

PhD course

THE PROCESS OF THEORIZING AND THEORY BUILDING IN MANAGEMENT RESEARCH

Course date: **2-6 December 2024**

Venue: **Aalborg University Business School**

Credit: **5 ECTS**

Website: <https://www.tbrp.aau.dk/interdisciplinary-doctoral-training/phd-course-theory-building/>

Deadlines:

DL1: Essay submission – Oct 28, 2024

DL2: Essay acceptance – Nov 4, 2024

DL3: Registration and payment of the course fee – Nov 15, 2024

This is a **generic, 5 ECTS** PhD course. It acquaints Doctoral Candidates with the process of theorizing and theory building in management research. We start from the premise that it is critical for PhD students to master the process of theorizing and theory development from the extant knowledge and empirical data quite early in their Doctoral studies.

By the end of the course the Doctoral Candidates will have gained skills and knowledge in (a) **gaining sensitivity to theoretical development during the literature review and data collection processes**, and (b) **analyzing and theorizing from extant knowledge and qualitative data**.

The Doctoral Candidates will have the opportunity to meet **scholars and practitioners** who are invited as [guest lecturers](#) to share their knowledge and experience in theory building. The course host and organizer is [Prof. Romeo V. Turcan](#) of Aalborg University Business School.

This PhD course attracts Doctoral Candidates on the basis of the **common interest** they have - how to theorize and build theory in management research. To start the **application process**, please go to [application section](#) on the course website.

Participation fee is 350 EUR. The fee will cover costs related to lunches, coffee breaks, two dinners during the week of the course. Participation: **in person** only. Each participant is responsible for his/her own travel and accommodation.

Visit our page to learn about earlier editions of the course and [Doctoral Candidates' reflections](#).

Public announcements of the course: <http://phdcourses.dk>

The course admits max 20 Doctoral Candidates. Apply now!!! Do not miss your chance!!!