Preface


The international conference cycle EGOVIS focuses on information systems and ICT aspects of e-government. Information systems are a core enabler for e-government/governance in all its dimensions: e-administration, e-democracy, e-participation, and e-voting. EGOVIS brought together experts from academia, public administrations, and industry to discuss e-government and e-democracy from different perspectives and disciplines, i.e., technology, policy and/or governance, and public administration.

The Program Committee accepted 20 papers from recent research fields such as open data and government cloud, identity management and e-government architectures, innovation, open government, intelligent systems, and semantic technologies applications. Beyond theoretical contributions, papers cover e-government experiences from all over the world; cases are presented from Europe and South America.

This proceedings volume is organized in, during seven sections according to the conference sessions.

We were honored that the EGOVIS 2017 keynote speech was given by Prof. Roland Traunmüller: He is one of the pioneers in e-government studies and has contributed for years to identify limits and opportunities in the field. Prof. Traunmüller’s speech discussed digitalization as challenge for e-government.

The chairs of the Program Committee wish to thank all the reviewers for their valuable work; the reviews raised several research questions to be discussed at the conference. We would like to thank Gabriela Wagner for the administrative support and helping us with the scheduling.

We wish our readers a beneficial learning experience, and we hope that the discussions at the conference will continue after the event between the researchers and contribute toward building a global community in the field of e-government.

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