

PROGRAMME

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'New Technologies: New Challenges for Democracy and International Law'

The David Williams Building
Faculty of Law
University of Cambridge
20th & 21st March 2019

Conference Day 1: March 20th 2019

08.30–09.00	Registration	Ground Floor Foyer
09.00–09.15	Welcome and Introduction of the Keynote Speaker Maayan Menashe & Eirini Kikarea Editors-in-Chief, Cambridge International Law Journal, University of Cambridge Professor Eyal Benvenisti Whewell Professor of International Law and Director, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge	LG19
09.15–10.15	Keynote Address Professor Benedict Kingsbury Vice Dean and Murry and Ida Becker Professor of Law, Director, Institute for International Law and Justice, Faculty Director, Guarini Institute for Global Legal Studies, NYU School of Law <i>TechnoReg & InfraReg: On Rousing the Wizards of Is</i>	LG19
10.15–10.35	Break: Coffee, Tea & Biscuits	LG Atrium
10.35–12.15	Panel I: Free speech rights in the new communications ecology Chair: Dr. Rumiana Yotova Lecturer and Director of Studies in Law, Gonville and Caius College, Affiliated Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Cambridge Molly K. Land Professor of Law and Human Rights, University of Connecticut School of Law; Associate Director, Human Rights Institute <i>Globalizing Speech: Human Rights Law and Private Speech on Global Platforms</i> Dr. Paolo Cavaliere Lecturer in Digital Media & IT Law, University of Edinburgh Law School <i>Silent Regulators: Digital Platforms and the Rise of Global Regulation of Hate Speech</i> Eliza Bechtold Ph.D. Candidate, Durham Law School <i>Terrorism, the Internet, and the Threat to Freedom of Expression: The Regulation of Digital Intermediaries in Europe and the US</i>	LG19

Alan M. Sears | Researcher, Leiden Law School,
eLaw—Center for Law and Digital Technologies
Algorithms and Freedom of Expression

10.35–12.15 **Panel II: International human rights in the digital context** **LG17**

Chair: Dr. David Erdos | Deputy Director, Centre
for Intellectual Property and Information Law (CIPIL),
Senior Lecturer, University of Cambridge

Katja F. Achermann | LL.M. (Cantab)
*The ‘Essence of Humanity’: The Role of Human Rights
in the Age of Artificial Intelligence—A Critical
Appraisal of Article 22 of the EU’s General Data
Protection Regulation*

Fatma Resit | Ph.D. Candidate, University of Hamburg
*Technological Developments in Media as a Challenge
for the European Charter for Regional or Minority
Languages*

Laura Carter | Ph.D. Student, University of Essex
*Gender Stereotyping in Machine Learning: A Technical
Necessity or a Human Rights Violation?*

12.15–13.00 **Lunch** **LG Atrium**

13.00–14.15 **Panel III: Technologizing warfare—Impacts for IHL** **LG19**

Chair: Dr. Jamie Trinidad | Fellow, Wolfson College
and Lauterpacht Centre for International Law,
University of Cambridge

Marcos D. Kotlik | University of Buenos Aires, School
of Law
*Soldier Enhancement through Nanotechnology:
Emerging Challenges for Legal Weapons Reviews*

Dr. Emily Jones | Lecturer in Law, University of Essex
The Crisis of Autonomous Weapons Systems

Eitan Diamond | Zvi Meitar Center for Advanced Legal
Studies, Tel Aviv University
*The King’s New Sword: Predictive Algorithms and the
Threat of Overextending International Humanitarian
Law’s Preventative Logic*

13.00–14.15 **Panel IV: International criminal culpability in the advent of new technologies** **LG17**

Chair: Mr. Richard Clements | Ph.D. Researcher, Law
Faculty and Lauterpacht Centre for International Law,
University of Cambridge

Dr. Marta Bo | Postdoctoral Researcher, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva; Asser Institute, The Hague
Responsibility for War Crimes and Culpability Theories in the Age of Autonomous Weapons

Shannon Raj Singh | Associate Legal Officer, Special Tribunal for Lebanon
Move Fast and Break Societies: The Weaponization of Social Media and Options for Accountability under International Criminal Law

Matthew Gillet | International Criminal Court
Proof and Privacy in the Digital Age: The Use of Digitally-Derived Evidence at the International Criminal Court

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Panel V: Reconceptualizing labour rights protection in the digital workplace

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Chair: Maayan Menashe | Editor-in-Chief, Cambridge International Law Journal, Ph.D. Candidate, University of Cambridge

Dr. Céline Brassart Olsen | Postdoctoral Researcher Copenhagen University, Faculty of Law
To Track or not to Track? Employees' Privacy in the Age of Corporate Wellness, Mobile Health, and GDPR

Despoina Georgiou | Ph.D. Candidate, University of Cambridge
Humans 'as a Service'? Subordination in the Era of the Gig Economy

Dr. Irene Pietropaoli | British Institute of International and Comparative Law
Leveraging Technology to Improve Working Conditions in Global Supply Chains: Hype or Help?

