

Online Expert seminar with the purpose of discussing how artificial intelligence, including profiling, automated decision-making and machine-learning technologies may, without proper safeguards, affect the enjoyment of the right to privacy

27 and 28 May 2020

PROGRAMME

27 May 2020

14.00 - 14.10 Opening¹

Speaker: Peggy Hicks, Director, Thematic Engagement, Special Procedures and Right to Development, OHCHR

14.10 - 15.30 Session I. Setting the scene: how does artificial intelligence (AI) affect the enjoyment of the right to privacy?

Moderator: Renata Avila, Executive Director, Fundación Ciudadanía Inteligente

*Panellists: Joe Cannataci, UN Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy
Yves-Alexandre de Montjoye, Assistant Professor, Imperial College
Vidushi Marda, Digital Programme Officer, Article 19*

***** Break of 15 minutes *****

15.45 - 17.15 Session II. The right to privacy and the protection of other rights affected by AI

Moderator: Sophie Kwasny, Head of Data Protection Unit, Council of Europe

*Panellists: Lorna McGregor, Director, Human Rights, Big Data and Technology Project, Essex Law School
Amos Toh, Senior Researcher, Artificial Intelligence and Human Rights, Human Rights Watch
Chenai Chair, Web Foundation Gender and Digital Rights Research Manager and Mozilla Tech Policy Fellow*

¹ **Note:** the expert seminar will be held online. Prior registration at <https://indico.un.org/event/34510/> is required. Times above are CEST.

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14.00 - 15.30 Session III. Preserving the right to privacy: legal and regulatory approaches

Moderator: *Lorna McGregor, Director, Human Rights, Big Data and Technology Project, Essex Law School*

Panellists: *Sophie Kwasny, Head of Data Protection Unit, Council of Europe*
Eduardo Bertoni, Director, Argentina National Access to Public Information Agency
Teki Akuetteh Falconer, Director, Africa Digital Rights Hub
Fanny Hidvégi, European Policy Manager, Access Now, Brussels

***** Break of 15 minutes *****

15.45 - 17.15 Session IV. Preserving the right to privacy: due diligence, data governance and other safeguards

Moderator: *Mila Romanoff, Privacy Officer, UN Global Pulse*

Panellists: *Fionnuala Ní Aoláin, UN Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism*
Rachad Alao, Engineering Director, Facebook
Isabel Ebert, Researcher, Institute for Business Ethics, University St Gallen

17.15 - 17.30 Concluding remarks