

March 2026

SAIPRIYA KAMATH

London School of Economics & Political Science

Houghton Street, London WC2B5TB

Tel: +44 (0)207 849 4633

s.kamath2@lse.ac.uk

PRINCIPAL AFFILIATION

London School of Economics and Political Science
Associate Professor of Accounting (Education)
and Programme Director of BSc A&F 2024 – Current

Assistant Professor of Accounting 2016 – 2024

OTHER AFFILIATIONS

Centre for Analysis of Risk and Regulation (CARR) – LSE
Research Associate 2017 – Current

India Observatory
Research Associate 2017 – Current

SHORT-TERM VISITOR

University of California, Irvine
Visiting Professor April 2019

RESEARCH INTERESTS

AI in Accounting Education, Pension issues, Tax, Behavioral Biases, Corporate Governance
Gatekeepers, Information Intermediaries, Impact of Regulation

EDUCATION

Indian School of Business (ISB), India
FPM in Accounting (equivalent to PhD) 2011 - 2016

INSEAD
Exchange Scholar from ISB 2011 - 2012

Visvesvaraya Technological University, India
Bachelor of Engineering, Electronics & Communication 2002 - 2006

POLICY PUBLICATIONS

[Kamath Saipriya, Thambisetty Siva, and Oldham Paaul \(2024\), A tiered sales-based approach. Policy brief produced for United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity.](#)

[Kamath Saipriya and Thambisetty Siva \(2025\), Driving Biodiversity Finance Through Enhanced Disclosures and Market-Based Incentives: The Case Of Cali Fund.](#)

[Kamath Saipriya \(2025\), Metrics That Shape Responsibility: Corporate Contribution Thresholds Applicable to the Cali Fund.](#)

[Kamath Saipriya, De Groen Willem Pieter \(2019\), Study on accounting regime of limited liability micro companies. European Parliament, Brussels.](#)

[Kamath Saipriya, Roxan Ian, and De Groen Willem Pieter \(2017\), Rules on independence and responsibility regarding auditing, tax advice, accountancy, account certification services and legal services. European Parliament, Brussels.](#)

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Board Conduct in banks (with Krishnamurthy Subramanian, Samanvaya Agarwal and Prasanna Tantri). *Journal of Banking & Finance* 138 (2022):106441

The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act (2017) has long-term effects on corporate pension risk (with Divya Anantharaman and Shengnan Li). *Journal of Accounting, Auditing & Finance*, 0148558X251411606.

WORKING PAPERS

Critically interacting with Generative AI in accounting classes (with James Wakefield and Julia Morley)

IRS Attention and CEO Race (with Devin Shanthikumar and Shaphan Ng)

A demotion in disguise? The real effects of relocating pension smoothing from operating income to non-operating income (with Liz Chuk and Divya Anantharaman)

CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

Consultant for United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity (2024)

Consultant for Ministry of Finance of India for tax simplification and tax incentives to encourage entrepreneurship (2019)

Consultant for European Parliament for a study on accounting policies of limited liability micro-companies (2017-19)

Consultant for European Parliament for a committee setup to investigate issues brought up in Panama papers (2016-17)

TEACHING

Courses Taught:

Elements of Accounting and Finance (AC102/105) in LSE (most recent rating 4.9/5.0)	(2016 - 2026)
Principles of Accounting in LSE Summer School (most recent rating 4.9/5.0)	(2017 - 26)
Topics in Accounting Research (AC501 PhD Course)	(2021)
Principles of Accounting in University of London	(2020)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Nominated to the International Education Leadership Programme (2025)

Nominated for LSESU Outstanding Teacher of the Year Award (2024-25)

LSE Eden Catalyst Fund for researching the use of AI in providing personalised feedback (2025)

LSE Excellence in Education Award (2018)

£2,400 grant, LSE Eden Centre (2020 and 2021)

\$1,200 CORCL grant, University of California, Irvine (2020)

Best Paper Award, India Finance Conference, IIM-Bangalore (2017)

Best Paper Award, IIM Bangalore Doctoral Colloquium (2015)

\$2000 grant, from NSE-IGIDR Corporate Governance Research Initiative (2015)

Research Assistantship of INR 180,000 p.a. (one of the two among 12 PhD students to receive this)

Special mention for research support provided, Reserve Bank of India instituted committee report on *Review of Governance of Boards of Banks in India*¹

CONFERENCES & PRESENTATIONS

2026: LSE AI in Education Showcase | ICAEW Higher Education Institutions Conference | Translating Nature and Climate into Risk Workshop

2025: University of Westminster | BAFA Accounting Education conference | RMIT Accounting Educators conference | LSE Education Symposium

2024: HARC | University of Westminster | JAAF conference | RMIT Accounting Educators' Conference.

¹ <http://rbi.org.in/scripts/PublicationReportDetails.aspx?UrlPage=&ID=784>

2023: FARS midyear meeting| FMA

2022: Hawaii Accounting Research Conference| University of Bristol| EAA Annual meeting| IIM Bangalore| Tri-University Annual Conference| AAA Annual meeting| George Washington University

2021: Hawaii Accounting Research Conference| Finance and Accounting Annual Symposium, University of Westminster| AAA annual meeting| London School of Economics (brown bag)| Warwick Business School| Rutgers Business School| India Finance Conference| Southwestern Finance Association Conference| Syracuse University

2020: FMARC conference, Cyprus (rescheduled) | American Accounting Association Annual Meeting | SFA symposium | IIM Bangalore conference |LSE (Brown Bag)

2019: IIM Bangalore Accounting Conference

2018: Accounting Research Conference | Cass Business School | University of Westminster | University of Gothenburg | AAA Management Accounting Section Annual meeting | European, Accounting Association Annual Congress | University of Manchester | LSE (Brown Bag) | Hawaii Accounting Research Conference

2017: India Finance Conference | Accounting Research Conference, ISB, Hyderabad (Discussant) | AMBS/LSE conference (Discussant) | European Accounting Association, European Parliament | American Finance Association (AFA) annual meeting | International Risk-Management Conference (Jerusalem) | JCAE Mid-year Symposium (Gold Coast) | MIT Asia conference, China

2016: London school of Economics | Cass Business School | Carlos Madrid III | University of Amsterdam | University of Rotterdam | Tilburg university | University of Miami | University of Melbourne | University of Queensland | Chinese University of Hong Kong

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Ad-hoc reviewer for *EAA Annual Meeting*, *Review of Accounting Studies*, *Journal of Accounting Auditing and Finance*, *FARS conference*, *Journal of Accounting Auditing and Finance*, *Accounting and Business Research*, *Accounting and Finance*, *AAA Annual Meeting*, *Hawaii Accounting Research Conference*, *European Accounting Review*, *Journal of Accounting and Public Policy*, *IIMB Management Review*, *International Journal of Auditing*, *AAA-Management Accounting Section Mid-year Meeting*, *AAA-Auditing Section Conference*

(2015-23)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Faculty and Academic Head, IIT Foundation, T.I.M.E., India (2009 – 2011)

Business Analyst, Accenture services Pvt. Ltd (2006 – 2009)