

KM Conference 2026 – Program

(All times noted are in Western European Time (WET) – Lisbon, Portugal)

Wednesday – June 24 – All activities will take place at the campus of the Instituto Superior Economia e Gestão (ISEG) at the Quelhas 6 (Q6) building, Portugal (in Google Maps via: located at R. Francesinhas 10 or Rua do Quelhas 6, Lisboa, Portugal)	
08:30 – 14:00	Pre-Conference Industry Day – See details via: https://iiakm.org/conference/KM2026/IndustryDay.php Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor
14:00 – 17:00	Networking Break
16:30 – 18:00	Conference Registration Desk, near Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor
17:00 – 17:45	Workshop – “AI on the Ground: What's Actually Changing in KM and Cybersecurity?” – Julita Haber (Fordham University, USA), and Christiaan Maasdorp (Stellenbosch University, South Africa) Room: Delta (307) – First Floor
17:45 – 18:00	Networking Break
18:00 – 20:00	Reception at the Rooftop – Second Floor
Thursday – June 25 – All activities will take place at the campus of the Instituto Superior Economia e Gestão (ISEG) at the University of Lisbon, Portugal (in Google Maps via: located at R. Francesinhas 10 or Rua do Quelhas 6, 1200-781 Lisboa, Portugal)	
8:30 – 16:00	Registration Desk, Near Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor
9:00 – 9:45	Session Chair: Yair Levy Conference Opening – Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor Welcoming Remarks: Professor Joanna Krywalski-Santiago, KM2026 Co-Chair & ISEG - Lisbon School of Economics & Management, Portugal Professor Tiago Emanuel Rodrigues Gonçalves, KM2026 Co-Chair & ISEG - Lisbon School of Economics & Management, Portugal Professor Melissa Carlton, Program Chair, Lindsey Wilson University, USA Professor (Emeritus) Meir Russ, Program Co-Chair & OJAKM Editor-in-Chief, University of Wisconsin - Green Bay, USA Professor Yair Levy, IIAKM President and Executive Director, KM Organizing Co-Chair, Nova Southeastern University, FL, USA
9:45 – 10:30	Session Chair: Celina Sołek-Borowska Morning Keynote – “How Theoretical Frameworks Structure Our Understanding of Knowledge and Consciousness in the Age of AI?” - Professor Meir Russ (Professor Emeritus, Cofrin School of Business, University of Wisconsin - Green Bay; Research Fellow, Dept. of Information Science, Stellenbosch University, South Africa) Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break – Corridor near Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor

11:00 – 12:30	Paper Sessions – A			
	A1– Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) Topic: e-Learning, m-Learning, Experiential Learning, and Gamification Session Chair: Rina Zviel-Girshin	A2–Room: 202 Topic: Knowledge Creation, Collaborative Research, and Emerging Research Methods Session Chair: Oliver Jokisch	A3–Room: Staples (302) Topic: Cybersecurity, Digital Forensics, and Information Security Session Chair: Jennifer Breese	A4–Room: Santander-Totta (303) Topic: Strategic Aspects of KM and AI Innovation Session Chair: Monika Zajkowska
	A Taxonomy of Student Prompting Strategies in Generative AI-Integrated Exams Rina Zviel-Girshin, Dizza Beimel, and Meital Amzalag	A Comparative Analysis of Participatory Research Frameworks in Europe Rico Blei, Sandra Dettmer, Lydia Näke, and Oliver Jokisch	LEAP framework: LLM-enhanced adversarial preparedness for tabletop exercises Molly Cooper and Peter Dillman	Knowledge management's response to AI-adoption Christiaan Maasdorp
	Implementing gamification in higher education: Opportunities to use information generated when applying game elements into learning environments Netanel Sabas and Nitza Geri	Towards operationalizing genAI as a research method: A multi-platform framework for blind self and cross-evaluation Ruti Gafni and Yair Levy	Knowledge traces of artificial intelligence systems: A digital forensics perspective Tobi West, Andrea Barrios, and Aeron Zentner	From knowledge sharing to knowledge privatization: Cognitive mechanisms of quiet quitting Robert Strelau
	Preparing for the Next Generation of Practitioners: Developing Soft Skills in Future Information Systems Practitioners Idan Roth, Yotam Evron, and Sofia Sherman	From Theory to Praxis: Knowledge Co-Creation in a Transdisciplinary, Intercultural Workshop: Lessons from the UNIGE–CNU FaLab Design Experience Christian Barde and Jean-Henry Morin	Zero trust architecture as a security strategy: Insights from a 2020–2026 literature review Stephen Mujeye and Jackson Kane	From couture to content: An insight to AI-driven fashion trend forecasting Seher Aksoy and Mathias Walther
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch – at ISEG Restaurant (Quelhas 6 (Q6) building – 2nd Floor)			
14:00 – 15:00	Paper Sessions – B			
	B1–Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) Topic: Organizational and Interorganizational KM Session Chair: Christiaan Maasdorp	B2–Room: 202 Topic: Human Computer Interaction, Generative AI, Multimedia, and Knowledge Visualization Session Chair: Vered Silber-Varod	B3–Room: Staples (302) Topic: AI in Health and Medicine Session Chair: Ofir Ben-Assuli	B4–Room: Santander-Totta (303) Topic: Artificial Intelligence in KM Session Chair: Molly Cooper
	The Impact of absorption capabilities on exploratory and exploitative innovation Patryk Dziurski	The robot as knowledge broker: Assessing trust and persuasion in social humanoid-led health interventions for college students Michelle Ramim, Anvita Kalepalli, Walter Chang, Vinay Munlapudi, and Nitya Alaparthi	Fitting analytical models using tailored samples: Predicting CVD Ofir Ben-Assuli, Gil Frenkel, and Lior Roitman	Agentic knowledge management systems: Integrating autonomous AI agents for organizational learning and knowledge innovation Hermano Jorge De Queiroz

