

Call for Papers

Submission Deadline: **October 15, 2009**

Social Implications of ICTs on People, Organizations, and Society

Track of the

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TRACK COVERAGE

The introduction of Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) has helped to make technology a ubiquitous part of our daily lives. With the development of technologies such as blogs, wikis, collaboration websites and social networking tools to fulfill the personal, organizational, societal and humanitarian goals influencing the way we work and live, it is important to understand the implications it brings. This track looks at a wide variety of uses of ICTs in business and the home and what impact these uses will have on people, organizations, and society as it becomes more widely available. The goal of this track is to offer an understanding and assessment of how ICTs have impacted and influenced people, organizations, and society, and theoretical considerations of the links between social implications and ICTs.

RECOMMENDED TOPICS

The Social Implications of ICTs on People, Organizations, and Society Track encourages the submission of quality papers and panel and workshop proposals dealing with (but not limited to) the following topics:

- ICTs and social implications: experiences and prospects
- Perceptions of the impact of ICT on people, organizations and society in the future
- The impact of ICTs upon various social communities
- Measuring ICT impact and return on investment
- ICT enabled development stimulated by efforts to develop emergent ICT industries
- Evaluating the technological and non-technological aspects of the social impacts of ICTs
- The influence of ICTs within societal settings such as households, workplaces, internet cafes, and other social settings
- What are the social factors that influence the implementation of ICT initiatives in the workplace?

For complete conference information, visit the Conf-IRM Web Site at:

www.conf-irm.org

Submission Types and Guidelines

Full Length Submissions

Submissions of no more than 5000 words, including references, appendices and title page, with a maximum of 5 figures/tables. Submissions have to be original, and previously unpublished, conceptual or empirical research manuscript for review. All accepted papers will be published in the conference proceedings in their entirety upon payment of registration fees. Papers accepted and presented at the conference will also be placed in the AIS e-Library. Papers not presented at the conference, for any reason, will not be included in the AIS e-Library. Highly rated papers by the reviewers will be considered for publications in selected Journals. Moreover, the paper that best represents, in terms of quality and suitability to the theme, the ideals of the conference will be awarded the "Best Paper" Award during the conference.

Research-in-Progress Submissions

Submissions of no more than 2000 words with a maximum of 3 figures/tables. All research-in-progress submissions will be published in the proceedings as short papers.

Teaching Cases

We welcome submissions of teaching cases. The cases should be based on real situations and targeted at specific learning objectives. Cases should be no more than 5000 words and must be accompanied by instructor teaching notes (not included in the 5000 words). The teaching notes will not be published.

Panel and Tutorial Submissions

Submissions of not more than 1000 words. Proposals should include the objectives, issues to be covered and full details of all presenters. Method of presentation is at the submitter's discretion; however, the submitter has the responsibility for providing his/her own panel members. All accepted proposals will appear in the conference proceedings (*Please note that all panelists and tutorial presenters must register for the conference*).

Important Announcements

- The number of submissions by an author (including joint authorship) is strictly limited to a maximum of two submissions.
- Authors of accepted papers (at least one person per submission) and all panel members **MUST register and attend** the conference.

All conference submissions will be double-blind and peer reviewed. The review process will be handled by the track chairs and co-chairs. Submissions of all types must be received by October 15, 2009.

Important Dates

Submission date: **October 15, 2009**

Notification of Acceptance/Rejection: **January 8, 2010**

Final Submission and Early Registration due date: **February 25, 2010**

Send all your inquiries to

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