



The 13<sup>th</sup> edition of the **International Conference on ICT, Society and Human Beings (ICT 2020)** (part of the IADIS Multi Conference on Computer Science and Information Systems 2020) was held virtually due to the COVID-19 pandemic, during **21-23 July 2020**.

This conference was organized by the International Association for Development of the Information Society (IADIS).

The effects of ICT on human beings as well as the interaction between ICT, individuals, and society were all within the center of this conference. Both analyses of interactions and effects were important. Changes in behaviour, perspectives, values, competencies, human and psychological aspects and feelings were all of interest. Reflections on past, present, and future challenges – especially planning for handling the latter were encouraged. In general, all types of research strategies were encouraged, and especially cross-disciplinary and multi-disciplinary studies. The main topics for submissions were: Globalization and ICT; Life environment and ICT; Life role and ICT; ICT and effects on humans; Perspectives on ICT; Desirable goals and ICT and Actions for reaching the Good Information Society.

This edition was published jointly with the: 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Connected Smart Cities (CSC 2020) and 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference Web Based Communities and Social Media 2020 (WBC 2020). These conferences received 136 submissions from more than 22 countries. Each submission was anonymously reviewed by an average of four independent reviewers, to ensure that accepted submissions were of a high standard. Consequently, only 23 full papers were approved which means an acceptance rate of 17%. A few more papers were accepted as short papers, reflection papers and poster.

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

- ❖ the IADIS International Journal on WWW/Internet (IJWI). ISSN: 1645-7641



- ❖ IADIS International Journal on Computer Science and Information Systems (ISSN: 1646-3692)



In addition to the presentation of the papers, these events also included one keynote presentation by Professor Johannes Cronjé, Dean of Informatics and Design, Cape Peninsula University of Technology, South Africa.



#### **Keynote Presentation:**

#### **LET'S PUT LEARNING BACK INTO BLENDED LEARNING: A COLLECTIONIST FRAMEWORK**



by Professor Johannes Cronjé, Dean of Informatics and Design, Cape Peninsula University of Technology, South Africa

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