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**8.4 Accounting in History: Moving Forward by Looking Back
Research Panel**

**Wednesday August 10, 2011
2:00 pm-3:30 pm**

Moderator: Cheryl S. McWatters, Professor of Accounting, University of Ottawa

Panelists

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Brief overview

This panel brings together researchers of accounting history to discuss the place of history to inform debates into accounting's role in the present. The panel will also offer examples of how an historical approach is both valuable and necessary to our understanding of how accounting has operated within the institutional, social, economic and cultural contexts, both past and present. The panel also will seek to identify and to encourage the ever-growing interface of accounting historiography with research in other disciplines and subject areas.