

CALL FOR PAPERS – DBOSI-25

7th Nordic Workshop on Digital Foundations of Business, Operations, Strategy, and Innovation (DBOSI-25)

LUT Business School – Lahti, Finland, February 13-14, 2025.

In addition, we are organizing a DBOSI PhD day on February 12th, 2025.

Submission deadline November 30th

Notification of acceptance December 13th, 2024

The 7th Nordic Workshop on Digital Foundations of Business, Operations, Strategy, and Innovation (DBOSI-25) provides an interdisciplinary arena for scholars from Information Systems, Management, Computer Science, Strategy, Entrepreneurship, and others, who share the interest in digital foundations of business, operations, strategy, and innovation.

DBOSI's main purpose is to help junior and senior scholars with the development of their early work. We provide an opportunity to present and discuss work-in-progress, build professional networks with scholars with similar interests, interdisciplinary exchange innovative ideas, and learn of the state-of-the-art on the fast-developing research field.

Submissions using a variety of theoretical and methodological perspectives are welcome. Both conceptual and empirical papers are welcome from PhD students, young scholars, and senior scholars alike.

We welcome submissions on themes such as:

- Digital transformation
- Digital innovation
- Digital platforms and ecosystems
- Digitalization, responsibility, and sustainability
- The role of data and AI in work and organizing
- The impact of Generative AI on individuals, organizations, industries, and ecosystems
- Human-AI relationships: automation, augmentation, co-innovation
- The role of trust in digital transformation and organizing
- Collaboration systems and technology
- Decision-making, data, and AI
- Knowledge, innovation, and organizing in digital contexts
- Digital strategy and digital strategizing

These themes are suggestions, and we are open also to other topics related to the workshop's overall theme.

Participants are expected to be present throughout the workshop, comment on each other's work, and actively contribute to the discussions.

In addition to paper presentations, there will be keynotes and panel discussions, and debates by both practitioners and academics.

Keynotes:

Prof. Dr. Kalle Lyytinen, Case Western University: Theorizing in the age of digital transformation

Associate Professor Cristina Alaimo, ESSEC Business School: Data rules and ecosystem governance

Head of Cloud Software and Data Mikko Kotola, Kempower: Data in the EV charging station business – types of value and enablers

Additional keynotes to be announced

We look forward to enjoyable discussions and learning in a friendly and constructive environment in the spirit of a developmental scholarly workshop.

If you are interested in presenting your ongoing research and receiving feedback from leading scholars in the field, please submit an extended abstract of no more than 2000 words (excluding references and tables): DBOSI2025@lut.fi. The submission deadline is November 24th. Participants will be informed of the acceptance by Friday, December 13th, 2024

The workshop fee is Eur 200 in addition to travel and accommodation.

The 7th DBOSI workshop follows the successful editions at Aalto University, Stockholm School of Economics, Umeå University, University of Stockholm, Oslo University, and Copenhagen Business School.

DBOSI -25 is hosted by the LUT Business School, and it takes place in LUT Lahti campus, Finland.

Workshop co-chairs: prof. Kirsimarja Blomqvist and prof. Paavo Ritala

The organizing committee: Tuuli Toivikko, Jessica Fishburn, Niina Salo, Outi Behm, and Kateryna Kryzhanivska

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