



The 3rd edition of the **Educational Technologies (ICEDuTech) International Conference** was held in Florianópolis, Santa Catarina, Brazil (**30 November – 2 December, 2015**).

This conference was organized by the International Association for Development of the Information Society (IADIS) and co-organized by the Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina and by UNISINOS.

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This event tried to address the real topics as seen by teachers, students, parents and school leaders. Scientists, professionals and institutional leaders were invited to be informed by experts, sharpen the understanding what education needs and how to achieve it. The broad areas of interest were: Education in Context, Education as Professional Field, Curricular Evolution, Learner Orientation, Integrating Educational Technologies and International Higher Education.



This edition was published jointly with the international conferences: International Conference on Sustainability, Technology and Education (STE 2015) and International Conference on Internet Technologies & Society (ITS 2015). In total, these conferences received 87 submissions from more than 15 countries. Each submission was reviewed in a double-blind review process by an average of four independent reviewers to ensure quality and maintain high standards. Out of the papers submitted, 11 got blind referee ratings that published them as full papers, which meant that the acceptance rate was 13%. Some other submissions were published as short papers and posters.

Extended versions of the best papers were selected to be published in:

- ❖ Special Issue of JICES (Journal of Information, Communication and Ethics in Society) entitled “The Impact of Smart Technology on Users and Society” (ISSN: 1477-996X)



In addition to the presentation of full papers, short papers and posters, the conference program also featured two keynote presentations by Prof. Pedro Isaiás, Universidade Aberta (Portuguese Open University), Portugal and Prof. Piet Kommers, University of Twente, The Netherlands.



Keynote Presentation:

“EMPATHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS: FROM DIVERSIFIED APPLICATIONS TO E-LEARNING FORUM APPLICATIONS”



by Prof. Pedro Isaiás, Universidade Aberta (Portuguese Open University), Portugal



Keynote Presentation:

“LEARNING TO MIND: SOCIAL MEDIA FOR CONSTRUING AN AGILE LEARNING CLIMATE”



by Prof. Piet Kommers, University of Twente, The Netherlands

In general this event served as a forum that gathered researchers, practitioners, students and anyone that was working or studying in the field of the Information Systems.

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