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### KONFERENSSIT/CONFERENCES

#### **NI2018 International Conference on Nursing Informatics, Guadalajara, Meksiko 6.-8.6.2018**

NI2018 is the 14th International Congress on Nursing and Allied Health Informatics organized by International Medical Informatics Association Nursing Informatics SIG (IMIA-NI).

The theme of the conference is "Information and Communication Technology to Improve Quality at the Point of Care". Quality improvement is a crucial element in constantly changing environment where nursing care is provided with advanced technology. The Conference will cover use of information and communication technologies for nursing and all allied health care professionals.

**Read more** <http://ni2018.org/home.html>

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#### **ICIMTH, Ateena, Kreikka, 6-8 July, 2018**

The theme of the International Conference on Informatics, Management and Technology in Healthcare is "Data, Informatics, and Technology: an Inspiration for Improved Healthcare". The conference has a major focus on the applications of Biomedical Informatics from Clinical Informatics, Health Informatics to Public Health Informatics as well as on ICT applications in the Healthcare domain.

Management and Organisational Issues play an important role in the implementation phase of Biomedical Informatics applications.

**Read more** <http://www.icimth.com/>

#### **HIC 2018 Sydney, Australia 29.7-1.8.2018**

HISA Australia's digital health community invites you to be part of our 25th year anniversary celebration at our annual conference HIC 2018. With delegates from all over Australia gathering to share the latest digital health research, case studies, trends and technology advances, HIC is Australia's premier digital health, health informatics and e-health conference and expo.

HIC is the place for thought leadership: We bring together the latest innovations and research, practical case studies, and forward thinking towards a connected and joined-up health system.

HIC 2018 focuses on connecting the system, being smart with data, and enhancing the practitioner and consumer experience in healthcare interactions.

HIC 2018 provides the ideal professional and social environment for clinicians, researchers, health IT professionals, industry and consumers to integrate, educate and share their knowledge to drive innovative thinking, to enhance services and allow greater consumer involvement.

**Read more** <https://www.hisa.org.au/hic/about/>

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**WIS 2018 Turku, Suomi 27-29. 8. 2018. Well-being in the Information Society – Fighting Inequalities**

University of Turku and the Baltic Region Healthy Cities Association organize the seventh Well-Being in the Information Society conference.

Welcome to WIS 2018, which looks for innovations and fresh ideas in the cross-section of urban living, information society and health as understood in a wide sense. Starting in 2006, this is now the seventh conference in its series.

WIS 2018 seeks high-quality contributions based both on scientific research and practical experience. The conference is multidisciplinary in nature, gives room for qualitative and quantitative analysis, empirical surveys, case studies as well as for conceptual work; thereby making WIS 2018 a perfect forum for exchange of information and ideas.

Read more on WIS 2018 in [www.wis.fi](http://www.wis.fi)

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**International Conference on Global Telehealth GT2018 Colombo, Sri Lanka, 10.-11.10.2018**

GT2018 will be hosted by the Commonwealth Medical Association and the Health Informatics Society of Sri Lanka, supported by the Asia Pacific Association for Medical Informatics (APAMI), Asia eHealth Information Network (AeHIN) and IMIA Telehealth WG. The conference will be held in association with the other meetings of Digital Health Week. The joint event will consist of coordinated parallel and plenary presentation sessions, as well as poster and product display sessions. An associated vendor exhibition and a workshop / tutorial programme will be held in conjunction. The GT2018 track will be scheduled over two successive days to allow all authors to make oral presentations of their papers.

The Telehealth domain of interest covers a broad scope: from enabling direct clinical interventions and interactions by real-time or store-forward processes, to patient centred care needs such as personal monitoring and care team support, and to education, policy and

professional aspects. Telehealth contributes to the new challenges of healthcare sustainability, supporting development and delivery on a wide scale of innovative models of care for treatment of disease, patient health management, home-based care and self-care, preventive health and health promotion. Telehealth also acts as a major change driver in global health issues aided by the rapid uptake of leapfrog new technologies like mobile wireless communications, smart phones or tablet computers, website and internet-based online resources. Mainstream activities in healthcare systems internationally leverage Telehealth to address these areas, with overarching aspirations to improve access, efficiency, quality and safety. This conference provides a platform for sharing of related best practice and directions across the international community.

Read more <http://dhw2018.org/globaltelehealth/>

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**The EFMI 2018 Special Topic Conference, Zagreb, Croatia 14.-16.10.2018**

The theme of STC2018 is Decision Support Systems and Education –Help and Support in Healthcare.

Read more <https://www.efmistic2018.org>

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**AMIA 2018 Annual Symposium, San Francisco, USA, 3-7.11.2018**

The AMIA Annual Symposium brings together informatics professionals from diverse backgrounds committed to transforming health through informatics. It represents the scale of informatics expertise by showcasing basic, applied, and clinical interests.

Informatics is a vibrant field that is ever evolving. The AMIA 2018 Annual Symposium provides an opportunity to learn and to grow professionally, to network, and to engage with the foremost leaders in the field. It is here that you can flesh out ideas with colleagues and start new collaborations.

Read more <https://amia.org/amia2018>

**The EFMI 2019 Special Topic Conference, Hannover, Saksa 7.-10.4.2019**

The theme of the STC2019 is ICT for Health Science Research. The STC2019 is dedicated to recent research & development supporting data systems in biomedical and translational research, semantic interoperability of such systems, and analytics of data from multiple systems in application domains such as clinical trials or registries for drug and medical device developments, for diagnostics, and for interventions. It will focus on methods and tools including ICT for Health Science Research (but not limiting to).

Deadline for paper submission 15.8.2018.

**Read more** <https://stc2019.plri.de/>

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**MedInfo 2019 Lyon, France 26.–30.8.2019**

AIM (the French Association for Medical Informatics) is organizing Medinfo 2019. At each Medinfo conference, participants have the opportunity to share knowledge in an international context in order to improve health and the well-being of interconnected citizens everywhere in the world! So, come to discover, discuss, and share your opinion and experience about this year's topic: "Health and Wellbeing: E-Networks for all".

**Read more** <http://www.medinfo-lyon.org/en/>

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