

The Information Law and Policy Centre

Digital Rights in Brexit: Changes and Challenges

CALL FOR PAPERS



We have extended the deadline for the submission of abstracts for the ILPC Annual Conference 2019 'Digital Rights in Brexit: Changes and Challenges' to Friday, 24 May 2019.

We are pleased to announce this [call for papers](#) for the Information Law and Policy Centre's Annual Conference on **22 November 2019** at IALS in London, this year supported by Bloomsbury's *Communications Law* journal.

We are looking for **high quality and focused contributions** that consider the changes and challenges facing the protection and enjoyment of digital rights in the UK and elsewhere as a result of Brexit.

Whether based on doctrinal analysis, or empirical research, papers should offer an original perspective on the implications posed by Brexit. This scope covers both the impact on digital rights of an impending Brexit since the 2016 referendum to date, as well as the potential consequences for digital rights on leaving the EU for all individuals resident in the UK.

Topics of interest include: immigration, border control, online harms and the regulation of social media, surveillance and data privacy, data protection law and data transfers, data ethics and innovation, employment and labour, public international law.

In order to **apply**, please send an abstract of between **250-300 words** and some brief biographical information to Eliza Boudier, Fellowships and Administrative Officer, IALS: eliza.boudier@sas.ac.uk by **the revised deadline of Friday, 24 May 2019** (5pm, BST).

Abstracts will be considered by the Information Law and Policy Centre's academic staff and advisors, and the *Communications Law* journal editorial team.

Updates from the ILPC

- [Dr Nóra Ni Loideain](#) was invited as a panellist for a Public Lecture on 'The Methodology and Ethics of Targeting', Leverhulme Centre for the Future of Intelligence, Faculty of Law, University of Cambridge, 9 May 2019.
- [Dr Nóra Ni Loideain](#) delivered a presentation at the IALS PhD Training in Law Workshop, 'How to disseminate your research', Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, 10 May 2019.
- [Dr Nóra Ni Loideain](#) and [Dr Rachel Adams](#) will be delivering a presentation at 'Women Leading in AI', Houses of Parliament, 13 June 2019.
- [Dr Nóra Ni Loideain](#) was a contributor at the All Party-Parliamentary Group Roundtable, 'Rule of Law and Data', Houses of Parliament, 13 May 2019.
- [Dr Nóra Ni Loideain](#) and [Dr Rachel Adams](#) will be delivering a paper entitled 'Female Servitude by Default and Social Harm: AI Virtual Personal Assistants, Data Privacy Law, and the FTC' at the Privacy Law Scholars Conference taking place at Berkeley, California, 30-31 May 2019.
- Following a workshop on the governance of data sharing for health-related data in Cape Town last February, [Dr Nóra Ni Loideain](#) and [Dr Rachel Adams](#) co-authored a paper with other legal and medical academic experts, entitled 'Safeguarding the future of genomic research in South Africa: broad consent and the Protection of Personal Information Act 2013', in *South African Medical Journal*, 2019.
- [Dr Nóra Ni Loideain](#) will be a panellist at 'Shaping the state of machine learning algorithms within law enforcement' workshop, RUSI, London, 6 June 2019.

Updates from our network

- [Dr Judith Townend](#) and [Professor Chris Marsden](#) hosted the Inaugural Conference

of the [Sussex Centre for Information Governance Research](#), 'With great power comes great responsibility – Internet policy in an age of disaster capitalism', Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, 3 May 2019.

- [Professor Lorna Woods](#) will be participating in the workshop 'The Future of Intermediary Liability in Europe', Brussels, 21 May 2019, organized by the Chair Fundamental Rights and the Digital Transformation (LSTS, VUB), with the support of Microsoft. She will be also taking part in the Research Conference on 'Enforcement Challenges in Multi-level Regulatory Systems: Mapping the Landscapes', Faculty of Law, Economics and Finance, University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg, 22 May 2019.
- In April [Dr Richard Danbury](#) judged the quarter and semi-finals of Oxford University's Price Media Law mooting competition. He will also coordinate the 2019-20 Channel 4 Investigative Journalism Training Scheme.



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