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# Conference Program

## 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Alternative Finance Research



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8-10 April 2026

Malaga, Spain

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08-10.04.2026 - Malaga, Spain

## Wednesday 8th of April

### Room - Salón de actos

- 09:00-09:30 Registration  
09:30-10:00 Welcome, Introduction, and Guidelines  
10:00-11:00 **Paper Session 1A:**  
Cultural and Creative Crowdfunding  
11:00-11:20 Break  
11:20-12:20 **Panel Discussion**  
Alternative Finance in the Cultural and  
Creative Industries  
12:20-13:30 Lunch  
13:30-15:15 **Platform Leadership Program:**  
**Workshop 1** - Tokenisation and Secondary  
Market  
15:15-15:30 Break  
15:30-16:15 **Platform Leadership Program:**  
**Workshop 2** - Investor UX  
16:15-16:30 Break  
16:30-17:30 **Platform Leadership Program:**  
**Workshop 3** - Platform Matching with  
Academics for Research Collaboration  
18:00-19:00 **Free Visit to the Fundación Unicaja**  
**Cultural Centre (Free)**  
19:00-21:00 **Dinner** (optional – requires reservation)

### Room - Salón de Grados

- Paper Session 1B:**  
Alternative Finance Regulation

## Thursday 9th of April

### Room - Salón de actos

- 08:30-09:00 Registration
- 09:00-10:40 **Paper Session 2A:**  
Impact Investing and Prosocial  
Crowdfunding
- 10:40-11:00 Break
- 11:00-12:00 **Paper Session 3A:**  
Equity Crowdfunding
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-13:40 **Keynote:**  
Prof. Silvio Vismara, University of Bergamo
- 13:40-14:40 **Panel Discussion**  
After 20 Years of Crowdfunding, what can we expect in the next 20 years to come?
- 14:40-15:00 Break
- 15:00-16:20 **Paper Session 4A:**  
Signalling and Trust
- 20:00-22:00 **Social Activity:**  
Flamenco Show (optional – requires  
reservation)

### Room - Salón de Grados

- Paper Session 2B:**  
Alternative Finance Adoption
- Paper Session 3B:**  
Crowdfunding in Developing and Emerging  
Economies

## Friday 10th of April

	Room - Salón de actos	Room - Salón de Grados	Room - Aula 28
09:00-09:40	<b>Paper Session 5A</b> Sustainability	<b>Paper Session 5B:</b> Strategic Issues in Crowdfunding	<b>Paper Session 5C:</b> Between Alternative and Traditional Finance
09:40-10:00	Break		
10:00-11:20	<b>Paper Session 6A</b> Blockchain Finance		
11:20-11:40	Break		
11:40-12:20	<b>Keynote:</b> Mrs. Alice Guedel, European Commission		
12:20-13:20	Lunch		
13:20-14:20	<b>Panel Discussion</b> Crowdfunding in Developing Markets - Promises, Realities, Opportunities and Challenges		
14:20-14:40	Break		
14:40-15:00	<b>Special Talk:</b> AI co-pilot for Crowdfunding Campaigners Mr. Ingi Rafn Sigurðsson, CEO, Karolina Fund, Iceland		
15:00-16:20	<b>Paper Session 7A:</b> AI in Finance	<b>Paper Session 7B:</b> Economic Development	
16:20-16:30	Break		
16:30-17:30	Closing and Awards		
19:00-22:00	<b>Dinner</b> (optional – requires reservation)		

## Saturday 11th of April

08:30-17:00	<b>Social Activity:</b> Excursion to the Alhambra Palace in Granada and the coastal town of Nerja including lunch (optional – requires reservation)		
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**Wednesday April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

Location: Faculty of Economics and Business, UMA, C. Ejido, 6, Distrito Centro, 29013 Málaga

09:30-09:30      **Registration**

09:30-10:00      **Welcome, Introduction, and Instructions**

- Prof. Rotem Shneur, University of Agder, Norway
- Prof. María José Quero, University of Malaga, Spain
- Prof. Ana Cisneros Luque – Dean, Faculty of Economics and Business Studies, University of Malaga, Spain
- Angela Callejon Gil, Fundación Unicaja, Spain

10:00-11:00      **Parallel Paper Session 1A: Cultural and Creative Crowdfunding**

*Session chair:*

*Dr. Alice Demattos Guimaraes, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark*

