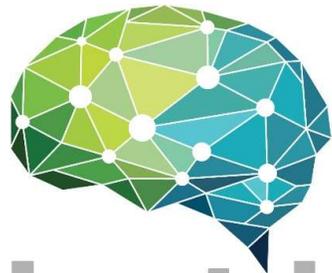


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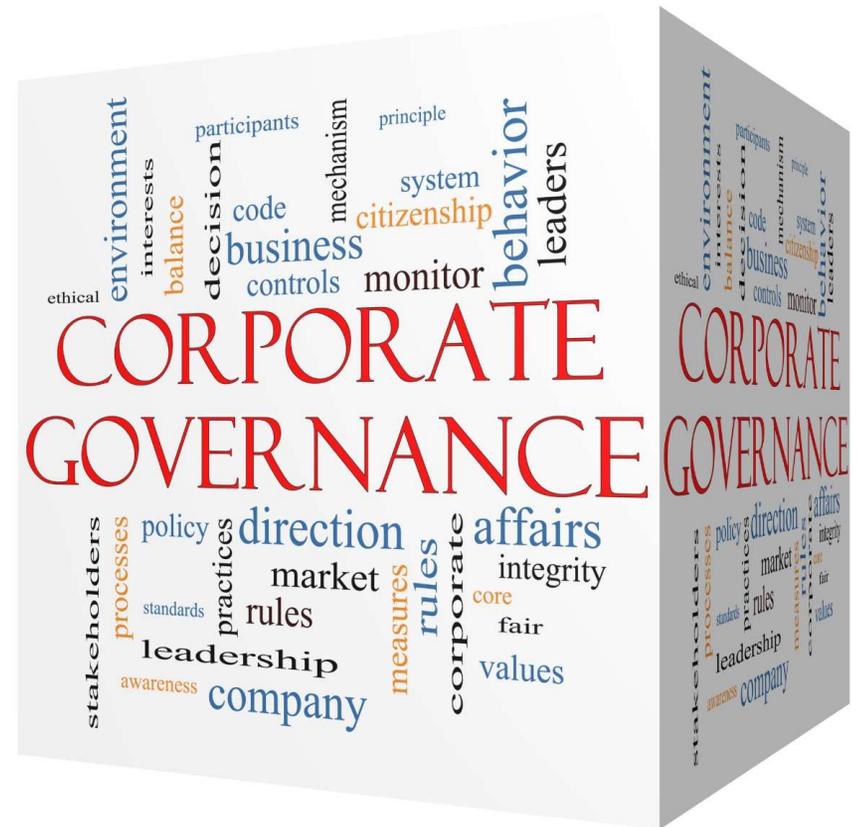
This webinar is based on a paper prepared by Luisa Undaa, Kamran Ahmedb, and Paul Matherb of Monash Business School, Monash University; and La Trobe Business School, La Trobe University respectively. The paper is a study of Board characteristics and credit-union (mutual ADI) performance.

This webinar examines the role of board characteristics on the performance of Australian mutual ADIs over the period 2004–2012.

The *member-owned nature* of mutual institutions, in that their directors are democratically elected by members creates an unusual governance structure that poses challenges for board effectiveness.

Highlights of the research will suggest board remuneration, expertise and attendance at meetings are associated with increased performance, and are “consistent with the goal of maximising member benefits”.

While the unique features of mutuals limit the presence of external monitoring mechanisms, this webinar will highlight evidence that these board characteristics are indeed relevant for mutual ADIs.





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Who is this for?

Mutual ADI Directors and Senior Managers interested to better understand the links between Board characteristics and mutual ADI performance.

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Our presenter – Luisa Unda



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Luisa joined the Department of Accounting at Monash University in January 2016, after completing her PhD from La Trobe University.

Her main research interests are corporate governance, board structure and its association to performance, board effectiveness in member-owned institutions, board committees, financial reporting quality, and accounting education. Luisa's current goal is to contribute to the scarce analysis of the role of the board of directors in financial cooperatives, such as mutual ADIs.

Luisa's teaching experience includes conducting lectures and tutorials in financial accounting and auditing at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels, as well as, facilitating accounting and business ethics based workshops to high-school students.

Prior to becoming an academic, Luisa worked as a financial analyst in the banking industry and gained practice based experience surrounding matters such as financial reporting, budgeting and forecasting, and risk management.



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