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## Nominated

## Best Research Paper

### ID #79

Bruno Andrade de Figueiredo and Manuela Cortez da Cunha Cruz

*How can E-Government respond to the Digital Divide? Two Case Studies from Brazil*

### ID #81

Nina Rizun, Noella Edelman, Tomasz Janowski and Aleksandra Revina

*Key dimensions of co-creation for evidence-based policy and the use of AI*

**ID #160**

Lesedi Senamele Matlala

*Factors Influencing the Potential Adoption of Social Media for Citizen-Based Monitoring in South Africa***Best Management/Policy Paper****ID #6**

Luísa Paseto, Marcia Regina Martins Martinez Corso and Andre Carlos Ponce de Leon Ferreira de Carvalho


*Opportunities and Challenges for Management and Governance in Smart Cities in Brazil***ID #203**

Hugo Medeiros, André Leite, Diogo Bezerra, Carlos Amorim Filho, Rafael Zimmerle and Felipe Ferreira

*Government Data Science Teams: A Framework for Implementing Strategic Monitoring Solutions*

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June 09 Monday					
Building 50 – Business School – 11th Floor			Building 32 – Polytechnic School – 5th Floor		
	Room 1115	Room 1116	–	Room 515	Room 517
08:00-08:30	Ph.D. Colloquium	Ph.D. Colloquium	–	Workshop 2 – 144 – Indigenous worldviews and Digital Humanism: implications for inclusive e-Governance.	Workshop 1 – 176 – Data, Algorithms and Automation in Social Protection: A Data Justice Perspective on the Single Registry
08:30-09:00					
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10:00-10:30	Coffee Break – Room 1113		Coffee Break – Espaço 32 – mezzanine (1st floor)		

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10:30-11:00	Ph.D. Colloqium	Ph.D. Colloqium	–	Workshop 2 – 144 – Indigenous worldviews and Digital Humanism: implications for inclusive e-Governance.	Workshop 1 – 176 – Data, Algorithms and Automation in Social Protection: A Data Justice Perspective on the Single Registry
11:00-11:30					
11:30-12:00					
12:00-12:30	Lunch/Integration Time – Building 32		Lunch/Integration Time – Building 32		
12:30-13:00					
13:00-13:30					
	Room 1115	Room 1116	Room 508	Room 516	Room 517

<b>June 09 Monday</b>					
13:30-14:00	Ph.D. Colloquium	Ph.D. Colloquium	Workshop 3 – 175 – Digital Government Measurement for Research and Public Policies	Workshop 4 – 192 – Building Capacity for Smart Cities and Urban Resilience through Digital Transformation	Workshop 5 – 168 – The Potential of Blockchain Technology for Collaboration among Countries
14:00-14:30					
14:30-15:00					
15:00-15:30	Coffee Break – Room 1113		Coffee Break – Espaço 32 – mezzanine (1st floor)		
15:30-16:00	Ph.D. Colloquium	Ph.D. Colloquium	Workshop 3 – 175 – Digital Government Measurement for Research and Public Policies	Workshop 4 – 192 – Building Capacity for Smart Cities and Urban Resilience through Digital Transformation	Workshop 5 – 168 – The Potential of Blockchain Technology for Collaboration among Countries
16:00-16:30					
16:30-17:00					
17:00-17:30	Visiting the Science and Technology Museum (Building 40)				

	<b>June 09 Monday</b>
17:30-18:00	Welcome Reception (Building 40 – Museum)
18:00-18:30	
18:30-19:00	
19:00-19:30	

	<b>June 10 Tuesday – Events Center – Building 40</b>
	<b>Plenary session – Theatre</b>
08:00-08:30	Registration
08:30-09:00	Opening Ceremony
09:00-09:30	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; margin: 0 auto; width: 80%;"> <p><b>Keynote speaker – Luanna Sant’Anna Roncaratti:</b>  <i><b>Digital Government: our path and next steps.</b></i></p> </div>
09:30-10:00	<p>Moderated by Prof. Dr. Yu-Che Chenm, University of Nebraska at Omaha, United States of America, and President-Elect of the Digital Government Society</p>

