

# Call for Participation: Pre-ICIS Workshop

## *MIS Quarterly* Special Issue on Complexity and Information Systems Research in the Emerging Digital World

**Date & Time:** Sunday, December 13, 2015, 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon  
**Location:** Fort Worth Ballroom A, Omni Fort Worth Hotel  
**Target audience:** Prospective authors interested in the MISQ Special Issue on Complexity

### Background

*MIS Quarterly* issued a call for papers for a Special Issue on Complexity and Information Systems Research in the Emerging Digital World (see the call at [www.misq.org](http://www.misq.org)). As announced in the call, the Special Issue guest editors and some members of the Special Issue Editorial Board organized a series of pre-submission events to meet with prospective authors and discuss their paper ideas and address their questions. This pre-ICIS workshop will be the third and the last pre-submission event. There is no charge for attending this event.

### Pre-ICIS Workshop

**Part I: Increase awareness of the special issue (8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.):** Guest editors will make a short presentation about the goals, expectations, and process of the special issue and address questions. This part of the workshop is open to all.

**Part II: Foster prospective authors' interactions with the special issue editorial board members (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.):** Authors who have formative paper ideas for the special issue but no working papers yet will have a chance to discuss their ideas with members of the editorial board and receive early feedback in an informal, unstructured networking type of session. This part of the workshop is open to all who would like to discuss their preliminary paper ideas with the special issue editorial board members.

**Part III: Developmental feedback on extended abstracts (10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon):** Authors who are already preparing papers for the special issue are presented with an opportunity to submit extended abstracts by November 15<sup>th</sup> and meet with an editorial board member at the pre-ICIS workshop to receive developmental feedback on their papers and suggestions for how best to prepare their paper for submission. This is not a requirement for submitting papers to the special issue. It is only for authors seeking to receive pre-submission feedback on their papers. This part of the workshop is open to authors who submit extended abstracts by November 15, 2015. Interested authors can submit their extended abstracts (no longer than 2 pages) to <https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=icis2015complexity>. We recommend authors read the Call for Papers for the Special Issue before preparing and submitting their extended abstracts.

If you have any questions about the special issue or the pre-ICIS workshop, please contact Youngjin Yoo at [Youngjin.yoo@temple.edu](mailto:Youngjin.yoo@temple.edu) and or Huseyin Tanriverdi at [Huseyin.Tanriverdi@mcombs.utexas.edu](mailto:Huseyin.Tanriverdi@mcombs.utexas.edu). We look forward to seeing you at the pre-ICIS workshop.