	<p>The importance of competencies in small and medium-sized enterprises in the digital economy Monika Zajkowska and Barbara Bojewska</p>	<p>AI-human-in-the-loop: An integrated intelligence framework for knowledge-intensive services Rupak Rauniar and Steve Zhou</p>	<p>Where should AI intervene? A socio-technical model for AI integration in EMS Yotam Evron and Tamir Mendel</p>	<p>An integrated knowledge management, resource-based view, and task-technology fit framework for AI readiness and organizational performance Shauna Beaudin, Kimberly Queenan, and Tyler Price</p>
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee Break – Corridor near Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor			
15:30 – 16:30	<p>Session Chair: Jean-Henry Morin Afternoon Panel – “Best practices for preparing an AI-enabled future workforce”- Dr. Eman El-Sheikh and Dr. Guillermo Francia III (University of West Florida, USA), Dr. Tobi West (Coastline College, USA), and Dr. Yair Levy (Nova Southeastern University, USA) Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor</p>			
18:30 – 21:45	<p>Dinner – Museu da Cerveja Restaurant (Terreiro do Paço – Ala Nascente nº 62 a 65, 1100-148 Lisboa, Portugal) Bus pickup: 18:30 - Dom Pedro Lisboa Hotel (Av. Eng. Duarte Pacheco 24, 1070-110 Lisboa, Portugal) 18:45 - the DUO Hotel Lisbon (Rua Dom Luís I 18, 1200-151 Lisboa, Portugal)</p>			

Friday – June 26 - All activities will take place at the campus of the [Instituto Superior Economia e Gestão \(ISEG\)](#) at the Quelhas 6 (Q6) building, Portugal (in Google Maps via: located at [R. Francesinhas 10](#) or [Rua do Quelhas 6](#), Lisboa, Portugal)

8:30 – 12:00	Registration Desk, Near Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor			
9:00 – 10:00	Session Chair: Nitza Geri Morning Keynote – “ Knowledge Management Landmarks and Future Research Directions ” – Professor Carla Curado (Department of Management, ISEG, Universidade de Lisboa, Portugal) Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor			
10:00 – 10:30	Coffee Break – Corridor near Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor			
10:30 – 12:00	Paper Sessions – C			
	C1–Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) Topic: Human-Centered Knowledge Management Session Chair: Jean-Henry Morin	C2–Room: 202 Topic: AI Governance, Knowledge Governance, and Public Sector Knowledge Systems Session Chair: Hermano Jorge De Queiroz	C3–Room: Staples (302) Topic: Cybersecurity and Information Security Session Chair: Molly Cooper	C4–Room: Santander-Totta (303) Topic: Managing Higher Education, Training, and Lifelong Learning Session Chair: Meir Russ
	Burn to learn: Embodied learning as a knowledge-enabling intervention Julita Haber	Operationalizing AI governance in higher education: translating the SPARKE framework into practical institutional tools Olumide Malomo, Adeyemi Adekoya, Ephrem Eyob, Emmanuel Omojokun, Ayse Balas, Justina Osa, and Moses Garuba	Investigating senior citizens' susceptibility to SMiShing: Impact of a cybersecurity training program that included education and training on social engineering principles of persuasion Brian Bisceglia, Yair Levy, Gregory Simco, Wei Li, and Carlene Blackwood-Brown	Mind the gaps: Digital literacy as a prerequisite for the empowerment of disadvantaged groups in the 21st century Sonya Zeinaldeen and Nitza Geri
	The dark side of personality in knowledge management: A systematic review on counterproductive behaviors Tiago Gonçalves, Oksana Davydchuk, and Carla Curado	Applied use cases for knowledge graphs in public administration: A multiple case study from Germany Robin Vogel and Gunnar Auth	IoT Vulnerabilities as a Persistent Exploitation Risk: A Longitudinal, Statistical, and Predictive Analysis of CVE Disclosures (2015–2025) Stephen Mujeye, Xing Liu, and Pasan Edirisinghe	The interplay of cyberslacking and class engagement: A comparative study of business students in Poland versus Montenegro Celina Sołek-Borowska and Dragana Cirovic
	Learning from errors in the age of Artificial Intelligence: A case study in web programming course Orly Barzilai, Ronit Shmallo, and Rina Zviel-Girshin	The rise of shadow AI: Implications for knowledge governance Tobi West, Andrea Barrios, and Eman El-Sheikh	Lightweight Cryptographic Authentication and Federated Malware Detection for Energy-Constrained Edge-IoT Systems Ripal Ranpara	Bridging data and practice: An ICT toolkit for gender-responsive digital education in the EU Ruth Martinez Lopez and Maryam Roshanaei
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch – at ISEG Restaurant (Quelhas building – 2nd Floor)			

