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**Special Session on Computational Media, Digital Communication, and Information  
Ethics  
Call for Papers**

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**Brief introduction of the special session**

The rapid development of computational media, digital communication technologies, and data-driven platforms has profoundly reshaped the ways information is produced, circulated, interpreted, and governed. From artificial intelligence, algorithmic recommendation systems, and generative media to social platforms, immersive environments, and automated communication infrastructures, contemporary media systems are increasingly characterized by computational processes that influence public discourse, cultural production, institutional practices, and everyday social interaction.

This special session, “**Computational Media, Digital Communication, and Information Ethics,**” invites scholarly discussions on the evolving relationship between media technologies, communication practices, and ethical challenges in the digital age. It aims to explore how computational systems transform communication environments, how users and institutions adapt to these transformations, and how issues such as transparency, accountability, privacy, bias, misinformation, platform governance, and digital rights can be critically examined.

We welcome theoretical, empirical, methodological, and practice-oriented contributions that address the social, cultural, political, and ethical implications of computational media and digital communication. The session seeks to bring together researchers from communication studies, media studies, information science, digital humanities, sociology, cultural studies, design, and related fields to foster interdisciplinary dialogue on the opportunities and risks emerging from increasingly intelligent and automated media environments.

**Topics of interest include but are not limited to the following:**

1. Journalism, media technology, and computational communication trends.
2. Social media, digital platforms, and networked communication.
3. AI applications in media, communication, and content production.
4. Documentary film, digital storytelling, and data-driven audiovisual production.
5. Advertising, marketing, public relations, and algorithmic strategic communication.
6. Communication, digital literacy, and technology-enhanced education.
7. Information ethics, data privacy, algorithmic bias, and accountability.
8. Misinformation, disinformation, platform governance, and online information ethics.
9. Human–AI communication, generative media, and automated communication systems.
10. Digital inclusion, media accessibility, and ethical technology design.

**Submissions:**

Papers should follow the template announced on the SSIM 2026 conference website: <https://ssim2026.github.io/>, and be submitted via the **Microsoft CMT** system and then select

**SUBJECT AREAS: Track 5: Computational Media, Digital Communication, and Information Ethics** for submission.

### **Conference Proceeding Information:**

Papers that are presented orally at the conference and meet the publication requirements of SSIM 2026 conference proceedings will be considered for publication in Springer conference proceedings. The primary publication plan is within Springer's Humanities and Social Sciences-related conference proceedings series. Depending on the thematic focus of accepted papers and the final publication arrangement, selected papers may also be included in a Springer Information and Computer Science / Intelligent Systems-related proceedings series, similar to the publication model adopted by SSIM 2025.

All publication arrangements are subject to Springer's final review and approval processes. Accepted papers must satisfy the academic quality standards and formatting requirements specified by both SSIM 2026 and the designated Springer publication series.

Conference proceedings published by Springer are typically submitted for indexing in major academic databases, which may include Scopus, depending on the specific series and indexing policies at the time of publication.

**Important Dates:** (If SSIM extends the dates, follow those dates announced on the website)

- Abstract Submission Deadline: **September 10, 2026**
- Notification of Abstract Acceptance: **September 25, 2026**
- Full Paper Submission Deadline: **November 05, 2026**
- Notification of Full Paper Acceptance: **November 30, 2026**
- Camera-Ready Paper Deadline: **December 10, 2026**
- Conference Dates: **December 17-19, 2026**

### **For more information:**

Please visit the SSIM 2026 official website <https://ssim2026.github.io/> or contact the organizers of this special session as follows:

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