



Call for Papers

Special issue on

Transforming Online Learning: Exploring Cutting-Edge Technologies and Design Principles for Effective Education

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The rapid advancement of technology has brought forth a new era in education, with online learning becoming an integral part of the educational landscape. In this context, we invite researchers, scholars, and practitioners to contribute to a special issue of our journal that aims to explore and discuss cutting-edge technologies and design principles for transforming online learning and enhancing educational outcomes. The main goal of this special issue is to present innovative research and insights into the latest advancements in online learning technologies and design principles. We examine how emerging technologies can transform the online learning experience, promote engagement, and maximize the potential for effective education. High-quality, original, unpublished contributions will be considered for the issue.

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Topics include but are not limited to the following:

- Intelligent tutoring systems
- Adaptive and personalized online learning environments
- Natural language processing in online learning
- Authoring tools and development methodologies
- Learning analytics and data-driven decision making
- Design principles for effective instructional design in online courses
- Pedagogical strategies for promoting engagement and motivation in online learning
- Assessment and feedback techniques for online courses
- Student models and cognitive diagnosis
- Gamification and game-based learning approaches
- Challenges of large language model applications in education

IMPORTANT DATES

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