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Proposals Submission Deadline: *May 15, 2014*

Full Chapters Submission: *September 30, 2014*

“Multiple Criteria Decision Making in Finance, Insurance and Investment”

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Introduction

This volume is devoted to the recent developments and applications of the Multiple Criteria Decision Making (MCDM) tools in the fields of finance, insurance and investment. It seeks to illustrate recent methods, procedures, and applications designed to solve problems related to finance, insurance and portfolio selection formulated through a mathematical programming framework and for which a stack of conflicting and incommensurable objectives (criteria, attributes) is simultaneously optimized. The aim of this volume is to enable researchers and practitioners to introduce recent theoretical, methodological, and empirical developments of multi-attributes portfolio selection, multiple criteria analysis in finance, insurance and investment.

Objectives

- An easy reading volume that focuses on MCDM techniques that can be used by researchers and practitioners from the fields of finance, investment and insurance.
- It includes models and real case studies to help junior researchers and practitioners to understand the benefit from using these techniques.
- Short, precise and concise information about the use of the MCDM techniques in the fields of finance, investment and insurance.

Target Audience

This book seeks to offer academics and practitioners a refreshed and an enhanced view of theoretical and empirical research ideas in Multiple Criteria Decision Making in Finance, Insurance and Investment.

Publisher

This book is scheduled to be published by Springer. For additional information regarding the publisher, please visit www.springer.com. This publication is anticipated to be released in the first quarter of 2015.

Recommended topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Multi-Attribute portfolio selection
- Multi-Criteria Decision Making in Finance, Insurance, and Investment
- Multiple Objective Programming in Finance in Finance, Insurance, and Investment
- Multiple Objective stochastic Programming in Finance, Insurance, and Investment
- Multiple Objective stochastic Programming in Finance, Insurance, and Investment
- Other MCDM techniques in Finance, Insurance, and Investment

Submission Procedure

Researchers and practitioners are invited to submit on or before May 15, 2014, a 2-3 page chapter proposal clearly explaining the mission and concerns of his or her proposed chapter. Authors of accepted proposals will be notified on or before May 30, 2014 about the status of their proposals and sent chapter guidelines. Full chapters are expected to be submitted by September 30, 2014. All submitted chapters will be reviewed on a double-blind review basis. Contributors may also be requested to serve as reviewers for this project.

Important Dates

May 15, 2014: Proposal Submission Deadline

May 30, 2014: Notification of Acceptance

September 30, 2014: Full Chapter Submission

November 15, 2014: Review Results to Authors

December 31, 2014: Revised Chapter Submission

January 31, 2015: Final Acceptance Notifications

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