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Biography

Claudia Imperatore is an Associate Professor in the Accounting Department at Università Bocconi since 2016.

Her research focuses on family firms, ownership structure, real effects of accounting information, and economic uncertainty. Her works have been published in the Journal of Accounting Auditing & Finance, European Account Review and Journal of Accounting and Public Policy. From 2020, she is Senior Editor ARC Team Events and the Accounting and Business Research editorial board member.

She got a BSc degree in Business Administration from Seconda Università di Napoli, a M.Sc. in Accounting, Financial Management and Control from Università di Padova and a Ph.D in Management, specializing in Accounting at IE Business School in Spain. During her Ph.D she visited the University of Chicago from 2014 to 2016.

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