

Computer & Information Sciences

Strathclyde iSchool Research Group

Information behaviour

Understanding how and why people seek and interact (or not) with information.

Professor Ian Ruthven



Information law & ethics

Understanding the legal and ethical issues arising from information use.

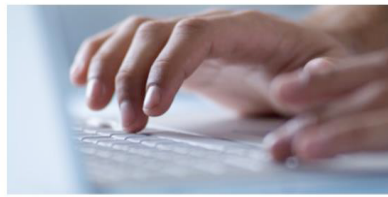
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Interactive information retrieval

Understanding how people search for information.

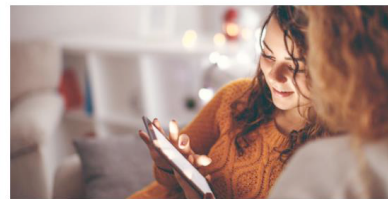
Dr Leif Azzopardi



Information engagement

Understanding how people engage with information.

Dr Diane Pennington



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I work in the area of information seeking and retrieval, understanding how (and why) people search for information and how electronic systems might help them search more successfully
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I am a Professor of Information Science in the Department. I have been involved in teaching and research in Information Science for over 25 years and have taken senior management positions at universities in UK and Australia. Currently I am the Chair of the global iSchools Organization (www.ischools.org). My research focuses on digital libraries and information services trying to understand how people access and use information and data in different contexts. Recent research includes information systems and services for addressing global challenges and sustainable development. I am always looking out for interesting partnerships and good PhD students.
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Leif Azzopardi, Reader

I work on modelling information access and retrieval problems to understand how and why people search for information, how we can improve such systems, and how such systems shape and influence our lives.

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My research areas include non-text information indexing and retrieval, qualitative methods for visual information, Emotional Information Retrieval (EmIR), information organisation, user behaviours on social media, and online health information preferences.

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