

***Message from the editor in Chief**

Global Journal of Information Technology: Emerging Technologies (GJIT) seeks to encourage academically robust papers, research, critical reviews and opinions on the organizational, social and management issues associated with significant information-based technologies. Global Journal of Information Technology: Emerging Technologies focuses on contemporary research addressing Information Technology including emerging technologies, strategy, change, infrastructure, human resources, sourcing, system development and implementation, communications, technology developments, technology futures, national policies and standards. The year 2024 promises many exciting developments for the Global Journal of Information Technology: Emerging Technologies (GJIT). In addition, the number of citations continues to rise strongly every year, in proportion to the increase in the number of articles published. In this respect, first of all, we would like to thank all our authors who have contributed to the success of our journal. While reviewing our new issue, we saw articles from different authors from different countries: Jordan, Cyprus, Indonesia, Philippines etc. The multiculturalism policy followed in our globally-focused journal makes us happy with every new issue. We examine the following research areas in the current issue; The topics of *“Machine Learning Based Anomaly Detection in Android Network Flows for Ransomware Identification”*, *“Leveraging Artificial Intelligence for Enhanced Business Operations: Challenges and Opportunities”*, *“Technology management: innovated water welding machine for entrepreneurship”*, *“The selection of technology in the learning process: Is that effective enough?”*, *“An examination of the information and communication technology used in students' blended learning”*. In this issue, we are publishing five research articles. We will continue to contribute to the literature within the scope of Educational Technologies with our strong team. Thanks to all our authors and the contributors to this issue.

Hope to see you in our new issue.

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