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ICEGOV stands for International Conference on Theory and Practice of Electronic Governance. Established in 2007, the conference runs annually and is coordinated by the United Nations University Operating Unit on Policy-Driven Electronic Governance (**UNU-EGOV**).

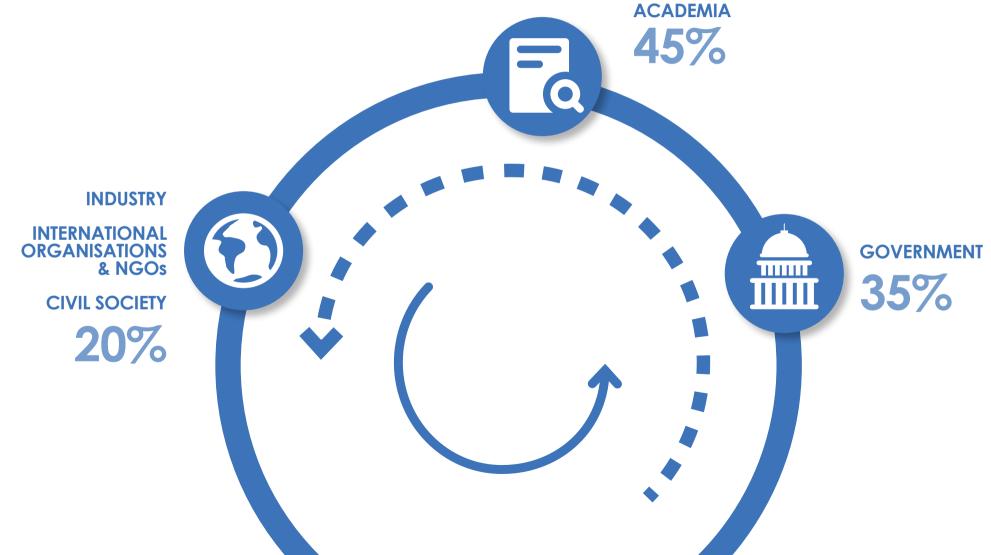
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COORDINATION



A MULTI-STAKEHOLDER CONFERENCE

ICEGOV has established itself over the years as a major conference in the domain of Electronic Governance (EGOV) due to its unique combination of academics and practitioners. The conference promotes the interaction and cooperation between universities, research centres, governments, industry, and international organizations, all of which are essential to the development of EGOV and its community.



HOST COUNTRIES

ICEGOV took place for the first time in 2007, in Macau. It marked the beginning of a journey that has led the conference and its participants to 13 different cities spread over 12 countries and 6 continents. In 2020, the conference was fully online in real time.

In all its editions, **ICEGOV** addressed pertinent subjects for academics, practitioners, and decision-makers in the EGOV domain.



THESE ARE OUR GOALS

ICEGOV creates a unique link between the worlds of research and policy, often kept apart. As both are essential for the proper development and application of EGOV, it is a goal of the conference to bridge these two worlds.

ICEGOV has also established itself as a conference attended by all stakeholders of technology-enabled transformation in government. As a research and practice conference, **ICEGOV** features a healthy balance of researchers and practitioners, therefore reaching all spheres of the EGOV community.

A truly global conference, **ICEGOV** brings to each host country a state-of-the-art programme and exhibits a strong UN character by heavily contributing towards the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals, which includes a sustained approach to gender balance and equal opportunities for people from developing countries through the UNU-EGOV Scholarships Programme.

















PUBLICATIONS

A total of **14** proceedings volumes have been published by the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) as a direct result of paper submissions to the conference. These volumes comprise **1298** papers covering a vast majority of topics, regions, and people of the world, and represent over **7300** pages of research written by over **1950** different authors originating from **94** countries.

Additionally, the conference has published a *Special Collection of e-Government Innovations in India* (2017, ACM, 22 papers), three special issues of *Government Information Quarterly* with selected best papers (Elsevier), and further 9 other publications, including reports and briefs.

The papers are indexed by Scopus, Web of Science, and DBLP – Computer Science Bibliography, among others. The current acceptance rate is **41%**, while the average number of papers submitted is **184**.





A GLOBAL CONFERENCE

Over the past 15 years, **ICEGOV** has become a significant and structured source of rich research, policy insight, and networking, reaching global audiences of more than **6900** participants from **109** countries.

The conference promotes knowledge sharing through the presentation and publication of academic papers, keynote lectures, plenaries, workshops, networking events, and other sessions. It is a platform where people from all spheres of the community work together towards advancing public policy and development, and strengthen international cooperation. Additionally, **ICEGOV** links the worlds of research and policy by promoting the interaction and cooperation between universities, research centres, governments, industry, international organisations, and the United Nations system.













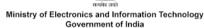




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	Silver	Gold	Platinum
Distinguished role for a high-level representative of the partner government in a plenary session of the conference (e.g. panelist or speaker)	×	×	×
Roundtable Session: participation of a representative from the partner government as speaker		×	×
Roundtable Session: co-organisation of a session by the partner government			×
Best Paper Awards sponsoring (4 categories)			×
5 complimentary registrations for participants nominated by the partner government	×		
10 complimentary registrations for participants nominated by the partner government		×	
15 complimentary registrations for participants nominated by the partner government			×
Stand in the conference exhibition area to promote EGOV national initiatives			×
Logo included in the proceedings cover and the partners' page of the website			×
Logo included in digital dissemination materials and platforms (inc. social media)			×
Provision of 5 Scholarships*	×		
Provision of 10 Scholarships*		×	
Provision of 15 Scholarships*			×
Amount per ICEGOV edition (EUR)	3,000	6,000	10,000

*as part of the **UNU-EGOV**Scholarship Programme,
aimed at authors of
developing countries.
The Scholarship covers
the registration fee and
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accomodation/travel
costs. The scholarship will be
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ABOUT THE ICEGOV COORDINATOR

UNU-EGOV, part of the United Nations University and headquartered in the city of Guimarães, north of Portugal, is a think tank dedicated to Electronic Governance; a core centre of research, advisory services and training; a bridge between research and public policies; an innovation enhancer; a solid partner within the UN system and its Member States with a particular focus on sustainable development, social inclusion, and active citizenship.

UNU-EGOV strives to cement its role as an international reference of excellence in this area, bringing together multidisciplinary and multicultural teams around complex problems and emerging challenges.

ABOUT THE ORGANISER



Universidade do Minho

Founded in 1973, the **University of Minho** welcomed its first students in the academic year of 1975/76. At present, the University is renowned for its competence and quality of teaching staff, excellence in scientific research, wide range of undergraduate and graduate courses offered and for its high level of interaction with other institutions. For these reasons, UMinho has a central role in the region and is an important reference for the country and a recognised partner in the European and global scene. Located in the north of Portugal, the University has a campus in Braga and two others in Guimarães, Azurém Campus and Couros Campus.

The University's organisational structure is flexible and conducive to innovation and interdisciplinary research on emerging topics. The teaching and research courses and the Schools and the Institutes are the basic structure of the University: Schools of Architecture, Sciences, Health Sciences, Law, Economics and Management, Engineering, Psychology, Nursing, and the Institutes of Social Sciences, Education and Arts and Human Sciences. The courses and research projects have a strong international reputation. UMinho is a targeted research university, committed to the value chain of knowledge, in other words: Research, Development and Innovation. It also points to the socio-economic environment, with many successful partnerships in research, cultural and socio-economic development projects.



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