

Editorial

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Editor

JISTEM Journal of Information Systems and Technology Management is beginning its sixth year of publication with this edition. We would like to invite all the authors that have contributed to JISTEM to celebrate its inclusion, since its first year, in the Latindex, the DOAJ index, the Ulrich's Periodical Directory and more recently in *The Index of Information Systems Journals*, ACPHIS, Dialnet and SEER - Sistema Eletrônico de Editoração de Revista (Electronic Magazine Editing System). In addition to these databases and indexes, Ebsco and Gale Infotrac is in the process of including JISTEM. With this, the visibility of the authors who publish in JISTEM will be increased both in Brazil and abroad. In virtually all the numbers, we depend on a strong presence of authors from different countries, contributing to the research in Information Systems and Technology Management and Information Science with their different points of view.

On its editorial board, in addition to renowned Brazilian professors, are Prof. Roberto D. Galliers and Michael D. Myers, who have been prominent researchers in the discussion on Information Systems Discipline and Research. Information Science is also featured in the editions of Jistem, by professors Hjørland Birger, Luc M. Quoniam and Armando Malheiro and members of the editorial board, as well as by the increasing volume of articles that have been received and published.

In volume 6, no. 1, we present articles on Information Systems, Knowledge Management, Communication Technology and Electronic Government. They are: Focal Groups On-Line: from Conceptual Reflections to the Virtual Environment Application) by Nelsio Rodrigues de Abreu, Renata Francisco Baldanza and Sônia M. Guedes Gondim from the Federal University of Bahia; Influence of Implementation Factors in Information Systems Quality for User Satisfaction by José Melchor Medina Quintero, Esther García Pedroche and María Isabel de la Garza Ramos from the Autonomous University of Tamaulipas, México; Knowledge Management in Intensive Environments of Knowledge: Small Incubated Software Companies by Oscar Dalfovo, Edson Roberto Scharf and Greyce Krambeck, from Blumenau University; ERP Systems Implementation in Complex Organizations by Rafaela Mantovani Fontana from the Federal University of Paraná and Alfredo Iarozinski Neto from the Federal Technological University of Paraná; and Administration of Information and the Process of Bank Negotiation Clea Beatriz Macagnan and Almir Lindemann from the University of Vale do Rio dos Sinos – UNISINOS. In the special Session we relied on the collaboration of Professor Nuno Gama de Oliveira Pinto from University Nova of Lisboa, Portugal discussing E-Government and the New Challenges of the European Single Market.

We wish you all a wonderful year and a pleasant and useful reading.