Welcome to AIS!

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The AIS Mission Statement

The Association for Information Systems (AIS) serves society through the advancement of knowledge and the promotion of excellence in the practice and study of information systems. AIS is the premier professional association for individuals and organizations who lead the research, teaching, practice, and study of information systems worldwide.
Who is AIS?

- 4000 members in 93 countries in 3 regions
- Faculty and doctoral students
  - Institutional memberships
- 35 geographic chapters
  - Newest = Indonesia, Malaysia and Qatar
  - Even one in Lichtenstein!
- 32 Special interest groups
  - From Education to Green IT to Social Inclusion
- 56 Student Chapters around the world
Member Benefits

- 20 years of history and experience await you!
- Networking opportunities abound.
- AIS owned journals
  - JAIS, CAIS, THCI, JITTA, RELCAS
- Career support
  - Placement services and database
  - Workshops
  - Webinars
- Discounts on conference attendance at affiliated conferences and on many journals
- IS Faculty directory
- Member Awards and recognitions
eLibrary contents

The Journals
- AIS Transactions on Human-Computer Interactions
- Journal of the Association for Information Systems
- Business & Information Systems Engineering
- Management Information Systems Quarterly
- Communications of the Association for Information Systems
- Pacific Asia Journal of the Association for Information Systems
- Information Systems Journal
- RELCASI
- Journal of Information Technology Theory and Application
- Scandinavian Journal of Information Systems
- MIS Quarterly Executive
- AIS Chapter Journals
- Australasian Journal of Information Systems

Proceedings
- Americas Conference on Information Systems (AMCIS)
- International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)
- European Conference on Information Systems (ECIS)
- International Conference on Information Resources Management (CONF-IRM)
- International Conference on Mobile Business
- Mediterranean Conference on Information Systems (MCIS)
- Pacific Asia Conference on Information Systems (PACIS)
- Wuhan International Conference on e-Business
- Other conference proceedings
Academic conferences

- International - ICIS 2013 in Milano, Italy
- Region 1 – AMCIS 2014 in Savannah, Georgia, USA
- Region 2 – ECIS 2014 in Tel Aviv, Israel (affiliated)
- Region 3 – PACIS 2014 in Chengdu, China (affiliated)
- Special Interest Group conferences and workshops
  - many scheduled pre-ICIS or pre-AMCIS
- Chapter conferences – Eurosymposium!
- Other affiliated conferences worldwide
AIS Education Related Activity

- VP of Education – Professor Keng Siau, *Missouri University of Science and Technology*
- Participation on curricula design committees
  - with ACM and others
- Education Track at AMCIS and ICIS (and affiliates)
- AIS/Temple University Job Index
- [www.aisnet.org](http://www.aisnet.org)
  - IS Program Guides
    - undergrad, master’s, doctoral (add yours!)
- Teaching resources page
- Webinar Series
- Education Awards
- Special Interest Group on Education
Teaching Resources

AIS recognizes that education is fundamental to the field of information systems, and therefore seeks to provide valuable pedagogical resources to its members.

In the coming months, the association will be posting case studies, course syllabi, and the like for its members to use when designing their own courses.

If you are interested in contributing to this page, please send an email to the AIS Communications Director with the following information: the type of material being sent (case study or syllabus), the topic to which it is most relevant (all topics are listed below), and the actual item attached as a PDF or Word doc.

The association is currently collecting teaching materials related to these areas of information systems research:

- Foundations of Information Systems
- IT Project Management
- Human-Computer Interaction
The Webinar Series

Previously Recorded Webinars

- Increasing Student Enrollment
- Leveraging Relationships with Industry
- Managing a Successful Academic Career
- Improving Your Publications Strategy
- The Digitization of Textbooks: Trends and a New Business Model

Upcoming webinars

- How IT Is Transforming Healthcare: Current Status, Opportunities, and Challenges
- What is a MOOC?
How is AIS making a difference?

- Many services available to non-members
- Aids to doctoral students
  - Consortia, reduced conference and membership fees, special programs
  - New webinars for (Ethiopian) doctoral students
- Sliding scale of membership fees
  - Based on the United Nation's Human Development Index
- Women in IS task force
  - Gender, race, accessibility, orientation
- Campaign on Branding the IS Profession
What can you do?

- Join AIS and the Poland Chapter
- Join Special Interest Groups
- Attend conferences and workshops
- Use the eLibrary
- Publish in the journals
- View Webinars
- Communicate with other members
  - via AISWorld, placement database, LinkedIn page, Twitter
- Become a leader or committee member
- Share advice, complaints, ideas with me
QUESTIONS?

Please email me at jfedorowicz@bentley.edu with suggestions, advice, complaints or questions.

Or contact the Region 2 Representative, Professor Tim Weitzel of Bamberg University tim.weitzel@uni-bamberg.de