<b>June 10 Tuesday – Events Center – Building 40</b>							
10:00-10:30	Coffee break – Theatre Foyer						
	<b>Building 40 – 6th floor</b>						
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10:30-11:00	Paper Session 1 – Track 1: Application of AI 1/3 (4)	Paper Session 2 – Track 4: Evidence-Based Policy and Public Value (4)	Paper Session 3 – Track 20: Sustainable and Ethical Public Service Co- Creation (3)	Paper Session 4 – Track 21: Sustainable Public and Open Data Ecosystems (4)	Paper Session 5 – Track 23: Dialogues about Latin America 1/3 (3)	Paper Session 6 – Track 15: Legal Informatics, Track 7: Digital Government Cybersecurity Management (4)	Panel 1 – 202 Responsible Application of Artificial Intelligence in the Public Sector: Governance and Mitigation of Inequalities
11:00-11:30							
11:30-12:00							
12:00-12:30							
12:30-13:00	Lunch and integration time Restaurant: Panorama Gastronômico – Building 41 – 4th floor						
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13:30-14:00							
	<b>Theatre</b>						

June 10 Tuesday – Events Center – Building 40							
14:00-14:30	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px;"> <p><b>Keynote speaker – Jose Inostroza: <i>Chilean Progress in Public Digital Transformation and Governance Challenges</i></b></p> </div>						
14:30-15:00	Moderated by Prof. Dr. Jing Zhang – Clark University, United States of America, and President of the Digital Government Society						
15:00-15:30	Group Photo – Building 41 stairs						
15:30-14:00	Poster presentation and Coffee break – Theatre Foyer						
16:00-16:30							
<b>Building 40 – 6th floor</b>							
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16:30-17:00	Paper Session 7 – Track 1: Application of AI 2/3 (5)	Paper Session 8 – Track 14: Increasing Citizen Engagement (5)	Paper Session 9 – Track 18: Smart Cities for Social Cohesion 1/2 (3)	Paper Session 10 – Track 24: Digital Government Ecosystem Cases 1/3 (4)	Paper Session 11 – Track 16: Organizational Factors 1/3 (4)	Paper Session 12 – Track 2: AI transforming the Public Sector 1/2 (4)	<del>Panel 2 – 232 Governance in the Age of AI: Towards a New Paradigm of Human-AI Collaborative Governance</del> CANCELED
17:00-17:30							
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The Track Chairs meeting will take place on **Tuesday, 10 June**, from **19:00 to 19:30**, in room **606**.

<b>June 11 Wednesday – Events Center – Building 40</b>							
<b>Plenary session – Theatre</b>							
08:00-08:30	Registration						
08:30-09:00	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>Keynote speaker – Tomás Pinheiro Fiori : <i>Use of digital technologies in crisis management and public policy formulation: government response to the most devastating tragedy in the history of Rio Grande do Sul</i></b></p> </div>						
09:00-09:30							
Moderated by <b>Ciro Pitangueira de Avelino</b> , Advisor, Ministry of Management and Innovation in Public Services, Brazil							
09:30-10:00	Coffee break – Theatre Foyer						
<b>Building 40 – 6th floor</b>							
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June 11 Wednesday – Events Center – Building 40							
10:00-10:30	Paper Session 13 – Track 6: Digital Government & SDG Track 9: Digital Platform Government & C.PV (3)	Paper Session 14 – Track 19: Social Media and Government (5)	Paper Session 15 – Track 10: Digital Transformation in subnational government (1/3) (3)	Paper Session 16 – Track 13: GovTech and Digital Autonomy (4)	Paper Session 17 – Track 23: Dialogues about Latin America 2/3 (4)	Paper Session 18 – Track 2: AI transforming the Public Sector 2/2 (3)	Panel 3 – 132 Advancing AI Adoption in the Public Sector: Toward Hybrid Intelligence with Stakeholder Perspectives
10:30-11:00							
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11:30-12:00							
12:00-12:30		Paper Session 20 – Track 1: Application of AI 3/3 (3)	Paper Session 21 – Track 10: Digital Transformation in subn.gov. (2/3) (3)	GIQ Editorial Board Meeting	Paper Session 22 – Track 24: Digital Government Ecosystem Cases 2/3 (2)	Paper Session 23 – Track 11: GenAI in Government 1/2 (2)	Panel 4 – 281 Digital Government in Practice: The Solutions of the State of Rio Grande do Sul
12:30-13:00							
13:00-13:30	Lunch and integration time Restaurant: Panorama Gastronômico – Building 41 – 4th floor						
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	<b>June 11 Wednesday – Events Center – Building 40</b>						
	<b>Plenary session – Theatre</b>						
14:30-15:00	<p><b>Government and Academia Panel: Digital Government Achievements and Challenges for Reducing Inequalities</b></p> <p><b>Guilherme Alberto Almeida de Almeida</b> <i>Program Director at the Secretariat for State Transformation – Ministry of Management and Innovation in Public Services</i></p> <p><b>Fábio José Novaes de Senne</b> <i>Research Coordinator, Regional Center for Studies on the Development of the Information Society (Cetic.br)</i></p>						
15:00-15:30	<p><b>Elsa Estevez</b> <i>Adjunct Professor at Universidad Nacional del Sur, Argentina</i></p> <p><b>Gianluca Carlo Misuraca</b> <i>Polytechnic University of Milan, Italy</i></p>						
15:30-16:00	<p>Moderated by Tomasz Janowski, Gdańsk University of Technology, Poland and University for Continuing Education Krems, Austria</p>						
16:00-16:30	Coffee break – Theatre Foyer						
	<b>Building 40 – 6th floor</b>						
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June 11 Wednesday – Events Center – Building 40							
16:30-17:00	Paper Session 24 – Track 8: Digital Government for Stronger Society 2/2 (4)	Paper Session 25 – Track 11: GenAI in Government 2/2 (3)	Paper Session 26 – Track 17: Re-imagining flexible work (3)	Paper Session 27 – Track 18: Smart Cities for Social Cohesion 2/2 (3)	Paper Session 28 – Track 24: Digital Government Ecosystem Cases 3/3 (4)	Paper Session 29 – Track 16: Organizational Factors 2/3 (2)	Panel 5 131 – Digital government and meaningful connectivity: Opportunities and challenges for theory and practice
17:00-17:30							
17:30-18:00							
18:00-18:30	Moving to Veleiros do Sul Club (Bus Charter – Leaving from PUCRS)						
18:30-19:00	Award Dinner – Veleiros do Sul Club ( 2941 Guaíba Avenue, Vila Assunção Neighborhood)*						
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	<b>June 11 Wednesday – Events Center – Building 40</b>
22:00-22:30	Bus Charter to Hotels
22:30-23:00	

