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Intelligent Knowledge Ecosystems, AI and Organizational Innovation for the Sustainable Transformation of Agrifood Systems

Description

The agri-food sector is facing profound transformations driven by global sustainability challenges, digitalization and artificial intelligence. Ensuring resilience, efficiency, and fairness requires not only technological solutions, but also robust frameworks to assess resource use, evaluate environmental and social impacts, and design governance mechanisms that align market behavior with long-term societal goals. This track focuses on the integration of knowledge systems, digital technologies, and organizational models to support sustainable food systems. Contributions are invited that:

- develop approaches to measure and compare the sustainability performance of products, processes and value chains, linking efficiency with transparency and accountability;
- explore how innovation in production, distribution and consumption can be oriented toward higher quality, safety and eco-compatibility of goods and services;
- examine the dynamics of firms, networks and institutions in adopting AI and data-driven tools, with particular attention to collaborative practices, organizational adaptation and capacity building;
- provide policy- and management-oriented insights on how to reconcile economic competitiveness with environmental stewardship and social well-being.

By combining analytical rigor with practical orientation, the track seeks to advance interdisciplinary knowledge that bridges economic assessment, product innovation, and organizational transformation. The ultimate goal is to provide actionable insights for decision-makers, businesses, and communities committed to shaping sustainable agri-food futures.

Keywords

Knowledge Management; Artificial Intelligence; Digital transformation; Agriculture; Sustainability; Agri-food Innovation; Governance; Decision Support Systems; Knowledge ecosystems; Resilience

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Researchers wishing to contribute are invited to submit an EXTENDED ABSTRACT (in doc/docx format) of min 500 and max 1000 words, not later than **31 JANUARY 2026**. All submission must be done via dedicated form on our website. The abstract should address theoretical background, research objective, methodology, and results in terms of expected

contribution to Knowledge Management theory and practice.

Authors are required to follow the guidelines and templates available on IFKAD website: www.ifkad.org

Important Dates

31 January 2026 – Extended Abstract Submission Deadline

24 February 2026 – Acceptance Notification to Authors

20 April 2026 – Early-Bird Registration & Payment Deadline

02 May 2026 – Full Paper Submission Deadline

31 May 2026 – Regular and PhD Students Registration & Payment Deadline

15 June 2026 – Conference Program Release

1-3 July 2026 – Conference sessions (*to be considered as 3 full working days*)

Please note that all above indicated dates are CUT-OFF deadlines. There will not be an extension to any of these.

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