

NOKOBIT 2025 CALL FOR PAPERS

The Norwegian Conference for Organizations' Use of IT (NOKOBIT) conference, a longstanding annual event in the field of information science and information systems, has successfully convened for 32 consecutive years. In 2025, NOKOBIT takes centre stage as one of the four primary tracks at the prestigious 37th Norwegian ICT Conference for Research and Education, known as NIKT 2025, which will be held in the beautiful town of Halden, Norway.

NOKOBIT covers a broad range of topics related to the development, implementation and use of ICT in organisations, including sustainability and societal issues of ICT. The conference is a joint arena for researchers and practitioners to extend the knowledge in the area.

Important Dates

- Abstract: 10 September 2025 (recommended; used for bidding)
- Full paper submission: 17 September 2025
- Notification of acceptance: 17 October 2025
- Camera-ready paper: 31 October 2025
- Registration: 1 November 2025
- Conference dates: 24-26 November 2025

Please also check the main conference NIKT for other tracks:

<https://www.hiof.no/iio/itk/om/konferanser/NIKT2025/>

Topics

We invite submissions that cover multidisciplinary research and a broad range of theoretical and methodological approaches.

Possible topics include (but not limited to):

- AI technologies and applications
- Data visualisation
- Human-computer interaction
- Interaction design
- Augmented and Virtual Reality

- Mobile and wearable technologies
- Social Information Systems and Collaborative Technologies
- Big data
- Business modelling / Business process management / Business systems and architectures
- Cloud computing
- Software Startups
- System and Software development methods and practices including DevOps
- IT and crisis management / IT management and organisation / IT strategy / IT and sustainability
- Information and knowledge governance / Information infrastructures and platform ecosystems
- Enterprise architecture and enterprise modelling
- Digital innovation and business development / Digitalization and transformation of public services
- Innovation and entrepreneurship with Information System / Information System research methods / Information System service management

Assessment and publishing

Research papers will normally be assessed by three anonymous and independent peers. Papers can be anonymized but this is not required. Accepted papers will normally be published digitally in the NOKOBIT series (e-ISSN 1892-0721), currently published by the Bibsys Open Journal Systems. The accepted publications count at credit level 1 in the Norwegian Register for Scientific journals. Authors of accepted papers are also encouraged to share preprints of their work.

We require the following for publication in the conference report:

- Final version is submitted within the deadline and in the correct format
- At least one of the authors registers for the conference and presents the study. Authors of accepted papers will receive further instructions about paper presentations in due course.

A submitted manuscript can be refused by the programme committee without being sent for peer review. This applies if the manuscript has obvious deficiencies, making peer review meaningless (i.e., plagiarism, the work has been presented elsewhere, or no scientific content of a topic far out of the area of NOKOBIT). In cases of plagiarism or scientific dishonesty (i.e., plagiarism or auto-generated gibberish), the rejection and its reason will not only be covered to the submitter, but also, potentially, to the institution where (s)he is employed, and also to those being plagiarised.

Format and submission

NOKOBIT invites only one type of contribution this year:

- Full papers (up to 14 additional 2 pages for references): Full papers should describe novel and scientifically rigorous contributions.

All contributions can be written in a Scandinavian language or in English. All contributions have to be original and not published or under review elsewhere.

- Format: Springer LNCS (<https://www.springer.com/gp/computer-science/lncs/conference-proceedings-guidelines>)
- Submission in EasyChair: <https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=nikt2025> and select NOKOBIT track.

Generative AI: The use of AI systems to generate text for inclusion in a submission is only allowed if its role is properly documented in the manuscript (e.g., when reporting on experiments on such systems). The use of AI-powered systems to assist with the polishing of human-authored text is also permissible.

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Using AI software tools to edit and enhance the quality of your existing text—similar to how one might use a typing assistant like Grammarly for spelling, grammar, punctuation, clarity, or engagement, or a basic word processor for corrections—does not require disclosure of such tool usage in your Work.

Conference presentation

Accepted papers must be presented at the conference. The author must be prepared to present the paper in English if there are people in the audience who do not understand Scandinavian languages.

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