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September 3rd was the day that the Journal of Innovation Management -The International Journal of Multidisciplinary Approaches on Innovation was officially launched during an inaugurating ceremony at the University of Porto.

This journal encourages the submission of papers addressing the multidisciplinary nature of the innovation process combining principles and concepts originating from a myriad of scientific areas, from social sciences to technology research and development.

Topics

The multidisciplinary perspective associated with the Journal of Innovation Management means that papers should combine, though not being restricted, to the following areas:

- Economics, business and management science
- Technology, engineering and Science

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The Editorial team is looking forward to receiving manuscripts addressing the various challenges linked to innovation by bringing together international academics, professional associations, policy makers, thought leaders and practitioners.