### **Information and communication technology scale (ICTS)**

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#### 20 Items

### 4 Dimensions

Dimension 1. Use diverse methods of finding Information on line (6 items)

- 1. I have habits to back up my data on regular basis
- 2. I am capable of managing the huge amount of resources I find and synthesize them into the information I need
- 3. I usually try to find resources at different places in order to compare their accuracy
- 4. When I shop for things online, I will check several peoples' feedback postings first and then make my decision
- 5. I am able to utilize tag functions to manage my Internet resources
- 6. I am able to compare and contrast the information I find online to double check the correctness it

# Dimension 2. Use various software and advanced functions on line (5 items)

- 7. I am able to utilize Google Doc or other collaborative project platform to co-edit a document with others
- 8. I am able to utilize e-schedule tools on Internet, smart phone or computer Apps to help me manage my daily schedule
- 9. I am able to utilize email to communicate with others
- 10. When I use emails, I will put them into different categories
- 11. I will use the advanced searching function on the Internet to find resources

# *Dimension 3. Use online software and function effectively (5 items)*

- 12. I am able to utilize the resources found to accomplish my tasks (such as reports or assignments.)
- 13. I am able to use appropriate key words in search engines to find resources when looking up information on the Internet
- 14. I find resources on the Internet efficiently
- 15. I am able to utilize online tools or software to help me complete my assignments
- 16. I am able to use my favorite or tag function to manage my webpage on search engines

## Dimension 4. Use different tools to share information online (4 items)

- 17. I am able to utilize Facebook to express my options for ideas
- 18. I am able to utilize instant communicative software such as MSN, FaceTime or Line to communicate with others
- 19. I am able to use video clips to share my stories
- 20. I am able to use the Internet to share new knowledge or information I find with others
- 4- Likert scale ('4' represents 'strongly agree' and '1' represents 'strongly disagree') Cronbach's  $\alpha = 0.90$