

Message from AIS-Journals Joint Author Workshop Chair



Welcome to the First AIS-Journals Joint Author Workshop (AIS-JJAW) sponsored by Association for Information Systems (AIS). This is the first time editors and potential authors of all AIS journals, including MISQ, MISQE, JAIS, CAIS, EJIS, PAJAIS, and THCI, congregate in one place and exchange ideas and knowledge face-to-face. The purpose of this workshop is to help the authors improve their manuscripts and develop closer ties among the workshop participants. I also hope this process could help AIS build a cohesive community and accumulate its tradition. Research has demonstrated that collaboration, especially with senior scholars, could improve research quality and productivity of young scholars. Through this workshop, the mentors and pupils on the same discussion group could take this opportunity to initiate research collaboration.

The success of this workshop lies in the teamwork of several parties who deserve special thanks. First of all, I would like to thank the AIS Council for approving the initiative of this workshop and sponsoring the coffee break. Second, the support of PACIS 2013 conference chair, Prof. Ho-Geun Lee, and workshop chair, Prof. Wonseok Oh, for arranging the facilities and providing the breakfast reception is most critical, without which the workshop could not go as smooth as we like. Third, special thanks go to the 17 editors of various journals, Arun Rai (Georgia State University), Christina Soh Wai Lin (Nanyang Technological University), Ola Henfridsson (University of Warwick), Cynthia Beath (University of Texas at Austin), Elena Karahanna (University of Georgia), Fiona Fui-Hoon Nah (Missouri University of Science and Technology), Guy Gable (Queensland University of Technology), Mary Tate (Victoria University of Wellington), Jason Thatcher (Clemson University), Jinsoo Park (Seoul National University), Kai Lim (City University of Hong Kong), Michael Myers (The University of Auckland), Ping Zhang (Syracuse University), Paul B. Lowry (City University of Hong Kong), Richard L. Baskerville (Georgia State University), Sandra A. Slaughter (Georgia Institute of Technology), Tien-Peng Liang (National Chengchi University). Finally to all authors of 49 papers, I thank you very much for participating in this joint workshop and hope that this workshop could help you successfully publish your papers in AIS related journals and bring you closer to AIS community.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eldon Y. Li". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

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