

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, it gives us great pleasure to invite you to the The 12th International Conference on Knowledge, Information and Creativity Support Systems(KICSS2017), which will be held at the Nagoya, Japan, on November 9-11, 2017.

## **Important Dates:**

• Paper Submission(Full/short papers): June 15, 2017

• Paper Submission(Poster papers): June 30, 2017

• Notification: July 30, 2017

 Camera Ready Submission and Author Registration: September 1, 2017

• Conference: November 9-11, 2017



Scope & Topics: Following the tradition of previous conferences on Knowledge, Information and Creativity Support Systems, KICSS 2017 will cover all aspects of knowledge management, knowledge engineering, intelligent information systems, and creativity in an information technology context, including computational creativity and its cognitive and collaborative aspects. Papers reporting original unpublished research results on theoretical foundations, IT implementations of decision support and expert systems, as well as case studies of successful applications of the abovementioned ideas in various fields are equally solicited.

**Paper Submission and Publications:** We solicit research and experience papers as well as research-in-progress and practitioner reports in any of the technical areas listed under Scope & Topics. The author's name and address MUST NOT appear in the submitted paper for review. This is to facilitate a blind review. The format of the final manuscript should be in a two-column format and 6 pages for full paper, 4 pages for short papers, and 2 pages for poster papers in length.KICSS 2017 conference proceeding will be published.

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