



CALL FOR PAPERS AND PARTICIPATION

2019 ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MIDWEST FINANCE ASSOCIATION

Chicago, March 7-9, 2019

Radisson Blu Aqua Hotel, Chicago

Gordon Phillips, Program Chair, invites members and friends of the MFA to submit papers for presentation at our 68th Annual Meeting. Papers on any topic in finance will be considered. The meeting will be held at the Radisson Blu Aqua Hotel, Chicago. For further conference information please visit: <http://www.midwestfinance.org>.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:

Amit Seru, Steven and Roberta Denning Professor of Finance, Stanford University
Amir Yaron, Robert Morris Professor of Banking, Wharton School of Business.

SUBMISSION AND REVIEW OF PAPERS:

The submission deadline is **October 1, 2018**. Papers for the meeting will be reviewed anonymously and authors will be notified of the decision in mid-November. We also invite volunteers to participate as discussants.

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NOTE: We are pleased to announce that the *Quarterly Journal of Finance* will publish a special issue associated with the conference.