**SAMS International Workshop**

**Responsible Innovation:**
Engaging the Management Studies Community

**December 12-13, 2018**

**Venue:** Howard House seminar room 1.01 Priory Complex

**Department of Management, University of Bristol, U.K.**

**Confirmed speakers:**
Professor Vincent Blok, Department of Management, Wageningen University
Professor Richard Owen, Department of Management, Bristol University
Professor Sally Randles, Manchester Metropolitan University
Professor Palie Smart, Department of Management, Bristol University

**Responsible Innovation** (RI) is a significant discourse for the anticipatory governance of innovation and emerging technologies that has emerged in the last decade, with frameworks and policies (e.g. within the European Commission’s Horizon 2020 programme) becoming prominent. RI is however a concept that is under-theorised from a management studies perspective, and while the potential contribution of management studies scholars to RI is significant it is unrealised. This includes contributions from those scholars working in the fields of innovation management, innovation systems, social and sustainable innovation, the institutionalisation and practice of RI from an organisational perspective and those interested in how RI intersects with concepts such as CSR and corporate governance.

We are aware of scholars in the management and organisational studies disciplines who are beginning to focus their research and scholarship on RI. This workshop is aimed specifically at those academics, whether they are scholars currently working on RI or those who are interested in developing new research directions in this space. It will be a unique opportunity to bring this fledging community together to network, present ongoing work relating to RI and identify new avenues for research in an area that is attracting significant interest and funding.

The workshop will be a lunch-lunch event i.e. a one day workshop held over two days, with a networking dinner on the evening of day 1. The workshop will combine presentations from delegates, keynotes from experts in the field, and interactive discussion sessions. The event is open to up to 20 management studies scholars from across the globe. We particularly
encourage involvement of early career researchers (ECRs) in the discipline (PhD students, research fellows and lecturers). Financial support for travel and accommodation is available.

Registration:

There is no registration fee to attend, but places are limited (maximum 20 delegates). Lunch on both days and dinner on the evening of day one are provided to all delegates at no cost. We will block book hotel rooms for delegates at a local hotel at the University’s discounted rate. Support for travel and one night’s hotel accommodation can be made via the application form. This will be prioritised for ECRs wishing to attend.

To register your interest in attending the workshop please complete the online application form by September 30th.

To apply for financial support for travel and accommodation, please complete the relevant sections of the online application form.

This workshop is co-sponsored by the Society for the Advancement of Management Studies and the University of Bristol, Department of Management Studies

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