

Special Issue

Transparency—a Pivotal Quality for the Digital Economy

Message from the Guest Editors

Transparency has become an important aspect of the digital economy, which not only puts all members of a society under scrutiny to act in line with moral obligations, but also helps to foster trust amongst economic participants, ultimately leading to a more sustainable economy and society. In this Special Issue, original research articles and reviews are welcome. Research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Explainability solutions for opaque technologies (e.g., XAI);
- Blockchain applications that foster sustainability;
- Technical solutions to foster transparency and predictability in value chains (e.g., interactive dashboards, forecasting);
- Data governance solutions (e.g., data space solutions);
- Role and applications of transparency in digital advertising and marketing;
- Data privacy solutions in line with legal regulations (e.g., cookie notices);
- Data use and transparency in municipalities and governmental bodies (e.g., smart city applications and open government solutions);

We look forward to receiving your contributions. , and

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