- Knowledge organization and management on the Internet.
- The effects of globalization in knowledge representation and organization.
- Current trends in knowledge representation and organization research.

The Congress will consist of conferences, communications, and open tables. The languages of the Congress will be Spanish and English, with communications and motions to be offered in either of these languages.

Additional information about the Congress, including registration fees and accommodations, is available at: http://www.ugr.es/~isko

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Information Filtering and Automatic Summarization in Networks

The French ISKO Chapter will conduct its Third Conference in Paris, 5-6 July 2001, at the University of Paris X. The theme of the conference is: *Information Filtering and Automatic Summarization in Networks*. The conference will focus on scientific, technological, and industrial aspects of information filtering and automatic summarization in networks. The main objectives are to give an overview of current research activities and development efforts in the field of information science and technology, to analyze the impact of these technologies on cognitive processes and practices for information access and to identify how they may affect the organization of information systems. The interdisciplinary nature of the conference will highlight the various aspects of these systems in the context of knowledge management. The conference is open to both academic and industrial sectors.

Papers and panels addressing this theme are invited from any of the following perspectives:

- Design and development of operational systems.
- Innovative technologies (in particular, agent technologies).
- Use of speech processing and language engineering technologies.
- Multilingual aspects of information in networks.
- Collaboration in information processing.
- Analysis of user-acceptability.
- Ergonomics of information software systems.
- Evaluation and comparison of systems.
- Use of information systems for knowledge management and business intelligence.
- Analysis of the added value of information software systems.

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Globalization and Knowledge Organization: New aspects for Knowledge, Science, and Information Systems

The 450-page proceedings of ISKO's German Chapter's Wissensorganisation 1999, the sixth biennial conference on Knowledge Organization held at Polytechnic Hamburg, 23-25 September 1999, are now available.

Ohly, H. Peter; Rahmstorf, Gerhard; Sigel, Alexander (Hrsg.): Globalisierung und Wissenorganisation: Neue Aspekte fuer Wissen, Wissenschaft und Informationssysteme. Wuerzburg: Ergon Verlag, 2000 (= Fortschritte in der Wissensorganisation; 6) (Proceedings der 6. Tagung der Deutschen Sektion der Internationalen Gesellschaft fuer Wissensorganisation (ISKO), Hamburg, 23.-25. September 1999), ISBN 3-933563-78-X, 89 DM.

This volume can be ordered from the publisher. In addition, a few copies are still available from the German ISKO Chapter. Although most of the contributions are in German, some are in English.

More information about the proceedings is available at http://www.isko.org/PUBLICATIONS/Hamburg99/globalisierung.html. In addition, information about the conference is available in *Knowledge Organization*, volume 26, no. 2 (1999) or online at http://www.bonn.iz-soz.de/wiss-org/HHreport.htm.

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Knowledge Organization and Edutainment: Knowledge Society – Information Design – Entertainment Industry

ISKO's German Chapter will hold its seventh biennial conference on Knowledge Organization ("Wisssensorganisation 2001") at Humboldt University Berlin, 21-24 March 2001. Although the title is rather provocative, the basic idea is to take a fresh look at core knowledge organization issues from the viewpoint of new technologies, new social trends, and

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