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## Call for papers Annual Review of Library and Information Science 30

Topic of ARLIS 30:

### Ethical aspects of information interactions and digital information revolution

Information ethics has been developed widely since 1990's as an interdisciplinary abstract domain composed of computer ethics, library ethics, journalistic (media) ethics, ethics of marketing and electronic communication. Information ethics is regarded as applied philosophical ethics for work with information, including main applied ethical areas of deontology (universal values), virtue ethics, ethics of consequentialism (rules, social contract), ethics of utilitarianism, and ethics of care about the information environment. Information ethics is both science and practice of fair, authorized and secure information access, use and creation mediated by (digital) systems, services, and products. It is an interdisciplinary perspective on studies of digital information and human information interactions focused on values of information, ethical sensitivity, rules and standards for information work, ethical social dilemmas, ethical aspects of privacy, protection of (big) data, information access, intellectual property, and accuracy and truth of information (disinformation, misinformation).

Recently, the issues of ethics of advanced information technologies have been raised, including artificial intelligence and algorithms, ethics of searching, and (big) data ethics. The applied areas include especially information and digital literacy, human information behavior and practices, online communication, and ethics of (online) discourses, collaboration and communication in social media, and ethics of media and information professionals and librarians.

Therefore, information science deals with new approaches to philosophy and conceptualization of information, including dark side of digital information and variable aspects of information pathologies. The experts are searching for the ways of how to bridge the gap between theoretical development of information ethics and design of information systems, services, and products in the information society. New social regulatory frameworks for ethical use and creation of information are being developed. New challenges are embedded in topics of the „infodemia“, issues of dis / misinformation, hoaxes, or cybersecurity.

In line with these trends of information science we invite experts, professionals, collaborators, and doctoral students from library and information science and related disciplines to submit paper proposals for our Annual Review of Library and Information Science 30. The objective of the review is to present conceptual papers, research results, recent trends and studies in both in theory and practice,, and results of doctoral studies.

Detailed list of topics cover:

- **Challenges and social representations of information and media ethics**
- **Issues of disinformation, misinformation, and false information in digital environment**
- **Privacy as a category of information ethics**
- **Digital ethics, information, media and digital literacies**
- **Intelligent systems and ethical design of systems and services in digital environment**
- **Human information behavior from the perspective of information ethics in a variety of communities**
- **Social and value aspects of information**
- **Data ethics, ethical aspects of big data in information science**
- **Ethical issues of the information process, including organization, design, and search of information**

Proposals can comprise further theoretical, methodological and practical topics of studies in library and information science, and media and communication studies.

The **deadline for submitting proposed topic and abstracts** for the volume containing a maximum of 200 words is **February 28st 2022**. The editorial board will send notice to the authors on accepting the papers by **31st March 2022**. The deadline for submitting the full text is **July 31st 2022**. Detailed instructions for paper preparation and paper templates will be sent to selected authors. The papers will be included into the volume based on the proposed fulltexts. Use following registration form to submit your topic proposal and abstract: <https://forms.gle/vXeS5E7T86X7bik87>

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