Diffusion (adoption, implementation, and utilization) of collaboration technologies have been investigated in many countries and regions around the globe. While the majority of research initiatives have been undertaken in Western Europe and North America, they have been scarce in developing regions like East Europe, Asia, Africa, and Latin America. As the world economy become integrated, the diffusion of collaboration technologies in countries such as China, India, Brazil, and South Africa is becoming prevalent as globalization drives inter and intra-country collaboration intensity within and across organizations. Technology enhanced collaboration such as synchronous and asynchronous computer support amongst team members (co-located or virtual) is being enhanced by hand held mobile devices in communities of practice and social media environments in developing countries.

We would like to invite the authors to submit their research on IT enabled collaboration in developing countries from theoretical, technological, social, psychological, behavioral, and design science perspectives. Research deploying different theoretical lenses could focus on process and system design, methods, modeling, and techniques in addressing various aspects of IT enabled collaboration. The mini-track will focus on a wide range of topics including but not limited to:

1. Case studies (education/business/government/organization) of IT enabled collaboration in developing countries.
2. Cross-cultural and intra and/or inter-organizational IT enabled collaboration in developing countries.
3. Global, virtual, distributed, hybrid, and face-to-face IT enabled collaboration in developing countries.
4. Emerging issues in collaboration technology diffusion in developing countries.
5. Deployment of mobile technologies for collaboration in developing countries.
6. Group decision making, negotiation, facilitation and intelligent system and communication technologies in developing countries.
7. Factors influencing IT enabled collaboration in developing countries.

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