



ICEL 2011



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

The International Conference on e-Learning (ICEL) brings together academic research and practical applications of e-Learning from all areas. ICEL brings together varied groups of people with different perspectives, seeking to bring top research and proven best practices together into one location, for the purposes of helping practitioners find ways to put research into practice, and for researchers to gain an understanding of additional real-world problems from across the globe.

The conference committee welcomes contributions on a wide range of topics using a range of scholarly approaches including theoretical and empirical papers employing qualitative, quantitative, mixed and critical methods. Case studies and work-in-progress/posters are welcomed approaches. PhD Research, proposals for roundtable discussions, non-academic contributions and product demonstrations based on the main themes are also invited.

Topics may include, but are not limited to:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Integrated learning and educational environments Simulations and virtual learning environments Asynchronous interaction Structural representations of e-Lessons Course development strategies Uses of multimedia Blended learning approaches e-Learning portals Web 2.0 technologies and the classroom Open Education Open Access Open Content Open Source e-Learning industry and University programs Adoption of e-Learning by academic and industry staff Tutoring e-Learning applications and services Cost models for e-learning Human resource development using e-Learning at the company Faculty development and e-Learning Universities the Internet and society Inter-institutional education program cooperation New partnerships to deliver e-Learning Satellite campus issues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social and collaborative e-Learning Groupware Use of social networks e-Learning to support communities and individuals e-Learning and social justice Societal and cultural issues in e-Learning Communities of practice Pedagogy for e-Learning teachers Application of instructional design theories Learner characteristics e-Learning adoption e-Learning implementation and cognitive styles Online and computer aided assessments Support for lifelong learning e-Learning design, usability, evaluation Evaluation of Learning technologies Issues in e-Learning Research e-books Advanced use of multimedia Knowledge management Content Management Marketing and promoting e-Learning National and international projects on e-Learning Adaptive e-Learning and intelligent apps & tools
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Topics continued:

Management using ICT e-Universities and business Remote and wireless teaching technologies Anytime/anywhere e-Learning and wearable network devices Satellite technologies for e-Learning Mobile learning Distributed e-learning environments The Learning Commons	Practical uses of authoring tools Content Development Applications of metadata and virtual reality Learning Content Management Systems & Learning Management Systems The future of e-Learning Other/specialist e-Learning topics
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Publication opportunity

Papers accepted for the conference will be published in the conference proceedings, subject to author registration. The proceedings have an ISBN and details of the proceedings accreditations are listed on the [conference website](#).

Selected papers presented at the Conference will be considered for publication in the [Electronic Journal of e-Learning](#). The journal is listed on several international lists. Full details are available on the [conference website](#).

As well as full academic papers, the following submissions are welcomed:

Work in Progress/Posters Researchers are invited to submit current projects which are either at the proposals stage or are work in progress.

PhD Research: Doctoral Candidates are invited to submit papers describing their research.

Case Study Submissions; Submissions should be written to publishable standards.

Non-Academic Contributions; Contributions from individuals and organisations working in the field. These contributions can take the form of a presentation or a demonstration.

Round Table Proposals; Topical subjects proposed for discussion.

Product Demonstrations and Exhibitor Opportunities: If you are contributing to the conference in any of the above categories you may also request the opportunity to give a product demonstration. If you would like to exhibit and/or demonstrate a product at the conference we suggest that you apply for one of our exhibitor packages.

Submission details

Abstracts: All submission types require a 300-500 word abstract in the first instance, to be received by **6 December 2010**. Please read the guidelines at <http://academic-conferences.org/abstract-guidelines.htm>

Submission: Only accepted by [online form](#) submission at <http://academic-conferences.org/icel/icel2011/icel11-abstract-submission.htm>

Full paper: Only required for academic submissions once the abstract has been selected, no more than 5,000 words to be received by **24 January 2011**. Papers should be submitted as .doc or .rtf file attachments by email to the Conference Manager, [Julia Hawkins](#) (julia@academic-conferences.org).

All full papers will be double-blind reviewed by members of the conference committee to ensure an adequate standard, that the proposed subject of their abstract has been followed, that the paper is of a suitable length, the standard of English is adequate and the paper is appropriately referenced.

Important dates

Abstract submission deadline:	6 December 2010
Notification of abstract acceptance:	13 December 2010
Final copy of full paper due for review:	24 January 2011
Notification of paper acceptance (subject to any requested changes):	4 April 2011
Earlybird registration closes:	18 April 2011
Final paper submission (with changes):	2 May 2011
Final author registration date:	23 May 2011

The conference programme committee is currently being updated. Full details will be posted on the [conference website](#) as soon as they are confirmed.

This pdf is an abbreviated call for papers. The full call for papers can be found online at <http://academic-conferences.org/icel/icel2011/icel11-call-papers.htm>