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"Business Process Compliance"

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**Date** Friday 21 August 2009  
**Venue** G05 3.43 Gold Coast campus Griffith University.

**Abstract:** It is a typical scenario that many organisations have their business processes specified independently of regulations governing their business. This is because of the lack of guidelines and tools that facilitate derivation of processes from regulations but also because of the traditional mindset of treating norms separately from business processes. This talk will provide a solution to one specific problem that arises from this situation, namely the lack of mechanisms to check whether business processes are compliant with relevant norms. We also discuss the complexity of checking whether a business process is compliant.

**Bio:** Dr Guido Governatori received his Ph.D. in computer science and law at the University of Bologna in 1997. Since then he has held academic and research positions at Imperial College, Griffith University, Queensland University of Technology, the University of Queensland, and NICTA. He has published more than 150 scientific papers in logic, artificial intelligence, and database and information systems. His current research interests include modal and nonclassical logics, defeasible reasoning and its application to normative reasoning and e-commerce, agent systems, and business process modeling for regulatory compliance. Dr. Governatori is a member of the editorial board of Artificial Intelligence and Law.

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