



INFORMATICS
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The Network for Europe's Informatics Institutions

Connecting leaders across research and education
to shape the future of our discipline.

INTRODUCING INFORMATICS EUROPE

The collective voice of Informatics research and education in Europe.

Informatics Europe brings together university departments, research labs, and companies to advance the discipline and reinforces its **contribution to Europe's scientific, technological and societal development.**

Building on the variety of its member institutions, for over two decades, IE has been at the forefront of **advancing the unity and relevance of Europe's Informatics research and education community.**

As a **trusted European platform**, IE convenes 200+ institutions to define **shared priorities**, establish **concerted positions** and support **evidence-based policymaking** for the future of the discipline.



Working collectively, IE enables progress across the discipline by:

- Advocating for Informatics in policy discussions
- Engaging with society on the nature and impact of Informatics
- Facilitating pan-European collaboration across academia, industry and society
- Advancing quality and best practices in research, education and knowledge transfer
- Fostering ethical and responsible Informatics teaching and research
- Nurturing future talent and leadership

WHY INSTITUTIONS JOIN IE

Institutions join Informatics Europe to contribute in **shaping the future of Informatics** while **strengthening their strategic positioning** within a trusted European professional network.

Membership connects Informatics departments, faculties and research organisations with peer leaders, enabling them to contribute to shared priorities, influence policy discussions and collaborate on initiatives that advance research and education across Europe. **Together we are stronger!**

IMPACT

Contribute to concerted positions and evidence-based policy engagement that strengthen the role of Informatics in Europe.

VISIBILITY

Enhance your institution's European presence with leadership forums, collaborative initiatives and recognised community platforms.

RESOURCES

Build institutional capacity through peer exchange, shared knowledge, benchmarking data and cooperative projects.

Institutions* committed to shaping the future of Informatics in Europe:
Join us in turning shared challenges into collective progress!

**Informatics university departments/faculties/schools, research labs, industrial partners and national associations across Europe.*

Informatics is the preferred term in Europe for what is known as Computing or Computer Science in other parts of the world.

HOW WE SUPPORT OUR MEMBERS

FORUM FOR LEADERSHIP EXCHANGE & POLICY MAKING

EUROPEAN INFORMATICS LEADERS SUMMIT (ECSS)

Meet leading thinkers in the field

Europe's premier forum for strategic discussions on teaching, research and policy in Informatics and related disciplines. ECSS convenes academic leaders across Europe.



Featuring notable thought-provoking speakers and actively promoting audience interaction, ECSS consistently engages and informs.

The long-standing Leaders Workshop, Keynotes, Awards Ceremony and Working Group sessions all foster high-level dialogues and joint action.

EU PROJECTS

Harness our collective power

Respected disseminating partner of Erasmus+ projects and established COST Action Grant Holder, IE initiates and contributes to European-funded projects.

WORKING GROUPS (WGs)

Advance strategic priorities

IE WGs mobilise expertise across strategic cross-cutting areas of the discipline, connecting research, education and policy. Deliverables include guidelines, best practices, position papers, as well as joint EU-funded proposals.

DATA & INSIGHTS

Power evidence-based decisions

INFORMATICS HIGHER EDUCATION DATA PORTAL

A unique dataset spanning 20+ countries. A powerful benchmark tool to inform institutional and national discussions. Pioneering, comprehensive, reliable data fully downloadable exclusively by members.

PUBLICATIONS

Nurturing and amplifying our community's voice with reports, articles, best practice booklets, recommendations and forward-looking analyses.

QUEST FOR QUALITY

DEPARTMENT ASSESSMENT

Raise your game

Independent, tailored assessments to support strategic development, organisational enhancement and external recognition. Actionable, expert-driven insights grounded in international benchmarks.

AWARDS

Celebrate & disseminate excellence

IE Awards recognise excellence and promote best practices in Informatics education and research, celebrating outstanding dissertations, educational initiatives and contributions to equality.



LEADERSHIP COURSES

Harmonious & thriving academic culture

Science-based courses, led by Informatics scientists, tailored to your institution's development needs, supporting a constructive and collegial academic environment.

TRAINING SCHOOLS

Unlock the power of Informatics Research

Immersive experiences in a specific area of Informatics research closely aligned with our mission and goals.

DIGITAL PRESENCE & RECOGNITION

Boost institutional visibility

- **Webinars and videos** – showcase members' significant research and best practices.
- **Bulletin and IE Members News** – updates from IE and its members.
- **IE Perspectives Magazine** – strategic reflections, research insights, trends & leading practices across the community.
- **Job Platform** – open scientific positions.
- **Research & Education Directory** – European Informatics institutes, incl. degree offerings, research groups and activities.

VOICES FROM OUR COMMUNITY

"IE Membership strengthens our department through collaboration, valuable connections, and shared expertise, while nurturing the growth and development of Informatics in Europe."

Gordana Dodig-Crnkovic, Mälardalen University, Sweden

"Joining IE should be a must for any responsibly acting Informatics department, from a political and societal, as well as a disciplinary, viewpoint."

Gregor Engels, Paderborn University, Germany

"Delighted to collaborate with IE in ensuring that society understands the significance of science and Informatics in particular. Extremely grateful for IE's role in bridging academia, industry and society."

Welmoed Spahr, Springer Nature

Explore our membership scheme and fees in detail:

Informatics Europe membership is institutional and covers all researchers and faculty members in Informatics and related disciplines at the member institution.



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