- ***What video games genres get Kickstarted? A descriptive analysis of crowdfunding success and campaign characteristics by genre***  
Nico Wille, University of Rostock, Germany
- ***Social media signals on Instagram and crowdfunding success: An analysis of music campaigns in the Netherlands***  
Martín Francisco Mayo Vera,  
Carolina Dalla Chies, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands  
Ellen Loots, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands
- ***Who Lends to Culture? Profiling Lenders in Cultural Crowdfunding***  
Alice Demattos Guimaraes, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark  
Elisabetta Lazzaro, University for the Creative Arts, UK  
Natalia Maehle, Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Norway  
Ziaul Haque Munim, University of South-Eastern Norway, Norway  
Anders Rykkja, Queen's University Belfast, UK

10:00-11:00      **Parallel Paper Session 1B: Alternative Finance Regulation**

*Session chair:*

*Dr. Thomas Neumann, Aalborg University, Denmark*

- ***The Investomer Effect: Empirical Evidence on Customer-Investor Dynamics in U.S. Regulation Crowdfunding (2016-2024)***  
Sherwood Neiss, Crowdfund Capital Advisors, USA

- ***Potential for Misleading Investors Using Sales Forecasts in Crowdfunding Information Forms: A Comparative Study of Ethical and Regulatory Perspectives***

İbrahim Sirma, Istanbul University, Türkiye

Batuhan Medetoğlu, Mehmet Akif Ersoy University, Türkiye

Arif Saldanlı, Istanbul University, Türkiye

Mustafa Feza Tahmaz, Istanbul Beykent University, Türkiye

- ***The difficult interplay between ECSPR and company law\****

Thomas Neumann, Aalborg University, Denmark

11:00-11:20 **BREAK**

11:20-12:20 Panel discussion:

***“Alternative Finance in the Cultural and Creative Industries”***

- **Dr. Alice Demattos Guimaraes**, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark
- **Prof. Elisabetta Lazzaro**, University for the Creative Arts, UK
- **Mauricio O'Brien**, Co-founder and Manager, NANOMA coop, Spain
- **Prof. Maria José Quero**, University of Málaga, Spain
- **Ingi Rafn Sigurðsson**, CEO, Karolina Fund, Iceland

**Moderator:** Dr. Carolina Dalla Chies, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands

12:20-13:30 **LUNCH**

13:30-15:15 Platform Leaders Workshop (Special Industry Meeting Academia Workshop)

**Session 1: *Tokenisation and Secondary Market***

**Mr. Andy Field**

Global Equity Crowdfunding Alliance (GECA)

Dacxi Chain

15:15-15:30 **BREAK**

15:30-16:15 Platform Leaders Workshop (Special Industry Meeting Academia Workshop)

**Session 2: *Investor UX***

**Mr. Konstantin Boyko**

Lenderkit

Crowdspace

16:15-16:30 **BREAK**

16:30-17:30 Platform Leaders Workshop (Special Industry Meeting Academia Workshop)

Session 3: *Platform Data and Research Matching*

**Mr. Kasten Wenzlaff**

University of Hamburg, Germany

European Digital Finance Association (EDFA)

Digital Invest Germany

18:00-19:00 **Cultural Visit**

Conference participants can enjoy free entry to visit the historical building and exhibition at:

**Unicaja Foundation Cultural Centre in Malaga**

(Centro Cultural Fundación Unicaja de Málaga)

Pl. Obispo, 6, Distrito Centro, 29015 Málaga, Spain



19:00-22:00 **Dinner**

Restaurant: **Terraza AC Málaga Palacio**

Address: Cortina del Muelle 1, 29015 Malaga

Website: <https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/agpmg-ac-hotel-malaga-palacio/dining/>

\*Cost: EUR 75

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**Thursday April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

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08:30-09:00 **Registration**

09:00-10:40 **Parallel Paper Session 2A: Impact Investing and Prosocial Crowdfunding**

*Session chair: Dr. Joanna Adamska, University of Gdansk, Poland*

- ***Governance of Prosocial Ventures***  
Anuj Kantilal Tater, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands
- ***When Crowdfunding Crowds In: Why Returns Don't Crowd Out Motivation in Impact Investing***  
Hadar Gafni, King's College London, UK  
Orsola Garofalo, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark  
Lars Bo Jeppesen, Copenhagen Business School, Denmark  
Diego Zunino, SKEMA Business School, France
- ***When Financial Transparency Backfires: Designing Trust in Nonprofit Crowdfunding***  
Joanna Adamska, University of Gdansk, Poland  
Urszula Mrzygłód, University of Gdansk, Poland
- ***Social Purpose and Fundraising Strategy: Distributional Heterogeneity in Crowdfunding Success***  
Pablo Blas Tupac Silva Barbosa, Université Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne, France  
Cristina Martínez Gómez, University of Jaén, Spain
- ***Civic Crowdfunding and Green Gentrification. Class Aspiration, Spatial Inequality, and the Limits of Participatory Urbanism***  
Michał Suchanek, University of Gdansk, Poland  
Anna Fornalska, IMC KREMS University of Applied Sciences, Austria  
Joanna Adamska, University of Gdansk, Poland

**Parallel Paper Session 2B: Alternative Finance Adoption**

*Session chair: Prof. Rotem Shneor, University of Agder, Norway*

- ***From Knowledge to Practice: How Financial Literacy Shapes Italian Entrepreneurs' Adoption of Alternative Finance***  
Federico Carlo Maria Malerba, University of Milano-Bicocca, Italy  
Paola Bongini, University of Milano-Bicocca, Italy  
Ivan Russo, University of Ghent, Belgium
  
- ***Antecedents of Crowdfunding Intentions: A Systematic Literature Review, 2014 to 2025***  
Misheck Diza, University of South Africa, South Africa  
Rotem Shneor, University of Agder, Norway  
Athenia Sibindi, University of South Africa, South Africa
  
- ***The importance of micro-level factors in organizational crowdfunding adoption: exploring campaign development in cultural and charity organizations***  
Claire van Teunenbroek, University of Twente, Netherlands  
Carolina Dalla Chies, Erasmus University Rotterdam, Netherlands
  
- ***Linking Climate Change Perception and Risk Tolerance to FinTech Adaptation***  
Vikas Sharma, Chandigarh University, India  
Ramona Rupeika-Apoga, University of Latvia, Latvia  
Nadeesha Muthuthantrige, Keele University, UK
  
- ***Digital Wallet Adoption and Financial Fraud: A Staggered Difference-in-Difference analysis***  
Hernando Hernández-Lasso, University of Agder, Norway  
Karoll Gomez, Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Colombia  
Roy Mersland, University of Agder, Norway  
Kjetil Andersson, University of Agder, Norway

10:40-11:00 **BREAK**

11:00-12:00 **Parallel Paper Session 3A: Equity Crowdfunding**

*Session chair: Dr. Daniel Berliner, Tel Hai University, Israel*

- ***Investor sentiment and the success of a crowdfunding campaign***  
Dominika Kordela, University of Szczeci, Poland  
Kamil Gemra, PhD, SGH Warsaw School of Economic, Poland  
Artur Trzebiński, Wrocław University of Economics and Business, Poland
  
- ***Signaling effects of Professional Investors in Equity Crowdfunding***  
Giuseppe Modaffari, Saint Camillus International University of Health Sciences, Italy  
Paola Paoloni, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy  
Silvia Ievolella, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy

- ***Entry Barriers, Really? The Non-Linear Effects of Share Price and Minimum Ticket Size on Investor Behaviour in Equity Crowdfunding***  
Daniel Berliner, Tel Hai University, Israel

## Parallel Paper Session 3B: Crowdfunding in Developing and Emerging Economies

*Session chair: Dr. Nadia Arshad, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden*

- ***Exploring Crowdfunding Dynamics in Emerging Economies: A Case Study of Pakistan***  
Khaoula Behi, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nuremberg, Germany  
Israr Ahmed, State Bank of Pakistan, Isra University Hyderabad, Pakistan  
Nadia Arshad, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden
- ***“Spreading the Good News Where it is Needed Most”: Harnessing Crowdfunding Information Sharing in Low-Trust but Crowdfunding-Ready Markets***  
Prince Baah-Peprah, University of Agder, Norway  
Johari Twaha Abdallah, Nord University, Norway  
Jovinary Kajuna, Norwegian School of Economics (NHH), Norway

12:00-13:00 **LUNCH**

13:00-13:40 Keynote:

### ***“Reflections on the Current State and Future Directions of Equity Crowdfunding Research”***

**Prof. Silvio Vismara**, University of Bergamo, Italy

13:40-14:40 Panel discussion:

### ***“After 20 Years of Crowdfunding, what to expect in the 20 years to come?”***

- **Florence de Maupou**, France Fintech, France
- **Dr. Dan Marom** – Hebrew University, Israel
- **Prof. Rotem Shneor** – University of Agder, Norway
- **Prof. Silvio Vismara** – University of Bergamo, Italy
- **Karsten Wenzlaff** – University of Hamburg and Digital Invest Germany

