8th International Workshop on Privacy and Anonymity in the Information Society (PAIS’15)
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Call for Papers
The PAIS’15 Workshop will provide an open yet focused platform for researchers and practitioners from computer science and other fields that are interacting with computer science in the privacy area such as statistics, healthcare informatics, and law to discuss and present current research challenges and advances in data privacy and anonymity research.

Important Dates
Paper submission: Sunday, December 14, 2014
Notification to authors: Thursday, January 15, 2015
Camera-ready copy due: Sunday, January 25, 2015
Workshop date: Friday, March 27, 2015

Topics of Interest
Attacks against De-identified Data
Disclosure Control Techniques
Emerging Privacy Threats
Genetic Privacy
Integration of Security and Privacy
Privacy and Security in Big Data
Privacy and Security for Healthcare Data
Privacy and Security on the Web
Privacy in Spatio-Temporal Databases
Privacy Implications for National Security
Privacy Models
Privacy Technologies
Query Execution over Sensitive Data
Statistical Disclosure Control

Data Anonymity
Disclosure Risk / Information Loss Assessment
Financial Privacy
Implementing Privacy Regulations
Location Anonymity Techniques
Privacy and Security in Cloud Computing
Privacy and Security in Social Networks
Privacy and Security in GIS
Privacy in Statistical Databases
Privacy Implications of Biometric Technology
Privacy Preserving Data Mining
Private Information Retrieval
Real-life Privacy Solutions
Wireless Privacy

Submission of Papers
We welcome original research papers that present novel research ideas, position papers that discuss new technology trends and provide new insights into this area, integrative papers that present interdisciplinary research in the privacy area, as well as industry papers that share practical experiences.

Submitted papers must be unpublished and not exceed 8 pages following ACM guidelines (http://www.acm.org/sigs/publications/proceedings-templates). Papers may be accepted for full presentation at the workshop and publication as regular papers (8 pages), or for a short/poster presentation and publication as short papers (4 pages).

Authors shall submit their papers electronically via EasyChair (https://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=pais2015) before the due date in PDF format. All accepted papers will be published in the online workshop proceedings. The proceedings of all EDBT workshops will also be published at CEUR-WS.org.

Following the PAIS 2015 workshop, the authors of selected workshop papers will be invited to submit extended versions of their papers for publication in the Transactions on Data Privacy Journal (http://www.tdp.cat/).

Travel Grants
The UNESCO Chair in Data Privacy is offering travel support to participants coming from "transition countries", which are nations other such as USA, Canada, Western Europe, New Zealand, Australia, Japan, South Korea, etc. Each travel grant will be up to 500 Euro. For application details please consult the PAIS website (http://www.mathcs.emory.edu/pais15/).