

Announcement

10th Cranfield Conference, 1986

The next Cranfield International Conference on Mechanised Information Transfer will be held on 22-25 July 1986, at the Cranfield Institute of Technology, near Bedford, United Kingdom. This will be the 10th Cranfield Conference, and it is planned to mark the milestone appropriately.

The sole begetter of "Cranfield", Cyril Cleverdon, has again agreed to maintain his close involvement and to help INSPEC in the planning and organising. In addition, the British Library has agreed to participate by sponsoring a special session. The main interest, as ever, will be in new developments, recent and continuing research, and the potential and problems of the latest techniques.

The conference will cover the major topics concerned with the cost-effective and convenient transfer of information and data, including:

- IKBS and expert systems in indexing and IR
- electronic publishing
- user requirements
- non-technical barriers to information transfer

Further details and a call for papers will be issued in September 1985.

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