

# IFIP Insights

News from IFIP members, Technical Committees and the ICT sector around the world

## IFIP TC11 Brings the Global Cybersecurity Community to Perth



IFIP Technical Committee 11 (Security and Privacy Protection in Information Processing Systems) brought together researchers, educators and practitioners from around the world in Perth, Australia, from 8–11 June for its annual meeting, the International Conference on ICT Systems Security and Privacy Protection (SEC 2026), and the World Conference on Information Security Education (WISE 2026). Hosted [...]

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## BCS to Lead UK Government Consortium to Build Trust in AI



The UK Government has launched a new expert consortium to strengthen trust in AI and help the UK seize the economic opportunities of responsible AI adoption. The AI Assurance Stakeholder Consortium, convened by the Department for Science, Innovation and Technology and led by BCS, The Chartered Institute for IT, will bring together leading voices from across the UK's [...]

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**IFIP General Secretary Presents at IFIP Networking 2026**



At the IFIP Networking 2026 Conference, held in Lugano, Switzerland, both established and early-career researchers had the opportunity to hear from Anatolii Marushchak, General Secretary of IFIP, about the organisation that has helped represent the global professional ICT community for more than six decades. The presentation was delivered during the 25th edition of the Networking [...]

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**UK Mirrors Australia on Social Media Ban**



The United Kingdom has followed in Australia's footsteps and will ban under 16s from accessing the world's largest social media platforms. UK Prime Minister Keir Starmer this month announced the social media age ban, saying it was a "big moment for our country" and something that would be difficult but necessary. The Australian government became [...]

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**ACM News**



Erdal Arikan Receives Kanellakis Award Erdal Arikan, Professor, Bilkent University, receives the ACM Paris Kanellakis Theory and Practice Award for the discovery of channel polarization and the construction of polar codes – the first explicit, capacity-achieving codes with efficient encoding and decoding adopted in global wireless standards. The transition of polar codes from a profound [...]

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### **IFIP-IoT 2026 Calls for Papers**

The organising committee of the 9th IFIP International Conference on Internet of Things (IFIP-IoT 2026) has announced the official Call for Papers for this flagship IFIP event. IFIP-IoT 2026 will be held 11–13 November 2026 in Al Ain, United Arab Emirates, with hybrid participation options available for attendees around the world. As the Internet of [...]

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## ACS Appoints Former President Prins Ralston as CEO



ACS (Australian Computer Society) has appointed Dr Prins Ralston as its new chief executive officer. He has been serving as interim CEO since March. A former ACS president and member for 35 years, Ralston brings extensive corporate experience in leading complex organisations. He served for 18 years as a CEO across public, private, and for-purpose [...]

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## The Past Shapes the Future – IFIP WG 10.4 Meets in Lithuania



The 89th meeting of IFIP Working Group 10.4 was held at Vytautas Magnus University in Kaunas, Lithuania, under the theme “The Past Shapes the Future.” The event brought together pioneers of dependable computing alongside researchers tackling today’s emerging challenges. The opening session honoured Al Avizienis, Jean-Claude Laprie, Hermann Kopetz, Brian Randell, John Meyer and Bill [...]

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**Discover the Benefits of IFIP Membership**



Being an IFIP Member Society means becoming part of a truly global network of ICT professionals, researchers, educators and practitioners. Beyond international recognition, membership provides numerous practical opportunities that help societies strengthen their activities, increase the visibility of their members and expand their international reach. Below is an overview of some of the key benefits [...]

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## GIC Update – Harnessing Technology for Social Good: Insights from the AI Education Tour in Hangzhou



GIC director EUR ING Dr Man Fung Lo returned from AI Education Tour to Hangzhou, Zhejiang Province, China, and gained valuable insights into how higher education and technology enterprises are advancing technology for social good. The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) of the People's Republic of China has allocated HKD \$2 [...]

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