SIG-CMR NEWSLETTER

October 2026 #3
Welcome to our newsletter!

SIG-CMR PROPOSED NAME AND MISSION STATEMENT SURVEY

Calling all members!

Register your vote on the proposed name and mission statement by clicking the link below:

https://utk.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bvV3kKPCYZa8quW

The survey is open until 8th November



NEW CHAIR-ELECT FOR SIG-CMR

Congratulations to Thiago Henrique Bragato Barros on his election as Chair-Elect of SIG-CMR for 2026–2027.

A special thanks to Paulo Vicente, the outgoing Chair, for all his hard work on behalf of SIG-CMR this year.

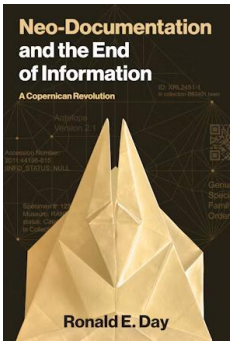
ASIS&T 2026 CONFERENCE BANGKOK 6-10 NOVEMBER 2026



Crossing Boundaries: Advancing Global Dialogue and Well-being through Information Research and Practice

SIG-CMR will be at the conference opening reception, come along!

It is not too late to register for the conference: https://www.asist.org/am2026/am26/



NEW BOOK BY RONALD E. DAY

A philosophical critique of information as relational, evidential, and transformative, grounded in neo-documentation, Heidegger, and Latour.

Open access link: https://mitpress.mit.edu/9780262054713/neo-documentation-and-the-end-of-information/

WATCH THIS SPACE! THE 15TH ISKO FRANCE CONFERENCE 2027



To be held in Strasbourg during October 2027 – dates to be confirmed shortly.

Theme: Time and space in knowledge organization

https://isko-france.asso.fr/15e-colloque-international/

BOBCATSSS 2027: REBUILDING TRUST INFRASTRUCTURES – LIBRARIES, AI AND DEMOCRATIC KNOWLEDGE FUTURES



Dates: 19th – 21st January 2027

Where: University of Barcelona

Registration opens: 20th October 2026

Abstract deadline: 31st October 2026

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS: ADVANCING INFORMATION INTEGRITY, KNOWLEDGE ACCURACY, AND ETHICAL AI THROUGH TAXONOMIES, ONTOLOGIES, AND KNOWLEDGE GRAPHS

INFORMATION MATTERS

As AI, semantic technologies, knowledge graphs, and information ecosystems continue to evolve, questions of trust, accuracy, transparency, governance, and representation have never been more important. Taxonomies, ontologies, and knowledge graphs sit at the centre of these challenges and opportunities.

Guest editor: Marissa Hughes

The upcoming Information Matters special issue, "Taxonomies, Ontologies, and Knowledge Graphs: Advancing Information Integrity, Knowledge Accuracy, and Ethical AI," invites accessible, practice-oriented, and research-

informed contributions from across the information community. Information Matters is sponsored by the Association for Information Science & Technology (ASIS&T); however, submissions are open to all researchers, librarians, information professionals, and practitioners, regardless of ASIS&T membership.

Submission deadline: 30th November 2026

Learn more: CFP: Special Issue on Taxonomies, Ontologies, and Knowledge Graphs: Advancing Information Integrity, Knowledge Accuracy, and Ethical AI - Information Matters

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LINKS TO RECENT SIG-CMR WEBINARS & EVENTS

SIG-USE and SIG-CMR: Information Hygiene, Information Use and Digital Wellbeing Panel Discussion 14th October, 2026

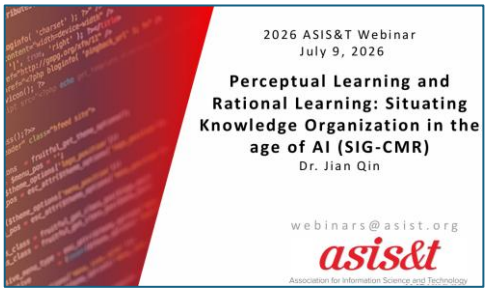
Panellists: Ana Lúcia Terra, Niklas Ferdinand Carlsson, and Michaela Dombrovská

The recording of the panel discussion is HERE



The recording of the webinar is HERE

The presentation slides are available HERE



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