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The Research Seminar Program in the School of Accounting & Corporate Governance at the University of Tasmania is part of our commitment to scholarship in accounting, corporate governance and related fields.

The primary importance of research in the School led to the establishment of the Research Seminar Program as a forum for staff and visitors to present papers and discuss ideas.

We always welcome the submission of papers to be considered for presentation as part of our Research Seminar Program.

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UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED**

<b>Day/Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Topic</b>
<b>Friday</b> 24 February	11.00am	202C, Commerce & Economics Building, Hobart Campus	<b>Professor Jayne Godfrey</b> Monash University (co-author: Dr Ping Sheng Koh)	<i>Goodwill Accounting and Investment Opportunity Sets: The Role of Impairment Tests</i>
<b>Friday</b> 31 March	11.00am	Video Link (from Hobart to Launceston)	<b>Mrs Sue Hrasky</b> University of Tasmania (co-authors: Daniel Clarke and Caroline Tan)	<i>Voluntary Narrative Disclosures by Local Governments: A Comparative Analysis of the Textual Complexity of Mayoral and Chairperson's Letters in Annual Reports</i>
<b>Friday</b> 7 April	11.00am	Video Link (from Hobart to Launceston)	<b>Mrs Sonia Shimeld</b> <b>Mrs Bernadette Smith</b> University of Tasmania	<i>Drawing Accounting Students into Tax</i>
<b>Friday</b> 12 May	11.00am	D131, Launceston Campus	<b>Dr Paul de Lange</b> RMIT	<i>The IASB and National Accounting Standard Setters: Not All Standard Setters are Created Equal</i>
<b>Friday</b> 2 June	10.30am	Video Link (from Launceston to Hobart)	<b>Mrs Belinda Williams</b> University of Tasmania	<i>Accounting for SGARAs – Has Comparability and Consistency Been Achieved?</i>
<b>Friday</b> 30 June	11.00am	Room tba, Commerce & Economics Building, Hobart Campus	<b>Professor Noni Ryan</b> University of Canberra	<i>Borderless Education and its Implications for the Public University System</i>