

Hello everybody!

With great pleasure, we present volume 9, number 1 of the Revista de Ensino e Pesquisa em Administração e Engenharia – REPAE, which in its 7 selected articles offers current research related to the area of administration and engineering.

The plural cast of themes treated in the tome, which we now offer, of REPAE are quite distinct, with theoretical cuts marked by different interpretations, however consistent and full of argumentative elements. The texts presented in this issue of the magazine invite us to a simple reading, but at the same time inspiring.

In this edition, 7 articles are presented.

In text 1, entitled Leadership style in project management: the perception of information systems professionals, the article deals with the theme of leadership in project management, perceived by Information Systems (IS) professionals, which is little explored in the literature. Within this context, this research aims to analyze the leadership styles in project management perceived by the different profiles of IS professionals.

In text 2, entitled Development of lean sigma philosophy integrated to people management in the productive environment of a company in the automotive sector, the article addresses the integration of people management with Lean Six Sigma philosophy, through the DMAIC method in an environment where the S.P.A.C.E tool is constantly applied.

In text 3, entitled Prediction of company insolvency through artificial intelligence – machine learning techniques, the objective of this article was to develop and test a model for predicting insolvency based on machine learning.

In text 4, titled From French lights to northeastern sunsets in the trajectory of a social entrepreneur, the teaching case reports the trajectory of a French citizen, teacher, researcher and entrepreneur who found in Brazil the possibility of developing strategic behaviors of a social entrepreneur.

In text 5, entitled BIM technology for lighting project management, it aims to lead to the understanding of the difficulties encountered by designers, for the implementation and use of BIM, aiming at the management of lighting projects.

In text 6, entitled Development of the diversity, equity and inclusion policy plan for the tourism sector, the objective of the study was to characterize the planning of the scope of the DEI Policy Plan, in the light of Project Management, aimed at a company in the tourism sector, located in the city of São Paulo (SP), with a strategy aligned with the SDGs (5) Gender Equality and (10) Reduction of Inequalities.

In text 7, entitled Leadership and organizational commitment: a study with professionals in the Brazilian manufacturing industry, aims to analyze relationships between leadership styles - transactional, transformational, laissez-faire -, and commitment - affective, normative and instrumental - of professionals in the Brazilian manufacturing industry.

We wish everyone a good read.

Yours sincerely,

editorial board