



**INSIGHT INSTITUTE OF  
MANAGEMENT & TECHNOLOGY**



**IIRC 2026**

# **3<sup>rd</sup> Insight International Research Conference 2026 (IIRC 2026)**

**Theme:**

**Trends in Sustainable Technology:  
Opportunities and Challenges**

**28th March 2026**

[www.insight.edu.lk/iirc2026/](http://www.insight.edu.lk/iirc2026/)

**Mode:** Physical/ Online

**Location:**

Insight Institute of  
Management & Technology,  
Mawanella, Sri Lanka



## About the Conference

In our increasingly interconnected and digital world, technology, especially Information and Communication Technology (ICT), has become an indispensable tool for shaping the course of economic development. This conference aims to provide a platform for experts, scholars, and practitioners from diverse fields to converge and deliberate on the transformative potential of technology in fostering sustainable development globally. By exploring innovative applications, discussing policy implications, and sharing success stories, this conference seeks to not only showcase the pivotal role of technology in driving progress but also to identify opportunities for collaboration and knowledge exchange that can propel our nation towards a brighter and more digitally empowered future.

The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, adopted by all United Nations Member States in 2015, provides a shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet. At its core are the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), which are an urgent call for action by all countries developed and developing in a global partnership ([sdgs.un.org/goals](https://sdgs.un.org/goals)). As the world navigates complex challenges and opportunities, harnessing the power of technology is paramount in achieving inclusive, prosperous and sustainable development, making this conference an invaluable forum for advancing collective understanding and action in this crucial domain.

In this context, the Insight Institute of Management and Technology considers hosting its third Research Conference, **Insight International Research Conference 2026 (IIRC2026)** on "**Trends in Sustainable Technology: Opportunities and Challenges**" a timely and imperative endeavour.

The Conference will be conducted on a hybrid mode with the Inaugural sessions conducted at the Insight Technology Campus, Mawanella and online where guests and participants will interact virtually in a Google Meet platform. The conference language will be English.

Conference registration and participation are free with timely registration.

## Keynote Speakers

Prof Roshan Ragel,  
Head / Department of Computer Engineering,  
Faculty of Engineering,  
University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.

Prof K. Kumar  
Department of Software Systems,  
Vellore Institute of Technology,  
Vellore, India

## Objectives of the Conference

1. To facilitate the exchange of cutting-edge research, best practices, and innovative ideas among researchers, scholars, and industry experts in the field of technology in general, and ICT in particular, for sustainable development as defined by the United Nations SDGs.
2. To create a platform for participants to critically examine and discuss the role of technology in addressing practical solutions and policy recommendations.
3. To encourage the establishment of collaborative networks and partnerships among researchers, institutions, and industry stakeholders to promote technology-driven solutions that contribute to sustainable development goals.

## Conference Tracks

- Information and Communication Technology
- Emerging Technologies & AI for Sustainable Development
- Innovations and interventions for Sustainable Development
- Sociocultural and economical aspects of Sustainable Development
- Green technology and circular economy

## Conference Participation

We invite you to submit your research findings and participate in the Conference. Your abstract will be published in the IIRC2026 Conference Proceedings which will be disseminated as an e-publication with the ISSN number 3021-6672. All contributions will be subjected to double blind review and considered on merit for inclusion in the Conference.

Visit <https://insight.edu.lk/iirc2026/>

- To submit your abstract,
- For author guidelines
- To download the declaration form and the template for your abstract, and
- To upload your abstract and presentation.

You may submit your abstract and the completed declaration form to **secretary-iirc@insight.edu.lk**. The submission **will not be processed until we receive the declaration form**.

Registration opens on 15 September 2025 with a final deadline for submission of abstracts on 30 November 2025 at 23:59 hours (GMT 18:29)

After reviewing the abstracts, the Conference Committee will select contributions that are suitable for presentation at the Conference. Those selected will undergo a peer review process. Contributors will then be notified of the next steps to complete their Conference registration and participation.

## Awards

All presenters at the conference will receive be a certificate of participation (e-Certificate). The best presenter in each session will be given “The Best Presenter Award”.

**Guidelines for Submission of Abstracts:** Please refer <https://insight.edu.lk/iirc2026/>

- The abstract should be submitted as per the author guidelines and should be submitted using the given template
- Abstracts are accepted on the basis that they have not been previously published and are not under consideration for publication elsewhere.

## Review Process

All abstracts will be evaluated through double blind review process.

## KEY DATES

Last date for submission of abstract:	30 <sup>th</sup> November 2025
Notification of acceptance of abstract:	31 <sup>st</sup> January 2026
Last date for submission of revised abstract:	20 <sup>th</sup> February 2026
Camera ready copy submission deadline:	28 <sup>th</sup> February 2026
Final date for submission of presentation:	7 <sup>th</sup> March 2026
Registration deadline:	15 <sup>th</sup> March 2026
Conference:	28 <sup>th</sup> March 2026

## Conference Chair

Professor M M M Najim  
Professor in Agritechnology  
Faculty of Agriculture  
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Brunei

## Conference Organizing Committee

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