

# BAM 2025 CONFERENCE

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## **Decision-Making Under Uncertainty Track**

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Extreme events, such as climate-related disasters, emergent disease outbreaks, political violence and armed conflicts can transcend borders and have the potential to disrupt global value chains, generating conditions for organisations which can cascade toward crises. Such extreme threats mean that organisations are routinely faced with the need to make decisions that may impact their future operations in an increasingly globalised world. As a result, decision-makers may choose to implement changes to organisational processes in order to minimize uncertainty and manage hazards. The DMUU track at BAM 2025 is seeking papers that investigate the challenges organisations and their decision-makers face while confronting disruptive forces of all kinds, with an emphasis on the impacts that borders, either organisational, geographical or cultural, have around managing operations in an uncertain world.

The DMUU track encourages the submission of papers that focus on the potential that decisions have for good and bad outcomes arising from the same genesis, the role of emergent and intervening variables in the shaping of decision outcomes, and the ways in which uncertainty and disruption can be navigated across organisational boundaries. The track emphasises the inter-disciplinary and multi-level nature of the decision-making process within and across organisations and over different timescales. Papers will also be considered outside of these themes and the track will continue to support papers that deal with the issues of risk and crisis management within organisations.