



CALL FOR PAPERS 1st AISWN International Research Workshop on Women IS, and Grand Challenges

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HELD IN CONJUNCTION
WITH ICIS 2020

The AIS Women's Network (AISWN) College is proud to sponsor the **1st International Research Workshop on Women IS, and Grand Challenges**. Although everyone suffers from the effects of unsustainable development, women and children are often most adversely affected. By bringing different perspectives to the discussion of grand challenges, women have the power to make a difference, but their voices are often missing in boardrooms, policy-making, and research. The aim of this workshop is to encourage research done about, for or by women that explores the relationships between information systems and a variety of grand challenges. The workshop will feature research papers and panels focusing on societal 'grand challenges' of particular interest to members of the AISWN College, including, but not limited to:

- How IS supports humanitarian and sustainable migration
- Healthcare IT, from a local level of supporting practitioners to global issues of pandemic control and management
- Promoting work-life balance, every day and during times of enforced teleworking and home schooling
- Using IS to understand and prevent hate speech and discrimination
- The role of IS in restricting and improving diversity and inclusion
- Using technologies and systems to assist the elderly and promote healthy, dignified aging
- Green IS, and the use of IS to combat climate change and other environmental threats

The workshop will be held as an all-day meeting in conjunction with ICIS 2020. There will be a single track to maximize interaction and participation. Participants will have the opportunity to network with colleagues (details will be announced as the conference program is finalized).

Submission Type

Excluding references, tables and figures

- Completed Research Paper (<5000 words)
- Research-in-Progress Paper (<3500 words)
- Panel Proposals

Important Dates

- Submission Deadline: September 30, 2020
- Notification of Decision: October 31, 2020
- Revised Manuscript Deadline: November 15, 2020

Questions? Email the Workshop Co-Chairs

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Submission Information

- Use the template available on the AISWN website.
- The manuscript/proposal/supporting documentation needs to be submitted as an e-mail to womensnetwork@aisnet.org
- Clearly identify the "Submission Type" in your email.
- All submissions must represent "**Original Work**" that has not been published in a journal or conference. If it is under consideration elsewhere, please disclose the fact.
- At least one author of the accepted paper and all the members of the panels must register for the event and be present. At least one author must be a member of the AISWN.
- Any review comments/suggestions must be addressed in the final version of the submission, strictly as per the deadline. Failure to do so will result into the withdrawal of the work from the final proceedings
- All final papers will be published in the form of e-proceedings available via the AIS eLibrary.