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Panel VI: Jurisprudential challenges in the digital age

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Chair: Professor Latha Varadarajan | Political Science Department, San Diego State University

Professor Tilmann Altwicker | Institute for International Law and Foreign Constitutional Law, University of Zurich
International Legal Scholarship and the Challenge of Digitalization

Ivo Emanuilov | KU Leuven, Faculty of Law, Centre for IT & IP Law (CITIP)
Autonomous Agents in Cyberspace and the Law of International Responsibility

Dr. Frederick Cowell | Birkbeck College, University of London
Social Media and Reputational Theory in Relation to Institutions in International Law

15.30–15.50

Break: Coffee, Tea & Biscuits

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15.50–17.50

Roundtable I: Global governance by data governance
Commentator: Dr. Mark Leiser | Leiden Law School

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Professor Uta Kohl | Southampton Law School, University of Southampton
Corporate Sovereignty on the Internet and Lessons from the East India Company

Dr. Michal Saliternik | Professor of Law, Netanya Academic College
Participation in Global Governance in the Age of Big Data

Dr. Ysult Marique | Senior Lecturer in Law, University of Essex; Research Associate FÖV Speyer
Enguerrand Marique | Ph.D. Candidate, UC Louvain
Checks and Balances on Platforms Beyond the Public-Private Divide?

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Roundtable II: Democracy under attack?

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Commentator: Dr. Sarah Nouwen | Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Law, and Co-Deputy Director of the Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge

Dr. Maria Varaki | Lecturer in International Law, War Studies Department, King's College London
Populist IL? Limits and Prospects

Alon Jasper | Ph.D. Candidate, The Zvi Meitar Center for Advanced Legal Studies, Tel Aviv University
The Democratic Deficit of Digital Infrastructure

Steven Wheatly | Professor of International Law, University of Lancaster
Regulating the Frontiers of Hybrid-Warfare: The International Law on Foreign State Cyber Operations Targeting Democracy

18.00–19.00

Plenary Session

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Introduction: Rolando Seijas | Conference Convenor, Ph.D. Candidate, University of Cambridge
Dr. Mark Leiser | Leiden Law School
Principled Approach to Fake News

19.30–22.00 **Conference Formal Dinner** (*pre-bookings only*)
19.30 Drinks Reception
20.00 Dinner

Conference Day 2: 21st March 2019

09.00–10.00 **Plenary Session** **LG19**

Introduction: Eirini Kikarea | Editor-in-Chief,
Cambridge International Law Journal, Ph.D. Candidate,
University of Cambridge
Professor Eyal Benvenisti | Whewell Professor of
International Law and Director, Lauterpacht Centre
for International Law, University of Cambridge
*“An AI for an AI”: Toward Algorithmic Checks and
Balances*

10.00–10.20 **Break: Coffee, Tea & Biscuits** **LG Atrium**

10.20–12.10 **Panel VII: Digitalizing international economic law** **LG19**

Chair: Eirini Kikarea | Editor-in-Chief, Cambridge
International Law Journal, Ph.D. Candidate, University
of Cambridge

Niccolò Ridi | University of Liverpool; King’s College
London

Luigi Lonardo | Lecturer in EU Law, King’s College
London

Cryptocurrencies and International Law

Dr. Gustavo Prieto | Postdoctoral Fellow, University
of Turin

*Crypto-investment in International Economic Law:
The Transformation of Public Authority in Global
Governance*

Dr. Lucas da Silva Taschetto | Professor, Federal
University of ABC, São Paulo, Brazil

Renato Leite Monteiro | Ph.D. Candidate, University
of São Paulo

*Do Developing Countries Have a Stance on Digital
Trade Regulation? An Analysis of the Brazilian
Positions in Trade Negotiations in the Context of the
Strings Imposed by Domestic Law*

Dr. Laura Zoboli | Assistant Professor, University
of Warsaw

*A Tricky Balance: Incentives to B2B Data Sharing and
Free Flow of Information in the EU*

Liang Li | Ph.D. Candidate, University of Cambridge
*Revisiting the Theories of Harm for Global Competition
Governance on the Digital Economy*

10.20–12.10

Panel VIII: Democracy now: Barriers and opportunities

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Chair: Jelena Gligorijevic | Ph.D. Candidate, University of Cambridge

Edoardo Celeste | Ph.D. Candidate, University College Dublin

The Constitutionalisation of the Digital World: From Technological Democracy to Democratic Technology

Dr. Barrie Sander | Postdoctoral Fellow, Fundação Getulio Vargas (FGV), School of International Relations, Brazil

Democratic Disruption in the Age of Social Media: Paradigms of Platform Responsibility for the Governance of Online Speech

Beril Boz | Ph.D. Candidate, University of Cambridge

What to Expect from the GDPR in the Era of e-Government and its Citizen-Customers?

