

# EIS 2006

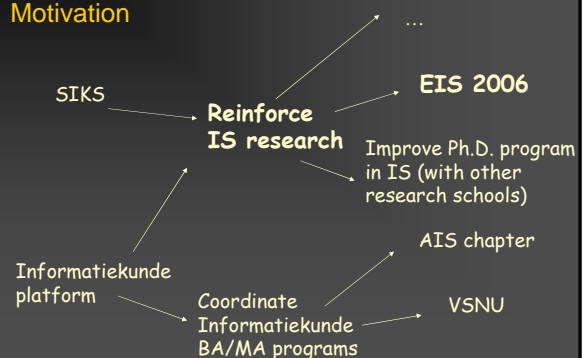
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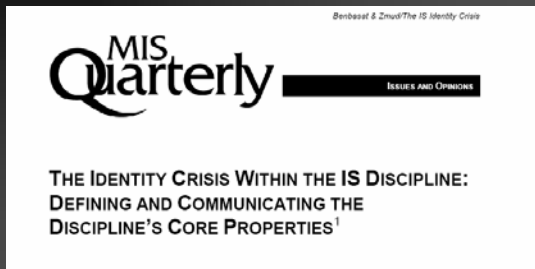


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### Motivation



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### IS – a field in crisis?

- Identity:
  - Computer Science or Management?
  - About technology?
  - Applied research?
  - Design Science?
- Criteria for good research?
- Capacity of IS journals too low?
- Research funding (e.g. NOAG-I, NWO)
- Traditional IS topics taken up in other fields (CS: AI, SE; Mgt: BS, ..)

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### Some discussions in AIS field

- Wanda Orlikowski, C. Suzanne Iacono, [Research Commentary: desperately seeking the "IT" in IT research - a call to theorizing the IT artifact](#), *Information Systems Research*, June 2001, 12(2)
- Benbasat, I and Zmud, R.W., "[The Identity Crisis within the IS Discipline: Defining and Communicating the Discipline's Core Properties](#)," *Management Information Systems Quarterly*, June 2003, pp.183-194.

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### Contribution of EIS 2006

- Increase visibility of EIS field
- Discussion on research methodology
- Provide platform for IS community building

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