

Editor's Message to Special Issue on Information Systems for Creation of a New Society

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This special issue was planned and edited by Special Interest Group on Information System (SIG IS) as a central role. We especially sought paper submissions to information systems focusing on theory and practice. The information systems support collection, processing, transfer, and use of information required for the activity of an organism or society. We think as important the necessity and usefulness of an information system which are used by the activity of an organization and society.

Topics for this special issue covered a wide range of issues associated with communities, information system analysis, design, implementation and operation, these theories and practice, and the relation between information systems and social environment.

Papers submission and editorial schedule was as follows;

February 15th, 2014:	Call for Papers
August 18th, 2014:	Deadline for paper submission
February 20th, 2015:	Completion of peer review
May, 2015:	Special Issue to be published

We had 17 submissions and accepted 6 papers. The acceptance rate is 37.5% (without 1 dropped paper), which didn't satisfy a desired value (50%). The Accepted papers covered wide range of Information System which consisted of design method, management of information system, social network, and privacy protection in data mining.

Finally, I would like to express my thanks for all of editorial committee members, reviewers, and supporters for this special issues. Hopefully, this special issue will contribute to create a new society.

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