

# Journal of Management Scientific Reports "Pub" Crawl



The Southern Management Association (SMA) is proud to present a comprehensive three-part paper development workshop aimed at facilitating the publication (i.e., “pub”) of high-quality research papers in the *Journal of Management Scientific Reports* (JOMSR). For the inaugural “Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl,” the workshop will focus on developing papers for JOMSR’s [Special Issue on Theory Testing and Replications in Leadership Science](#). The “Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl” will guide participants through every step of the process from developing a research question (Part 1), to refining the study design (Part 2) and supporting research costs (Part 3), and culminating in a face-to-face presentation and feedback workshop at SMA 2024 (or a virtual presentation for international participants who are unable to attend the SMA conference) to a panel of JOMSR Editorial Members (Part 4).

After completion of the first two parts of the Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl, participants can apply for **\$1000.00 in grant funding** (per proposal) to be used for approved research expenses (e.g., data collection, software expenditures) that aid in the completion of the paper being developed through the Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl process. In addition, conference registration fees for the SMA 2024 annual meeting (to be held in San Antonio, TX) will be waived for all participants who complete Parts 1 and 2 of the Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl.

Those who participate in all four parts of the workshop should be ready to submit their full paper to the JOMSR Special Issue on Theory Testing and Replications in Leadership Science in advance of the Special Issue’s December 1, 2024 deadline. All papers generated through the “Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl” will still be subject to the

peer-review process/editorial review at JOMSR. Please note that participation in the “Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl” does not guarantee acceptance in the special issue, nor is participation in the “Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl” a requirement for submission to the special issue.

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## Virtual Information Sessions

The JOMSR "Pub" Crawl process starts by attending a virtual information session. Each session is expected to last approximately 2.5 hours. **The deadline to register for any one of the virtual sessions is 11:59 PM ET on May 15, 2024.** Session details, including access details, will be shared with registrants approximately three days before each respective session. Please note that session start times are listed in the presenters' *local* time. As such, please pay very close attention to the days and times listed.

Complete details about the session dates and times are available on SMA's website at: [https://smgmt.org/jomsr\\_pub\\_crawl\\_virtual\\_information\\_sessions\\_registration/](https://smgmt.org/jomsr_pub_crawl_virtual_information_sessions_registration/)

The purpose of the virtual information session is learn more about JOMSR's [Special Issue on Theory Testing and Replications in Leadership Science](#). Specifically, scholars will have the opportunity to interact with JOMSR AEs and subject matter experts to get feedback on an initial idea and/or to brainstorm research questions that potentially would be a good fit for the upcoming special issue.

Upon registering, all participants will be sent several articles and helpful resources regarding theory testing and replication (e.g., Wulff et al., 2023), the aims and scope of JOMSR, and related editorials (e.g., Kraimer, Martin, Schulze, & Seibert, 2023) that should be read prior to participation in the virtual session.

## Virtual Information Session Format:

- “Pub” Guidance
  - Welcome from SMA Leadership
  - Intro the mission and scope of JOMSR (Maria Kraimer; 10 mins)
  - Goals of the Leadership Special Issue (Robyn Brouer + William Gardner + Janaki Gooty + Chad Chu [Special Issue AEs]; 15 mins)
  - Common methodological mistakes/pitfalls in replication and theory testing (15 minutes)
  - Break / Q&A (10 minutes)
  - Breakouts rooms led by AEs and subject matter experts (50 minutes; break at halfway mark [i.e., at 25 minutes] to allow participants to shuffle between rooms.
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## Got Questions? We've Got Answers

Requests for clarification and questions about the Guided JOMSR “Pub” Crawl can be sent to Rachel Frieder, SMA President ([r.frieder@unf.edu](mailto:r.frieder@unf.edu)).

Questions about the JOMSR Special Issue on Theory Testing and Replications in Leadership Science can be directed to any member of the SI Editorial Team (Robyn Brouer [[brouer@southalabama.edu](mailto:brouer@southalabama.edu)], William Gardner [[william.gardner@ttu.edu](mailto:william.gardner@ttu.edu)], Janaki Gooty [[jgooty@uncc.edu](mailto:jgooty@uncc.edu)], and Chad Chu [[chad.chiu@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:chad.chiu@adelaide.edu.au)]).