







# TRACK 12: Visions for Future Crisis Management

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#### **INTRODUCTION TO THE TRACK**

To address the role of information systems in unprecedented crises, this track aims to address the two fundamental challenges that emerge in the crisis management lifecycle: learn from past emergencies and disasters by applying state-of-the-art theories and methods; help communities prepare for future, unprecedented crises that test their capacities, adaptability, and resilience.

Consequently, researchers must put forward new visions for the role of information systems in crisis management that both account for the past and open perspectives on possible futures.

To inspire new questions and approaches, the Visions for Future Crisis Management track aims to (1) introduce new ideas that fall outside or extend beyond research presented in current ISCRAM conference tracks and (2) promote discussion by organizing roundtable discussions of short, work-in-progress papers rather than typical panel sessions of completed research papers.

#### **TRACK TOPICS**

The Visions for Future Crisis Management track seeks:

- Work-in-progress (WiP) papers. The track does not accept completed research (CoRe) papers.









- Ideas that challenge the ISCRAM community to consider new directions in crisis management research.
- Big ideas that fall outside or extend beyond research presented in current ISCRAM conference tracks.

The Visions track does not seek papers by topic and, instead, encourages provocative work that extends beyond topics presented in existing ISCRAM conference tracks. Vision papers will be accepted that:

- Identify over-the-horizon problems.
- Propose unconventional theories.
- Outline emerging application domains.
- Introduce unique methodologies.

Furthermore, papers drawing connections between ISCRAM and other academic and professional fields traditionally underrepresented at ISCRAM conferences are especially welcome.

Visions track papers will be presented in interactive, roundtable sessions that will involve fewer papers to allow for extend, moderator-facilitated discussions among the authors and audience to flush out, individually and together, the open-ended and provocative ideas introduced in the papers.









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