

## The Information Law and Policy Centre

## **Updates from the ILPC**



- <u>Dr Nóra Ni Loideain</u> and <u>Dr Rachel Adams</u>'s work was cited in the Privacy & Gender Perspective section (Annex II) of the Right to Privacy Annual Report by Special Rapporteur on the Right to Privacy (SRP), Professor Joseph Cannataci, for ongoing work on Alexa, Siri and the GDPR. A link to the working paper is available here.
- The ILPC was cited in the recently published UK House of Lords Select Committee on Communications report 'Regulating in a Digital World'.
- <u>Dr Nóra Ni Loideain</u> will be delivering a presentation on predictive policing and the
  Data Protection Act 2018 at 'Police use of technology impacting privacy rights',
  hosted by Sheffield Hallam University, in collaboration with the Business Change
  Council (BCC) of the National Police Chiefs' Council (NPCC). 27th March 2019,
  Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, London.
- <u>Dr Rachel Adams</u> presented at the L'Oréal and UNESCO event on women in science, entitled 'For Women in Science', co-hosted by the *New York Times*. 13th March, Paris, France. The news report is available <a href="here">here</a>.
- <u>Dr Nóra Ni Loideain</u> and <u>Dr Rachel Adams</u>, respectively as chair and discussant, participated in 'Women and Al: Harms, Impacts and Remedies', the ILPC's second

evening seminar of the term. 7th March 2019, Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, London. More information about the event is available here.

- <u>Dr Rachel Adams</u> delivered a guest research seminar at NINSoRIG (Northumbria Internet & Society Research Interest Group) entitled 'Make Google Do It. Interpellating digital subject/objects of desire in the gendering of artificially intelligent virtual personal assistants.' 6th March 2019, Faculty of Business and Law, Northumbria University. Further information is available <a href="here">here</a>.
- <u>Dr Nóra Ni Loideain</u> chaired the ILPC first evening seminar of the term, entitled 'Mind the Gap: a blueprint for a new regulatory framework that effectively captures citizen journalists'. 28th February 2019, Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, London. Further details are available here.
- A new post on <u>Dr Nóra Ni Loideain</u>'s presentation at the lecture 'A Nightmare Scenario:Technology and Democracy', at the Forum of Geopolitics (POLIS), University of Cambridge on 22nd January 2019 has been published on the ILPC <u>blog</u>.
- <u>Dr Nóra Ni Loideain</u> and <u>Dr Rachel Adams</u>'s presentation on POPIA and the GDPR at a workshop funded by the <u>Wellcome Trust</u>, entitled 'The Governance of Data Sharing for Genomic and Other Health-Related Data in Africa', was covered in a feature by <u>Science</u>, the world-leading journal on all areas of science.

## **Updates from our network**

- ILPC Associate Research Fellow <u>Dr Richard Danbury</u> was an advisor to the University of Tirana on an MA in Investigative Journalism. The work was commissioned by the NGO <u>East-West Management</u>.
- The Carnegie UK Trust project of <u>Professor Lorna Woods</u>, ILPC Associate Research Fellow, and William Perrin, on reducing harm in social media through the 'duty of care' has been mentioned in the HoL Select Committee on Communications's report <u>'Regulating in a Digital World'</u>, as well as in the House of Commons Science and Technology Committee's <u>inquiry</u> on the impact of social media and screen use on young people's health, ahead of the Government's White Paper on Online Harms.
- ILPC Advisory Board member <u>Graham Smith</u> (Partner, Bird & Bird) recently published a <u>blog post</u> on a social media 'duty of care', entitled 'A Ten Point Rule of Law Test for a Social Media Duty of Care.'
- The Sussex <u>Centre for Information Governance Research (CIGR)</u> will be hosting its first Annual Conference in collaboration with the ILPC, entitled 'With great power comes great responsibility – Internet policy in an age of disaster capitalism'. 3rd May 2019, Institute of Advanced Legal Studied, London. Registration and further

information are available here.

• ILPC Visiting Scholar <u>Dr Maria Cristina Gaeta</u> has been appointed Research Associate at the ILPC.





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