Call for Papers

Special Issue on

Social Networks, Semantic Web, and Web 2.0 Research to Enhanced Engineering Education

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The Evolution of Social Networks and Semantic Web in the recent years have led to a new dynamic, high promising research agenda related to knowledge management and technology enhanced learning. Ontological Engineering and Social Networks Dynamics are the main aspects of converging value propositions: human networks, knowledge artifacts and technology supported learning systems have incorporated cells of innovation. The purpose of this special issue is to reveal the scientific debate for the three pillars of the new innovative Technology Enhanced Learning Systems, namely: Social Networks, Web 2.0 and Semantic Web and to analyze in depth the various aspects of a mutlidisciplinary qualitative research.

Topics of interest include
- Ontological Engineering of e-learning systems
- Semantic Web, and Social Networks Research related to Engineering Education
- Semantics, Metadata and Standards
- Formation of social networks for learning
- Dynamic learning scenarios for effective learning systems in academia
- Competencies management with converging human resources management, e-learning and knowledge management capabilities
- Social media integration in learning
- Microcontents, Microblogging Research
- Visualization and advanced techniques for semantically annotated learning content
- Constructive, innovative pedagogical approaches on top of social networks
- Case studies

Submission Information
This special issue is linked to the 6th World Summit on the Knowledge Society (WSKS 2013) and 4th Int. Conference on Technology Enhanced Learning, Quality of Teaching and Education Reform (Tech-Education 2013): http://www.wsks.org

Submissions are to be sent by e-mail in MSWord (.doc) to Prof. Miltiadis D. Lytras at miltiadis.lytras@gmail.com; all enquiries are to be sent to him as well.

Important Deadlines

Submission of extended abstract (two pages):	15 September 2012
Notification of reviewers' feedback:	20 September 2012
Submission of manuscript	15 October 2012
Notification of reviewers' feedback:	2 November 30, 2012
Submission of final manuscript:	2 December 2012

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