



TAKE 2026 Theory and Applications in the Knowledge Economy – Lisbon – July 2026

**Main Topic – Artificial Intelligence, Knowledge, Education and
Citizenship in the post-Covid 19 society**

Dear Colleagues!

We are very happy to announce that TAKE 2026 - The Multidisciplinary Conference on Intangibles will be held in presencial mode at Universidade Lusófona de Humanidades e Tecnologias (ULHT) in Lisbon, Portugal, from July 6th to July 10th 2026.



TAKE 2026 is the tenth edition of TAKE, following nine previous editions in Aveiro, Portugal (2016), Zagreb, Croatia (2017), Poznan, Poland (2018), Vienna Austria (2019) Online (2021) and Hybrid (2022) in Porto, Portugal, Hybrid in Sopot and Gdansk, Poland in 2023, in Lisbon, Portugal (2024) and in Sofia, Bulgaria (2025). Information about the previous events may be found under the Heading Organization - Previous Events.

TAKE Spirit – bridging between theory and practice.

TAKE is an international scientific conference devoted to the multidisciplinary study of the knowledge economy. In particular, it intends to analyze the relation and the gap between theories and practices in the knowledge economy of the 21st century.

As researchers, lecturers and practitioners, we know that theory evolves as long as practice demands. And we also know that answers for social problems require multidisciplinary efforts. Many times social scientists live in silos. We believe not only theory should meet practice but also scientist with different perspectives should meet.

Therefore, we bring together researchers, practitioners, and industry experts to discuss, advance, and shape the future of the knowledge economy.

TAKE 2025 has 25 streams waiting for your input.

Following the experience of previous TAKE conferences, we will put together experts from different fields such as Human Resource Development, Human Resource Management, Intellectual Capital, Knowledge Management, Logistics, Retail, Public Policy, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Business Models, SMEs, Competitiveness and Accounting. We have 25 streams waiting for your contribution and managed by joyful and extremely competent stream leaders from all over the world. This diversity and wideness transforms TAKE into an unique scientific forum. The closeness and friendship between participants is another element that turns TAKE conferences into unforgettable events.



Take 2026 – Artificial Intelligence, Knowledge, Education and Citizenship in the Pos-Covid-19 society.

During TAKE2025 participants felt that, on one hand, the times are dominated by the constant presence of AI, which has decisive impact on knowledge and education. Also, and in the other hand AI creates big challenges for the way we all are supposed to act as citizens. Therefore, in this conference we aim at addressing this very complex, and yet very crucial question – how do Artificial Intelligence, Knowledge, Education and Citizenship relate, in the Pos-Covid-19 society. Therefore for TAKE 2026 we invite you to submit abstracts and papers on the 25 streams that compose the conference having this focus has a aim. Other contributions that fit the streams are also welcome

IMPORTANT DATES

Submission of Abstracts: January 31st 2026

<https://easychair.org/conferences?conf=take2026>

<https://take-conference2026.com/templates/>

Decision of Abstracts: February 15th 2026

Early Bird Registration closes: May 31st 2026

Normal Registration closes: June 20th

Conference Days – July 7th – 9th 2026

Submission of Papers - September 15th

<https://take-conference2026.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/springerguidelines.pdf>

Streams

The variety of streams reflects the diversity of people and scientific areas. The TAKE conference covers a broad range of topics related to the knowledge economy. To address this diversity, 26 conference streams frame specific research themes for paper submissions. Those streams will be managed by stream leaders. :

- **Accounting Systems and Auditing**
- **Art and Knowledge Management**
- **Business Model Innovation for Industry 4.0**
- **Challenges and Opportunities for Crafts and Trade in the Knowledge Economy**
- **Competitiveness, Globalization and the Organizations**
- **Consumer Satisfaction and Retail**
- **Doctoral Workshop**
- **Education and Human Resource Development**
- **Ethics**
- **Financing R&D and Innovation – New Tools and Approaches**
- **Gig Economy, Solo-Self-employment and Freelancers in the Knowledge Economy**
- **Human Resource Management**
- **Inclusivity and Injustice**
- **Intellectual Capital and Assets Dynamics**
- **Knowledge Management**
- **Knowledge Management in Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs)**
- **Managing Personal Intellectual Capital for Professional Excellence in the Knowledge Economy**
- **Nation Development**
- **New skills and knowledge adapted to the digital world: a major challenge.**
- **Practitioners Stream**
- **Public Policies**
- **Soft Skills Empowerment: Closing a Gap in the Knowledge Economy Agenda**
- **Supply Chain Management**
- **Sustainable entrepreneurship in an increasingly digitalized world**
- **Sustainable work: how to address the challenges of emerging models of digital and hybrid work**
- **Teaching and Learning in the Knowledge Economy**

Information on the content and stream leaders is on the conference website.

www.take-conference2025.com

Publishing Opportunities Before the Conference

All abstracts will be included in the Book of Abstracts.

After the Conference

Proceedings will be published by Springer and indexed in SCOPUS Business and Economics series

The following academic journals support TAKE and may consider adapted conference papers for publication. Selected papers need to be extended and adapted according to the journal's requirements:

International Journal of Knowledge-Based Development

European Journal of Training and Development

Management Dynamics in the Knowledge Economy

and others – please refer to the conference website.

Registration Fees

Authors:	400 EUR
Non-presenting participants:	500 EUR
Students as authors:	300 EUR

Earlybird discount: 50 EUR for registration before May 31st 2026

One author per paper must be registered for the conference.

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