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参加学会

- 米 : ACM
- 豪 : Australian Computer Society
- 瑛 : British Computer Society
- 加 : Canadian Information Processing Society
- 米 : IEEE Computing Society
- 日 : Information Processing Society of Japan
- 韓 : Korea Information Science Society

Basic Issues of Information Channel

In past, academic societies had essential role for scientific information distribution

Recently:

rapid expansion of research budget
students from developing countries

increase of scientific publication

limited budget of library

limited circulation of journals

New Distribution Channels

Distribution of scientific paper through
web

Selection through referees of society

Open Access Initiatives

: Scientific Information free for all

Umbrella, or Web?

- Change in information distribution media
- Peer to peer collaboration?

Language Issue

- 英語一元化で良いのか？

Academic vs. Professional Societies

- Academic Society
 - 日本の学会はこれ
- Professional Society
 - (international) mobility of professionals
 - International accreditation
 - 他国の学会はこちらが多い
 - IEEE (80% professional members, 80% academic activities)
 - BCS
 - CIPS 80% (44%managers)

IT Professionals

- ITは法的に定義されていない
 - “profession” (e.g., barber)ではない
 - “engineer” (e.g., electrical engineer)でもない

UNESCOとの関連

- どのように連携・活用？
- WSIS (World Summit on the Information Society)

Function as professional societies

Education

Accreditation

Continuous skill improvements

Job distribution

Social position of members

観測

- 多学会では専任理事がいる
 - たとえば退職後の教授
- 事務局(女性)も参加
 - IEEE, ACM, BCS
- 多学会では会長職の連続性が保たれている
 - 1(2)年副会長
 - 1(2)年会長
 - 1(2)年後会長