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**Call for Papers, Posters, Round Table Proposals, Practitioner Contributions and Product Demonstrations**

ECKM 2009 provides an opportunity for academics and practitioners from Europe and elsewhere who are involved in the study; management, development and implementation of knowledge management initiatives to come together and exchange ideas.

The conference committee welcomes both academic and practitioner papers on a wide range of topics and a wide range of scholarly approaches including theoretical and empirical papers employing qualitative, quantitative and critical methods. Action research, case studies and research-in-progress are welcomed approaches. [Research in progress](#), [case studies](#), [poster submissions](#), proposals for [roundtable discussions](#), [practitioner contributions](#), and [product demonstrations](#) based on the main themes are also invited.

The conference in September 2009 is seeking quantitative, qualitative and experience-based papers from industry and academe. Topics may include but are not limited to:

Frameworks for conceptualising KM, parameters of the field of study; Knowledge creation and sharing mechanisms; Knowledge asset valuation models; Knowledge Management Systems; Impact on organisational learning; Impact on business strategy, architectures for KM systems; Managing Intellectual Capital; Contextual analysis; KM in higher education; Knowledge sharing between different groups in an organization; Sharing and co-operation in Communities of Practice; How to initiate KM, resourcing KM, implementing KM; KM case studies, KM and SME's; The evaluation of KM, user requirements; KM and innovation, innovation networks; Content management systems; Ontologies; KM and the Web and e-Business; Ethics of KM

**Submission details:**

Abstract details: The Abstract should be a minimum of 300 and no more than 500 words including up to five keywords and keyphrases to be received by **12 February 2009**. Please read the abstract guidelines section of the website before submitting.

Submission: Online at <http://academic-conferences.org/eckm/eckm2009/eckm09-abstract-submission.htm> Please ensure that you complete all relevant sections of the form, including the conference track the abstract is intended for, the proposed title for the paper, the full names (first name and surname, not initials) and email addresses of all authors and a postal address and telephone number for at least one contact author. Please indicate clearly if the contact author is not the lead author.

Full paper: Only required when the abstract has been selected and not to be more than 5,000 words including abstract, keywords and references (the Harvard referencing rules need to be followed). Submission date will be no later than 2 April 2009. Papers should be submitted as .doc or .rtf file attachments by email to the Conference Manager, [Elaine Hayne](mailto:elaine.hayne@academic-conferences.org) at [elaine.hayne@academic-conferences.org](mailto:elaine.hayne@academic-conferences.org)

**Important dates:**

Abstract submission deadline:	<b>12 February 2009</b>
Notification of abstract acceptance:	<b>19 February 2009</b>
Full paper due for review:	<b>02 April 2009</b>
Notification of paper acceptance:	<b>11 June 2009</b>
Earlybird registration closes:	<b>25 June 2009</b>
Final paper due (with any changes):	<b>09 July 2009</b>
Final Author registration date:	<b>30 July 2009</b>