasyChair account confirmation email at the provided email address.
3. After this, the participant needs to fill up detailed information on the EasyChair account setup page along with their preferred user name and password.
4. Now, your account is created in EasyChair.
5. Now login into EasyChair using your user name and password.
6. Click into conference link: <https://iitk.ac.in/ime/icfmcf>.
7. Click "enter as an author."
8. Fill in the details and submit your paper.

The last date for submission of full paper is March 15, 2023. Early submission is greatly appreciated.

## Paper Formatting Guideline

The **manuscript** should be formatted using **Times New Roman 12-point font and 1.5 line spacing**. References may be formatted with **single spacing**. Kindly ensure that each page of the **manuscript is numbered**.

# Important Dates

M T W T F S S

Submission of full paper/ extended abstracts **starts October 1, 2022**

Submission **ends March 15, 2023**

Notification of Acceptance **April 15, 2023**

Registration Window **April 15 - June 15, 2023**

Conference Dates **July 6 - 8, 2023**

Conference Workshop **July 7, 2023**

# Publication Opportunity



Conference proceedings of selected papers will be published in **Scopus** indexed series titled “**Springer Proceedings in Business and Economics.**”





# Invited Dignitaries

## Chief Guest



**Shri Ashish Chauhan,**  
MD and CEO,  
NSE

Shri Ashish Chauhan is an Indian business executive, administrator and current Chancellor of University of Allahabad. In July 2022, he took charge as managing director and chief executive officer of National Stock Exchange (NSE). He also serves as the member of Governing council of one of the premier B school in India - IIM Raipur. Mr. Chauhan is best known as the father of modern financial derivatives in India, and is considered one of the foremost experts in financial market policies, information technology, organized retail, telecommunications and Indian social issues.





# Conference Workshop

## About the Workshop



ICFMCF2023 is hosting a workshop on "**Theory Building in Big Data Driven Research in Management**" on July 7th, 2023. The workshop will be led by Prof. Arpan Kumar Kar from Indian Institute of Technology Delhi. Participants will learn about using computational methods and multi-method approaches for inductive theory building in management disciplines.

Prof. Arpan Kumar Kar is the Amar S Gupta Chair Professor in Information Systems at the Indian Institute of Technology Delhi, India. He also holds a joint appointment in the School of Artificial Intelligence and is involved in various administrative roles, including chairing Corporate Relations and serving on the Board of Academic Programme and Institute of Eminence Committee.

Prof. Arpan Kumar Kar has authored 150+ peer-reviewed articles and edited 7 research books. He has published over 50 articles in top journals such as Information Systems Frontiers, International Journal of Information Management, and Technological Forecasting and Social Change. He received the **Research Excellence Award** from Clarivate Analytics for highest Web of Science citations in India for 2015-2020, and the **Basant Kumar Birla Distinguished Researcher Award** for highest count of ABDC A\*/ABS 4 level publications from 2014-2019.

## Conference Registration

Type of participant	Registration fees
Faculty members	INR 10,000 + GST
Research Scholars	INR 5,000 + GST
Industry participants	INR 10,000 + GST
International participants	USD 250 + GST
International participants (video conference only)	USD 150 + GST

# About the Conference Chair



**Prof. Shveta Singh**

Dr. Shveta Singh is a Professor and the Area Chair of Finance at the Department of Management Studies (DMS), Indian Institute of Technology (IIT Delhi), India. She is the coordinator of the National Centre on Corporate Governance, accredited by the National Foundation on Corporate Governance (NFCG). Her research focuses on interdisciplinary areas like corporate governance, corporate social responsibility (CSR) and entrepreneurial finance which have a significant social impact. She has published nearly 150 research papers in journals of national and international repute.

For more details, please visit [https://dms.iitd.ac.in/Shveta\\_singh/](https://dms.iitd.ac.in/Shveta_singh/).



**Prof. Sonali Jain**

Dr. Sonali Jain is an Assistant Professor of finance at the Department of Management Studies (DMS), Indian Institute of Technology (IIT Delhi), India. She completed her Ph.D. from Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, and her B.E. from Delhi University. Her areas of interest include financial markets, derivatives, and corporate finance.

For more details, please visit <https://sites.google.com/view/sonali-jain-iitd>.



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