This minitrack offers a multidisciplinary forum where to present cases and discuss theories associate with the design, management, and evaluations of the policies and the strategies deployed to support, facilitate, and promote digital government. The HICSS minitrack on Policies and Strategies for Digital Government invites submissions that contribute to the analyse of the challenges faced by governments when formulating e-government policies. In the specific it focuses on the effects associated with the implementation of ICTs designed to transform government organisation, public sector management, and the functioning of public institutions in general. We also encourage the submission of case studies which offer evidence of governments’ best practices in the design, management and evaluation of e-government policies and strategies.

The minitrack will also explore the issues associated with the design and deployment of policies and strategies that change the nature of the interactions between government and citizens, private sector organisations, and NGOs.

Topics and research areas include, but are not limited to:

- Public policy issues and e-Government;
- e-Government and e-Procurement policies strategies;
- e-Government outsourcing strategies in the public sector;
- Policies and strategies for promoting e-Democracy;
- Policies and strategies for encouraging e-Participation;
- Policy and governance challenges arising from the adoption of ICTs in public administration at the local, state, and national level;
- Policy and governance challenges arising from public sector ICT deployment in developing countries;
- The impact on ICT on government set up, roles, and responsibilities;
- The impact of open data on government policies and strategies;
- The impact of big and open data on privacy and data protection policies and strategies;
- Cases focusing on law, technology, and organizational adaptation resulting from e-government;
- The impact of open “x” developments on the law and the legal system, e.g., data protection law and copyright law.

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