



INTERNATIONAL DOCTORAL CONSORTIUM

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Durham University Business School, United Kingdom

Following previous successful years, the International Doctoral Consortium (IDC) will be returning with the theme of ‘**Grand Challenges**’, hosted by Durham University Business School. The consortium is an excellent forum for PhD students at all stages to exchange ideas, experiences, opinions and research results in a friendly and supportive environment.

We invite you to submit **an abstract** relevant to the call (max. 500 words, excl. references). Some potential ideas could be:

- The future of work
- Leadership
- Employee health and wellbeing
- Investing in human capital for a sustainable global economy
- Gender and women’s work
- The changing impact of technology
- Corporate social responsibility and global stability
- Sustainable marketing strategies
- Sustainability in global supply chain management
- Environmental responsibility of organisations
- The role of (social) entrepreneurs in uncertain times
- Initiatives for sustainability in emerging economies
- Foreign direct investment and its impact on sustainability
- Development of new methodologies

Submissions are not restricted to these areas, all are welcome and can be either conceptual or empirical papers.

To submit, please complete the form and attach your abstract (in Word or PDF format) at this website: <https://urlr.me/!-IDC24>

The EXTENDED deadline for submissions is **30th April 2024**

If you have any questions, please contact:
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In addition to research presentations, the consortium will feature keynote speakers and workshop sessions. There will also be parallel events which IDC attendees are very welcome to join, with personal development workshops and the opportunity to meet PhD students from Durham University Business School. The conference attendance is **free of charge** and some financial support for accommodation is available.