

INDUSTRIAL LIFE CYCLE MANAGEMENT

Innovation through Life Cycle Thinking

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The 8th SMI Congress is dedicated to the topic of Innovation through Life Cycle Thinking. The focus is on the continuing need and opportunities to seek synergies between industrial systems and the environment. Many actors from business and science are required to notice these challenges and opportunities and to find innovative solutions that enable the successful combination of ecological and economic efficiency and effectiveness.

The aim of the SMI Congress is the exchange of knowledge between science and industry. With this event, the Chair of Economic and Business Management at the University of Leoben offers a broad discussion platform for current topics in field of industrial sustainability and future-oriented solutions from research and practice.

We invite you to our **CALL-FOR-PAPERS!**

Topics include the following areas:

Life Cycle Management and Innovations

- Trends in life cycle management
- Life cycle planning and management
- Life cycle approach for innovation, technology and product development
- Innovative business models
- Sustainable innovation through new technologies and materials
- Life cycle perspective in environmental management systems

Concepts, methods and tools for assessing life cycle management

- Life cycle assessment
- Life cycle costing
- Life cycle design
- Material flow accounting
- Development and application of sustainability tools for the industry

Sustainable Production – Efficiency and Effectiveness

- Industry 4.0 for increasing energy, material & resource efficiency
- Energy and resource management
- Sustainability assessment and performance measurement
- Sustainable supply chain management

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Submissions

We ask you to send us the title of your conference paper, a short summary (about 150 words) and your contact address. The abstract should give an overview of content, methodology and results. Submissions will be evaluated according to their relevance to the conference topics. Please send your submissions to nachhaltig@unileoben.ac.at.

Publication of the papers in the conference proceedings

Your conference papers (8-12 pages) will be published in a conference proceedings. After accepting your submission, we will send you the appropriate style sheet.

Key dates

30 Nov 2018	Abstracts Submission
14 Dec 2018	Notification of Acceptance
15 Feb 2019	Full Paper Submission
03 Apr 2019	Conference date, publication of the conference proceedings

Terms of participation for speakers

The conference participation including conference proceedings is free of charge for speakers. However, we ask for your understanding that we cannot accept any travel or accommodation costs.

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