# **EJIS Author Development Workshop**

Organized by the *European Journal of Information Systems* and *AIS Region 2* In conjunction with the European Conference on Information Systems (ECIS 2012)

## **About EJIS**

The European Journal of Information Systems (EJIS) is ranked among the top journals in its field by the AIS Senior Scholars Consortium. EJIS provides a distinctive European perspective on the theory and practice of information systems for a global audience. The journal encourages first rate research articles by academics, but also case studies and reflective articles by practitioners. EJIS provides a critical view on technology, development, implementation, strategy, management and policy.

## Aims and scope of the workshop

This workshop is intended to provide guidance to IS researchers interested in publishing in top IS journals, such as EJIS. It is particularly designed to assist colleagues who have not been able yet to get their work published in top outlets, but have already advanced it to a very promising state. Participants have been selected on the basis of a full paper of their inprogress work.

**Workshop date**: Afternoon of June 13th 2012 (1-6pm), immediately after ECIS 2012 concludes. Light lunch and coffee will be provided, courtesy of the EJIS Publisher, Palgrave. The exact venue will be announced in the conference program.

## Preparation for the workshop

Authors will give a very brief (5 minutes) presentation of their paper. They will be given access to the other papers in their group prior to the workshop, and are expected to prepare a brief review of each of the other papers in the group.

#### Cost

The workshop is free of charge and open to the invited participants only.

Workshop plan

13.15	Plenary – Light lunch	Welcome & introductions
		Making it to the top: What makes or breaks a
		paper/ Where is the contribution?
14.00	Paper session I	(30' per paper: 5' presentation, 25' comments)
15.30	Break	
15.45	Paper session II	(30' per paper: 5' presentation, 25' comments)
17.15	Plenary session	Managing the review process from the author's
		perspective
		Issues arising from the paper sessions
18.00	Closing	Overview and conclusions

#### Disclaimer

Participation in the workshop does NOT guarantee publication of the author's work in EJIS.

### Workshop organizers

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