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Track: Organizational Systems and Technology

Minitrack: IT and Project Management

Papers are invited to provide a forum for exchanging new findings, and to *advance empirical and theoretical knowledge*, on a wide range of management issues involved in the *application of modern IT to project management*. The following is a sample of topics that would fit the intended focus of this minitrack:

- Managing in multidisciplinary and global technical team environments
- Using IT-based project management tools and techniques effectively
- Emerging tools and techniques for managing information system projects
- Leadership and team management issues in technology-based project organizations
- Leading and managing internal and external project stakeholders in IT projects
- Management tools and techniques (including information systems) for capturing and sharing knowledge across projects
- 'Open' project management
- Developing state-of-the-art project organizations
- Knowledge management, mobilization, and skill building for project managers

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