

## Papers:

### Philosophy and IT for Knowledge Management

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But nevertheless: It is not the reorganization of the representations that brings knowledge but a more in Maieutike (intellectual midwife technique). The implicit knowledge (embodied/tacit knowledge) must be uncovered and made available in formal structures. We are talking about the necessity of strengthening the position of the subjects.

### Buzzwords

- The subjects of knowledge
- Virtual knowledge

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### The World Through Manager's Goals: A Phenomenological Account of the Etymologies of *Data* and *Information*

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The notion, concept, word of information is at the centre of much knowledge management research and practice. This paper offers a fresh approach to this central notion by questioning the often taken for granted linear relationship from data-to-information-to-knowledge. Relying on Heidegger's work *Being and Time*, as ontological base of the investigation, the paper presents a phenomenological account of the etymologies of data and information, tracing back their origins and evolution, as a way into the phenomena themselves. It is argued that it is not meaning what distinguishes data from information but rather an ongoing course of action in which one always and already is involved. This analysis, hopefully, opens up a sound alternative route for research the phenomenon of knowledge.