

Information Society of Barbados

The Information Society of Barbados is a non-profit organisation comprising individuals, institutions and corporations committed to promoting the importance of information and its relevance in the social and economic development of Barbados.

Information Society of Barbados Objectives

The aims of the Information Society are:

- To unite users, information specialists, suppliers and professional associations and all other persons/organisations in the private and public sectors, engaged in the use and management of information in Barbados, in order to stimulate a national awareness of the value and importance of information.
- To promote the development of information technology in Barbados by initiating and fostering cooperation between institutions within the Information Sector.
- To promote a high standard of education and training for users of information services and to sensitize decision-makers to the importance of information and information technology to the economic and social development of Barbados.
- To provide opportunities for members to consider any matters affecting information users or suppliers, and to assist in the promotion of activities which would enhance their knowledge and skills in the interest of expanding this sector.
- To develop a progressive, non-political, multi-disciplinary organisation which will be financially self sufficient in the long-term.

Information Society of Barbados activities and accomplishments

International Conferences - the next will be in October 2011 with the theme ICT- Catalyst for economic Development

Roadshows in partnership with the Ministry of Trade and Commerce to promote the importance and value of the Internet

Seminars - A competition to identify the best ICT project in the private sector and the public sector

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