



CALL FOR PAPERS

8th SIGSAND/PLAIS EUROSYMPOSIUM on Systems Analysis and Design

**INFORMATION SYSTEMS:
DEVELOPMENT, RESEARCH,
APPLICATIONS, EDUCATION**

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Gdańsk & Sopot, Poland

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Background

Systems analysis and design (SAND) has been the central field of research and education in the area of Management Information Systems (MIS) or, as it is called still more frequently in Europe – Business Informatics, almost from its origins. SAND continuously attracts the attention of both academia and business. The rapid progress of information and communication technology naturally generates the requirements for new generations of SAND methods, techniques and tools. Therefore, international thematic conferences and symposia have become widely accepted forums for exchanging of concepts, solutions and experiences in SAND. In particular, the Association for Information Systems (AIS) is undertaking the initiative towards SAND's international development.

Overview

The EuroSymposium on Systems Analysis and Design has the objective of promoting and developing high quality research on all issues related to systems analysis and design (SAND). It provides a forum to researchers and practitioners in SAND in Europe and beyond – to interact, collaborate and develop the systems analysis and design area. The EuroSymposium is currently headed by the Advisory Board consisting of prominent researchers to guide this initiative. Previous EuroSymposia were held at:

- University of Galway, Ireland – 2006
- University of Marburg, Germany – 2008
- University of Gdańsk, Poland – 2007, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014

The accepted papers of Gdańsk EuroSymposia were published in:

- 2nd EuroSymposium 2007: A. Bajaj, S. Wrycza (eds), Systems Analysis and Design for Advanced Modeling Methods: Best Practises, Information Science Reference, IGI Global, Hershey, New York, 2009
- 4th EuroSymposium 2011: S. Wrycza (ed) 2011, Research in Systems Analysis and Design: Models and Methods, series: LNBIP 93, Springer, Berlin 2011

- Joint Working Conferences EMMSAD/EuroSymposium 2012 held at CAiSE'12: I. Bider, T. Halpin, J. Krogstie, S. Nurcan, E. Proper, R. Schmidt, P. Soffer, S. Wrycza (eds.) 2012, Enterprise, Business-Process and Information Systems Modeling, series: LNBIP 113, Springer, Berlin 2012
- 6th SIGSAND/PLAIS EuroSymposium 2013: S. Wrycza (ed.), Information Systems: Development, Learning, Security, Series: Lecture Notes in Business Information Processing 161, Springer, Berlin 2013
- 7th SIGSAND/PLAIS EuroSymposium 2014: S. Wrycza (ed.), Information Systems: Education, Applications, Research, Series: Lecture Notes in Business Information Processing 193, Springer, Berlin 2014

Relevant topics

Agile Methods
Business Process Modeling
Conceptual Modeling
Curriculum Design and Implementation Issues
Design of Mobile Applications
Design Theory
Empirical Studies in SAND
Ethical, Human and Organizational Aspects of IS Development
Human-Computer Interaction and Prototyping
Information Systems Development: Methods and Techniques
IT design for Disaster Recovery
Model-Driven Architecture
Modelling Languages
Ontological Foundations of Systems Analysis and Design
Open Source Software (OSS) Solutions
Rapid Systems Development
Requirements Engineering
SAND in ERP and CRM Systems
SOA and Cloud Computing
Systems Analysis and Design in Nonprofit Organizations
Teaching Systems Analysis and Design
UML/SysML/BPMN
User Participation in SAND
Web Design
Workflow Management

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- AIS SIGSAND – Special Interest Group on Systems Analysis and Design of Association for Information Systems
- PLAIS – Polish Chapter of Association for Information Systems
- Department of Business Informatics, Faculty of Management of University of Gdańsk

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Publication

All submissions will be reviewed by the EuroSymposium International Programme Committee for contribution to the relevant topic. The accepted papers are published as EuroSymposium 2015 Proceedings in the Springer series of Lecture Notes on Business Information Processing (LNBIP).

The series is indexed/abstracted by ISI Proceedings, Web of Knowledge, DBLP, EI and Scopus, i.e., the most important CS/IS indexing services.

Submission Guidelines

IS faculty members, independent scholars, doctorants and SAND practitioners are invited to submit research papers in the area of systems analysis and design. Given the broad

range of topics in this Call, submissions can be based on any range of SAND research. The length limit of completed research paper is 5,000 words.

On-line submission for EuroSymposium'2015 is offered at Springer Online Conference Service (OCS).

Papers should be submitted in PDF and doc format. Submissions must conform to Springer's LNBIP format which can be found under instructions for LNBIP Authors at:

<http://www.springer.com/series/7911>

Three to five keywords characterizing the paper should be indicated at the end of the abstract.

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EuroSymposium fees

The regular EuroSymposium fee is 80EUR (340PLN), while the fee for videoconference participants is 40EUR (170PLN). The fee includes:

- a copy of Springer LNBIP Proceedings,
- participation in all EuroSymposium sessions, and for the residential participants:
 - lunch,
 - coffee breaks.

Important Dates

Submission of Manuscripts	May 18, 2015
Notification of Acceptance/Rejection	June 29, 2015
Final Paper Submission	July 13, 2015
EuroSymposium 2015	September 25, 2015

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