Gabriella McGrogan | Birkbeck College, University of London

Aiding or Witnessing the Demise of Democracy? Facebook's Role in Duterte's Populist Politics, the War on Drugs and the ICC's Response

Desmond Johnson | Lecturer in Comparative Law, The Hague University of Applied Sciences

Blockchain Governance and Risk Regulation in the U.S. and EU: Securing the Right to Vote and Promoting Democratic Ideals in the Digital Age

12.10–13.00

Lunch

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13.00–14.40

Panel IX: AI

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Chair: Dr. Surabhi Ranganathan | Lecturer in International Law, University of Cambridge

Doaa Abu-Elyounes | Harvard Law School, Berkman Klein Center for Internet and Society

Fair, Ethical and Just: Can an AI Algorithm Check all the Boxes?

Dr. Rachel Adams | Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, University of London, and Human Science Research Council, South Africa

Dr. Nóra Ni Loideain | Director, Information Law & Policy Centre, Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, University of London

The Gendering of AI Virtual Personal Assistants: Addressing Fragmentation of International Human Rights Law within the UN Framework

Petra Molnar | Researcher, International Human Rights Program, University of Toronto Faculty of Law
Bots at the Gate: The Human Rights Impact of Automated Decision-Making in Immigration and Refugee Systems

Matthijs M. Maas | Ph.D. Fellow, University of Copenhagen, Faculty of Law
International Law Does Not Compute: Artificial Intelligence and the Development, Displacement, or Destruction of the Global Legal Order

13.00–14.40

Panel X: Rethinking global environmental governance

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Chair: Dr. Markus W. Gehring | University Lecturer in Law, University of Cambridge; Member, Management Committee Centre for European Legal Studies; Fellow, Lauterpacht Centre for International Law; Fellow and Director of Studies, Hughes Hall; Fellow, Cambridge Centre for Environment, Energy and Natural Resource Governance

Emily Webster | Ph.D. Candidate, Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London
Climate Change and Global Governance: The Regulation of Geoengineering Technologies

Tedd Moya Mose | Ph.D. Candidate, Queen Mary University of London
Technology, The Energy Trilemma and International Law

Xiaoou Zheng | Ph.D. Candidate, University of Edinburgh
Biotechnology in the Context of Access and Benefit-sharing: Challenges for Interpreting and Implementing the Nagoya Protocol

Joanna Mazur | MA, Ph.D. Candidate, Faculty of Law and Administration, University of Warsaw
When the Environment Becomes Digital: Could Environmental Law Inspire European Data Protection Law?

14.40–15.00

Break: Coffee, Tea & Biscuits

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15.10–16.50

Roundtable 3: New technologies for ICL & IHL: Prospects and challenges

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Commentator: Dr. Louise Arimatsu | Distinguished Policy Fellow, Centre for Women, Peace and Security, London School of Economics and Political Science

Nema Milaninia | Trial Attorney, Office of the Prosecutor, International Criminal Court
Smartphones and Call Data Records in Investigating Mass Atrocities and the Human Rights Considerations

Liron Shilo | Attorney at Law, Resident Fellow, Information Society Project (ISP), Yale Law School, Doctoral Candidate (S.J.D), Georgetown University Law Center
Organizing Lethal Autonomy: The Case for a new International Organizational Responsibility Regime without Throwing Humans Under the Bus

15.00–16.50

Roundtable 4: International e-conomic law: Taking technology seriously

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Commentator: Dr. Rumiana Yotova | Lecturer and Director of Studies in Law, Gonville and Caius College, Affiliated Lecturer, Faculty of Law, University of Cambridge

Ana Peres | Ph.D. Candidate and Visiting Lecturer, Dickson Pool School of Law, King's College London

Leticia Daibert | Ph.D. Candidate, Facultad Latinoamericana de Ciencias Sociales – FLACSO Argentina

WTO E-Commerce Negotiations: Public-Private Dialogue as an Opportunity for Reaching Development Goals

Santiago Rodriguez Senior | Associate at Uría y Menéndez

The What, The Why and The How the Blockchain is a Solution for Institutional Arbitration

Nivedita Sen | Ph.D. Candidate, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva
Cross Border Data Flows in International Trade Law: Measures Restricting Data Flow and their Compatibility with Preferential Trade Agreements

17.00–18.00

Plenary Session—Concluding Remarks

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Introduction: Neli Frost | Conference Convenor, Ph.D. Candidate, University of Cambridge

Dr. Louise Arimatsu | Distinguished Policy Fellow, Centre for Women, Peace and Security, London School of Economics and Political Science

Silencing Women in the Digital Age