13:30 – 14:30	Paper Sessions – D			
	D1–Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) Topic: KM – Health and Medicine Session Chair: Yotam Evron	D2– Room: 202 Topic: Agentic AI and Trustworthy Autonomous Systems Session Chair: Eman El-Sheikh	D3–Room: Staples (302) Topic: Knowledge Sharing, Transfer, and Public-Sector Knowledge Systems Session Chair: Aeron Zentner	D4–Room: Santander-Totta (303) Topic: AI Trust and Evaluation Session Chair: Stephen Mujeye
	CHF readmission prediction using XAI models: Utilizing ECHO tests Ofir Ben-Assuli, Tsipi Heart, Joshua Vest, and Robert Klempfner	DroneBench: Benchmarking AI agent performance via secure autonomous drone operations Ivan Voinov, Jennifer Breese, and Lori Paluti	Improving knowledge transfer in digital government: Observations on knowledge fragmentation and a conceptual research information system approach Tobias Siebenlist and Gunnar Auth	AI and digital trust: A practical approach Rolf von Roessing
From information to action: Evaluating the GUIDE model as a knowledge management framework for reducing caregiver burnout Michelle Ramim, Prathiv Raj Ramesh Babu, Fariha Unnisa, and Erik Ilyayev	Ethical agentic safeguards for knowledge management systems: Governance frameworks for trustworthy AI-driven knowledge ecosystems Hermano Jorge De Queiroz	Intelligent context engineering for data-sovereign automated meeting minutes in public administration Robin Bitterlich, Oliver Jokisch, and Rocco Zimmermann	Artificial intelligence biases in identifying authentic quotations: Evidence from a processing-fluency and AI-inoculation experiment Vered Silber-Varod and Eran Aharonson	
14:30 – 15:00	Coffee Break – Corridor near Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor			
15:00 – 16:00	Session Chairs: Yair Levy & Molly Cooper Award Ceremony - Room: Auditório 4 (AUD4) – First Floor KM2027 (30 June – 3 July, 2027) – Prof. Dr. Oliver Jokisch and Prof. Dr. Gunnar Auth, HSF Meissen University of Applied Administrative Sciences, Germany			
19:00 – 22:00	Gala Dinner - Dom Pedro Lisboa Hotel (Av. Eng. Duarte Pacheco 24, 1070-110 Lisboa, Portugal) – Opera Ballroom – First Floor (with DJ and music)			

Saturday – June 27, 2026 (For confirmed attendees only)

9:00 – 18:30

Social Event - On Saturday, June 27, 2026, we will host the KM 2026 Conference Social Event tour. The day begins with morning pickups at the [Dom Pedro Lisboa Hotel](#) (08:45) and the [DUO Hotel Lisbon](#) (09:00). We will then enjoy a scenic departure for Moita, crossing the iconic [Vasco da Gama Bridge](#)—the longest bridge in the European Union. Our first stop will be at the [Trimarine Compósitos Lda](#), a yacht construction facility in [Moita](#), where we will have a private tour of their advanced boat manufacturing plant (in two smaller groups). Following the tour, we will enjoy a scenic drive toward the coast to [Carcavelos](#). We will have lunch at the renowned [A Pastorinha Restaurant](#), where colleagues and friends can socialize over a magnificent meal (please specify your preference for meat, fish, or vegetarian in the attendance survey - sent about a week prior to the conference). The afternoon will be spent enjoying a relaxing beach time at the magnificent Carcavelos Beach. We have arranged for beach chairs, umbrellas, and there are public shower facilities for your comfort. To wrap up the day, we will enjoy an afternoon coffee and snack before boarding the bus. We expect to arrive back at the hotels in the early evening (approx. 19:00), depending on traffic. Please plan for a full-day excursion.

We recommend that you wear comfortable walking shoes, a hat, beachwear and beach towel, changing clothes, and bring a bottle of water with you!

See more via: <https://iiakm.org/conference/KM2026/social.php>

Pickup Point (Ensure to be on time! The bus will not wait!):

At 8:45am from the entrance to the Dom Pedro Lisboa Hotel ([Av. Eng. Duarte Pacheco 24, 1070-110 Lisboa, Portugal](#))

At 9:00am from the DUO Hotel Lisbon ([Rua Dom Luís I 18, 1200-151 Lisboa, Portugal](#))

Drop-off Point:

We expect to be back around 18:30-19:00, but it depends on traffic.

Drop-off will be at the DUO Hotel Lisbon first, and then Dom Pedro Lisboa Hotel.

*** It is required that all conference attendees also register their family members and/or guests to ensure they are counted for the social event. We will not be able to accommodate individuals who were not registered ahead of time. Thank you for understanding.

Please also bring your good mood and a big smile!

Campus Map and Entrances:

