



**ILAIS - Israel Association for Information Systems**

<http://ilais.openu.ac.il/>

Dear ILAIS members,

As you know the Israel Association for Information Systems (ILASI) serves as the Israel country chapter of the Association for Information Systems (AIS).

During these challenging times we are planning for our 14th annual conference, ILAIS 2020, being hosted this year by the Information Systems Program of the Academic College of Ramat-Gan, led by conference chairs Dr. Itzhak Shemer and Dr. Idan Roth.

The conference will be held on Monday June 29th, 2020 in a virtual online format. Despite the difficult situations we all find ourselves in as a result of the pandemic, we see this as an unique opportunity to broaden participation in our national conference by opening its virtual doors widely to colleagues around the world.

The Program Committee are hard at work preparing a rich and interesting program which will include presentations from throughout Israel and overseas. Alongside the research talks will be an outstanding international keynote address and a timely panel dealing with the challenges of Zoom-based teaching and learning.

In consideration of the unique situation this year, the ILAIS conference will be open to all, member and non-member alike, and no registration fee will be charged. We hope this will enable us all to encourage participation of students in particular.

That being said, in order to ensure the continued operation of ILAIS, important to us all, we are asking you once again to step-up and renew your ILAIS annual membership. In consideration of the budgetary savings from running a virtual conference this year, we are reducing membership dues to NIS 250 for faculty and only NIS 100 for students.

**Please follow [this link](#) to renew your membership and/or register for the conference. Receipts will be sent by email.**

Please help us spread the word of ILAIS and the conference to colleagues in Israel and around the world! We need your help to advance the goals of the association and broaden our community. All are welcome to join our listserv and join in the conversation:

[ILAIS@LISTSERV.BIU.AC.IL](mailto:ILAIS@LISTSERV.BIU.AC.IL)

**Looking forward to seeing you online at ILAIS 2020!**