**Moderator:** Tim Wright, Twintangibles, UK

14:40-16:00 **BREAK**

### Parallel Paper Session 4A: **Signalling and Trust**

*Session chair: Dr. Jesús Molina-Gómez, University of Malaga, Spain*

- ***What Drives Support for AI Crowdfunding Projects? Insights from Signalling and Diffusion of Innovation Theories***  
Stefano Landi, University of Genoa, Italy  
Chiara Tombetti, University of Genoa, Italy  
Stefania Testa, University of Genoa, Italy  
Silvano Cincotti, University of Genoa, Italy
  
- ***A Dime a Dozen: The Consequences of Signal Diffusion on Perceived Signal Cost and Signal Effectiveness in Crowdfunding***  
Giacomo Modugno, Politecnico di Milano, Italy  
Vincenzo Buttice, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
  
- ***Information Signals and Risk Mitigation in Crowdfunding: Integrating Signalling and Trust Theory Across Models***  
Javier Ramos, Camilo José Cela University, Spain  
Carlos Xiangyang, Camilo Jose Cela University, Spain
  
- ***From Social Capital to Algorithmic Governance: Blockchain as a Trust Infrastructure in Alternative Finance Ecosystems***  
Jesús Molina-Gómez, University of Málaga, Spain  
Francisco Javier Moreno-Arrebola, University of Málaga, Spain  
José Manuel Nuñez-Sánchez, University of Málaga, Spain

19:30-21:30 **Flamenco Show**

Venue: Sala Kelipé  
Address: C/ Muro de Puerta Nueva 10, 29005 Malaga  
Website: <https://www.kelipe.net/en/>  
\*Cost: EUR 50  
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**Friday April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

Location: Faculty of Economics and Business, UMA, C. Ejido, 6, Distrito Centro, 29013 Málaga

09:00-09:40 **Parallel Paper Session 5A: Alternative Finance and Sustainability**

*Session chair: Dr. Friedemann Polzin, Utrecht University, Netherlands*

- ***Carbon Credits and Finance: A Systematic Review and Bibliometric Analysis***

André Augusto Santos, São Paulo School of Business Administration - Fundação Getúlio Vargas, Brazil

- ***Crowdfunding for Sustainable Products: A Review of Backers' Values***

Nadia Arshad, University of Agder, Norway  
Adele Berndt, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden  
Tomas Müllern, Jönköping International Business School, Sweden

**Paper Session 5B: Strategic Issues in Crowdfunding**

*Session chair: Dr. Anna Fornalska, IMC Krems University of Applied Sciences, Austria*

- ***Tell me how you feel, and I'll tell you about your crowd: How entrepreneur motivation influences crowdfunding modality choices***

Federico Carlo Maria Malerba, University of Milano-Bicocca, Italy  
Job J. Andreoli, Nyenrode Business University, Netherlands  
Ralph Meulenbroeks, Utrecht University, Netherlands

- ***The mechanisms of cocreation in crowdfunding community***

Marco Luzi, University of Málaga, Spain  
Rotem Shneor, University of Agder, Norway  
María José Quero, University of Málaga, Spain

**Paper Session 5C: Between Alternative and Traditional Finance**

*Session chair: Dr. Hasan Aydin Okuyan, Bandirma Onyedi Eylul University, Türkiye*

- ***Alternative Finance and Bank Credit for SMEs: Evidence from Financial Tightness Heterogeneity in Europe***

Hasan Aydin Okuyan, Bandirma Onyedi Eylul University, Türkiye  
İnci Merve Altan, Bandirma Onyedi Eylul University, Türkiye

- ***Development Banks and Local Growth: Evidence from Colombia***  
Roberto Melis, University of Agder, Norway  
Abreham Adera, University of Brescia, Italy  
Roy Mersland, University of Agder, Norway  
Kjetil Andersson, University of Agder, Norway  
Bert D'Espallier, KU Leuven, Belgium

09:40-10:00 **BREAK**

10:00-11:20 **Parallel Paper Session 6A: Blockchain Finance**

*Session chair: Dr. Xiang Gao, Shanghai Business School, China*

- ***Regulation of Invoice Trading and Crypto-Asset Lending***  
João Vieira dos Santos, Lusófona University, Portugal
- ***Information Efficiency and Connectedness in Tokenized Real Estate: An Entropy-Based Network Analysis of the U.S. Market***  
Fatemeh Mottaghi, KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden  
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- ***The identification of crucial risk spreaders in the cryptocurrency network: An Effective-distance gravity strength centrality approach***  
Xiang Gao, Shanghai Business School, China  
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Ze Wang, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, China  
Ming-Yuan Yang, Henan University of Science and Technology, China  
Xin Wu, Zhejiang University of Finance and Economics, China
- ***A Review of Blockchain Finance in Crowdfunding***  
Senanu Dekpo-Adza, University of Agder, Norway  
Rotem Shneor, University of Agder, Norway

