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Special track

CoPar: The Continuum Paradigm

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Although the foundation of the Continuum Paradigm was laid in the 1990s by among others Prof. Dr. Vasarhelyi, (Vasarhelyi, M.A. and Halper, F. 1991. The Continuous Audit of Online Systems. Auditing: A Journal of Practice and Theory, 10 (1) 110-125), scholars and practitioners are still working together to understand how this paradigm works and how it should be implemented.

The Continuum Paradigm includes concepts such as: Continuous Reporting, Continuous Monitoring, Continuous Auditing and, Continuous Assurance. To realize each of the Continuum Paradigm concepts, audit technology plays a crucial role. Examples of different technologies that are currently applied in practices and are further explored in research are: blockchain, supervised machine learning and, unsupervised machine learning. For an adequate alignment between the audit objectives and the audit technology two barriers need to be bridged. First it is essential, that auditors learn to ask the right questions and are to match these questions to (audit) technologies. Second it is essential that audit technologies and audit concepts are developed that support the four continuous concepts.

Topics include, but not limited to

- Continuous Monitoring
- Continuous Auditing
- Continuous Assurance
- Continuous Reporting
- Combined Assurance
- Audit Technology and Audit Quality-
- Audit Technology: data-analytics, algorithms
- Continuous Fraud Assessment
- Continuous Going-concern Assessment

- Traditional Auditing vs Continuous Auditing
- Algorithms for Auditing
- Outlier Detection

Contribution Types

- Regular papers [in the proceedings, digital library]
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Important Datelines

Inform the Chair or Coordinator: As soon as you decide to contribute

Submission: June 14, 2021

Notification: June 26, 2021

Registration: July 2, 2021

Camera ready: July 3, 2021

Note: The submission deadline is somewhat flexible, providing arrangements are made ahead of time with the chair.

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