



The 15th edition of the **International Conference on e-Society** was held in Budapest, Hungary, during **10 – 12 April, 2017**.

This conference was organized by the International Association for Development of the Information Society (IADIS).

This event focused on the main areas within Information Society. It covered both the technical as well as the non-technical aspects of the Information Society. The conference broad areas of interest were: e-Society and Digital Divide, e-Business / e-Commerce, eLearning, New Media and e-Society, Digital Services in e-Society, e-Government /e-Governance, e-Health, Information Systems, and Information Management.



The 2017 edition had 139 submissions from more than 31 countries. Each submission was blindly evaluated by an average of 4 independent reviewers, to ensure the final high standard of the accepted submissions. Out of the papers submitted, 23 received blind referee ratings that signified acceptability for publication as full papers (acceptance rate of 17%), while some others were published as short papers and reflection papers.

Extended versions of the best papers were selected to be published in:

- ❖ the Interactive Technology and Smart Education (ITSE) journal (ISSN: 1741-5659)



- ❖ the IADIS International Journal on WWW/Internet (IJWI). ISSN: 1645-7641



In addition to the presentation of full, short and reflection papers, the conference also included two keynote presentations given by Professor Dragan Gasevic, Chair in Learning Analytics and Informatics, The University of Edinburgh, Scotland, and Professor Albert Boonstra, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Business and Professor of Information Management, University of Groningen, The Netherlands.



Keynote Presentation:

STATE AND DIRECTIONS OF LEARNING ANALYTICS ADOPTION



by Professor Dragan Gasevic, Chair in Learning Analytics and Informatics, The University of Edinburgh, Scotland



Keynote Presentation:

UNDERSTANDING AND MANAGING INFORMATION SYSTEM CONFLICTS



by Professor Albert Boonstra, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Business and Professor of Information Management, University of Groningen, The Netherlands

Also, the conference offered its participants two Panel presentations: “Promoting Tolerance and Global Peace: The Role of Educational Institutions in e-Societies” by Prof. Yoser Gadhoum, Prince Mohamed Bin Fahd University, Saudi Arabia, and Prof. Piet Kommers, University of Twente, The Netherlands, and “Current and Future Research Trends in Mobile Learning” presented by Professor Pedro Isaias, The University of Queensland, Australia.



Panel Presentation:

PROMOTING TOLERANCE AND GLOBAL PEACE: THE ROLE OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN E-SOCIETIES



by Prof. Yoser Gadhoum, Prince Mohamed Bin Fahd University, Saudi Arabia, and Prof. Piet Kommers, University of Twente, The Netherlands



Panel Presentation:

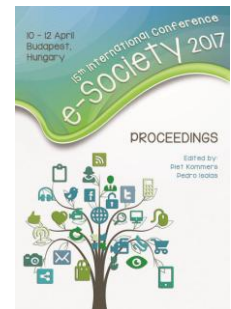
CURRENT AND FUTURE RESEARCH TRENDS IN MOBILE LEARNING



by Professor Pedro Isaias, The University of Queensland, Australia

This conference presented once again a great opportunity to all their participants to discuss with success the most significant aspects regarding the theme e-Society. It served as a forum that gathered researchers, practitioners, students and anyone that was working or studying in the field of the Information Systems.

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