11:20-11:40 **BREAK**

11:40-12:20 **Keynote:**

***“Alternative Finance and ensuring European resilience in a tumultuous Financial Services market”***

*Alice Guedel, Commissioner Cabinet Member, Financial Services and the Savings and Investments Union, European Commission*

12:20-13:20 **LUNCH**

13:20-14:20 Panel discussion:

***“Crowdfunding in Developing Markets - Promises, Realities, Opportunities and Challenges”***

- **Dr. Prince Baah-Peprah**, University of Agder, Norway
- **Khaoula Behi**, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nuremberg, Germany
- **Dr. Amina Rizwan**, University of Central Punjab, Pakistan
- **Waleed Samarah**, Cambridge Center for Alternative Finance, UK

**Moderator:** Ronald Kleverlaan, Dutch SME Financing Association, Netherlands.

14:20-14:40 **BREAK**

14:40-15:00 Special Talk:

***“AI co-pilot for Crowdfunding Campaigners”***

Mr. Ingi Rafn Sigurðsson, CEO, Karolina Fund, Iceland

15:00-16:20 Parallel Paper Session 7A: **AI in Finance**

*Session chair: Dr. Ramy Elitzur, University of Toronto, Canada*

- ***Generative-AI and the Complexity of Entrepreneurial Pitches: Implications for Investor Information Processing in Crowdfunding***  
Giacomo Modugno, Politecnico di Milano, Italy  
Vincenzo Buttice, Politecnico di Milano, Italy  
Francesca Di Pietro, University of Milano-Bicocca, Italy  
Francesca Tenca, University of Eastern Piedmont, Italy  
Maurizio Mauri, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
- ***AI-Driven Venture Capitalist Decision-Making and Entrepreneurial Diversity***  
Guillaume Andrieu, Montpellier Business School, France  
Denis Lescop, Montpellier Business School, France
- ***The Impact of Artificial Intelligence on Personal Financial Planning: A Humachine Perspective***  
Emilio Boulianne, Concordia University, Canada  
Mélima Fortin, Université du Québec à Montréal, Canada  
Pierre-Etienne Pilote, Université du Québec à Montréal, Canada

- ***Signals in a Silent Season: Human vs AI Prediction in Holiday Crowdfunding Campaigns***  
Ramy Elitzur, University of Toronto, Canada  
Eliran Solodoha, Peres Academic Centre, Israel

## Parallel Paper Session 7B: **Development Economics**

*Session chair: Dr. Prince-Baah Peprah, University of Agder, Norway*

- ***Household Portfolio Choices under Financial Pluralism: Evidence from Kenya***  
Benjamin Cisagara, University of Latvia, Latvia  
Abel Polese, Dublin City University, Ireland
- ***Savings Groups and Household Resilience to Shocks: The Moderating Role of Savings Group Duration***  
John Kamau Kamau, University of Agder, Norway  
Roy Mersland, University of Agder, Norway  
Kjetil Andersson, University of Agder, Norway  
Bert D'Espallier, KU Leuven, Belgium
- ***Cushion or Constraint? Liquidity and Resilience in Financial Cooperatives Under Stress***  
John Vernon Kikabi, University of Agder, Norway  
Kjetil Andersson, University of Agder, Norway  
Bert D'Espallier, KU Leuven, Belgium  
Roy Mersland, University of Agder, Norway
- ***Overcoming financial barriers for SMEs and startups in the DRC: Leveraging digital financial services for an effective entrepreneurial ecosystem***  
Pépin Ilonga N'Kupo, University of Mons, Belgium  
Loredana Cultrera, University of Mons, Belgium  
Mélanie Croquet, University of Mons, Belgium

16:20-16:30 **BREAK**

16:30-17:30 **Paper awards ceremony**

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Closing words, Networking, and mingling

19:00-22:00 **Closing Dinner\***

Restaurant: La Pérgola  
Address: P.º de la Farola, 18, Málaga-Este, 29016 Malaga  
Website: <https://www.grupoterceracto.com/la-pergola/>  
\*Cost: EUR 75  
(reservations required when registering to conference)



## Optional post-conference tour

### Saturday April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026

08:30-17:00 **Alhambra Palace and Nerja**

Day tour departing from and returning to Malaga, with a guided visit to the Alhambra Palace (World Heritage Site) in Granada, and a stop at the charming coastal town of Nerja along the Mediterranean Sea.

\*Requires pre-booking.

Cost: EUR 100 per person (includes bus transfers, entry fee and guided tour of the Alhambra, and a light lunch)



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