

TWENTY YEARS OF DIRECTORS' FINANCIAL EXPERTISE AND FUTURE RESEARCH AGENDA

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Abstract

This paper runs a bibliometric analysis to present the characteristics and evolution of the publications as well as the intellectual structure of the research on board financial expertise. Using the VOSviewer software, our paper maps research on board financial expertise through the analysis of publications by year, country, journal, author, and the performance of both a citation analysis and a content analysis, which has direct implications for academics in positioning their future research and for universities and policy-makers. Findings show that financial expertise research activity has grown exponentially, highlighting that current trends are moving toward corporate social responsibility and ethical aspects.