\*For taxi or Uber: Drivers rarely speak English. Use the following: Clube Veleiros do Sul, Av. Guaíba, 2941 – Bairro Vila Assunção.

	<b>June 12 Thursday – Events Center – Building 40</b>						
	<b>Plenary session – Theatre</b>						
08:00-08:30	Registration						
08:30-09:00							
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<b>June 12 Thursday – Events Center – Building 40</b>							
09:00-09:30	Paper Session 30 – Track 10: Digital Transformation in subnational government (3/3) (4)	Paper Session 31 – Track 16: Organizational Factors 2/2 (4)	Paper Session 32 – Track 23: Dialogues about Latin America 3/3 (3)	Paper Session 33 – Track 22: Digital Government: Bachelor and Master Student Track (4)	Paper Session 34 – Track 5: Digital Democracy & AI (3)	Panel 6 280 – Beyond the Bureaucracy: Modeling Scenarios of Non-Mediated Governance with Liquid Democracy	DGS board meeting
09:30-10:00							
10:00-10:30							
10:30-11:00							
11:00-11:30	Coffee break						
<b>Plenary session – Theatre</b>							
11:30-12:00	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; margin: 0 auto; width: 80%;"> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Keynote speaker – Eduardo Henrique Diniz: <i>Brazil – Data, territories and public policies</i></b></p> </div>						
12:00-12:30	Moderated by Prof. Dr. Maria Alexandra Viegas Cortez da Cunha, Fundação Getulio Vargas, Brazil						
12:30-13:00	DGS Membership meeting, closing ceremony, and Welcome to the USA 2026						
13:00-13:30							

	<b>June 12 Thursday – Events Center – Building 40</b>
13:30-14:00	Lunch and integration time
14:00-14:30	Restaurant: Panorama Gastronômico – Building 41 – 4th floor

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Workshops, Proponents, and Abstracts (<https://dgsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/dg.o-2025-Workshops-workshop-proponents-and-abstract.pdf>)

Panels, Abstracts, and Panelists Information ([https://dgsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/06/dgo-2025-Panels-panels-abstract-and-panelists\\_new.pdf](https://dgsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/06/dgo-2025-Panels-panels-abstract-and-panelists_new.pdf))

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Travel Guide (<https://dgsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/Welcome-to-Porto-Alegre-dg.o-2025-Travel-Guide.pdf>)

Instructions for attendees (<https://dgsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/Instructions-for-attendees-1.pdf>)



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WhatsApp group to receive last-minute messages.

Instructions for presenters (<https://dgsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/Instructions-for-paper-sessions-panels-and-workshops-presentations-1-1.pdf>)

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