

**Truman School of Government and Public Affairs**

**University of Missouri Law School Present**

**AI and Society: Government, Policy, and the Law**

**March 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>**

**John K. Hulston Hall, Room 7, University of Missouri**

**March 7<sup>th</sup>** (Day 1)

**8:45-9:00 a.m. Welcome and Coffee**

**9:00-9:15 a.m. Opening Remarks**

- Lael Keiser, Director, Truman School of Government and Public Affairs
- Paul Litton, Dean, University of Missouri Law School

**9:15- 10:00 a.m. Plenary:** Amanda Graor, Chief Innovation Officer/Assistant Director of Research Services, Mid-America Regional Council, Kansas City, Missouri

**10:00-10:15 a.m. Break**

**10:15-11:30 a.m. Using AI to Improve Governance and Policy** - Moderator Kathleen Miller

- *When a Tool of Government Becomes Governance: Preparing Public Sector Leaders for the Era of AI and Digital Transformation.*  
Jesse Lecy, Arizona State University and Urban Institute
- *An Enterprise View for Artificial Intelligence Capability and Governance*  
Luis Felipe Luna-Reyes, SUNY Albany  
Teresa M. Harrison, SUNY Albany
- *Achieving AI System Accountability for Collaborative Emergency Management Between Tribal Nations and U.S. Government*  
Yu-Che Chen, University of Nebraska, Omaha
- *AI, Global Development, and Policy Implementation*  
Connor T. Jerzak, University of Texas, Austin

**11:30-12:30 p.m. (Break-lunch)**

**12:30- 1:45 p.m. Impact of AI on Government and Policy - Moderator Baekkwon Park**

- *AI and Government Cyber-Operations*  
Nori Katagiri, St. Louis University
- *Data Lakes and Common Pools: Reconciling Cybersecurity and AI with Data Protection*  
Peter Swire, Georgia Tech University  
DeBrae Kennedy-Mayo, Georgia Institute of Technology  
Ian Nash, Edge Hill University
- *AI and Forensic Evidence*  
Sarah Barrington, University of California, Berkeley

**1:45-2:00 p.m. Break**

**2:00-3:15 p.m. The Impact of AI on Public Attitudes and Behavior - Moderator Lael Keiser**

- *Engagement Algorithms and Democratic Legitimacy.*  
Tim Aylsworth, Florida International University
- *The Second Order Effects of LLM and Generative AI on Political Communication*  
Kaylyn Jackson Schiff, Purdue University
- *Net Versus Relative Impacts in Public Policy Automation: a Conjoint Analysis of Attitudes of Black Americans.*  
Ryan Kennedy, University of Houston
- *Partisan Representative Bureaucracy and Attitudes Toward Automated Tax Compliance*  
Susan Miller, Arizona State University  
Lael Keiser, University of Missouri

**3:15-3:30 p.m. Break**

**3:30-4:45 p.m. Promise and Peril: Harnessing AI to Improve Democracy and Government**  
Moderator Baekkwon Park

- *Processing Civic Engagement Data with an AI Toolkit.*  
Brad A. M. Johnson, University of Nevada, Reno
- *Ghosting the Machine: Judicial Resistance to a Risk Assessment Instrument*  
Dasha Pruss, Harvard University
- *The Politics of Using AI in Policy Implementation: Evidence from a Field Experiment.*  
Shir Raviv, Columbia University

**4:45 - 5:00 p.m. Wrap Up**

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***March 8<sup>th</sup>*** (Day 2)

**9:00-9:40 a.m. Welcome and Plenary**

- Cooper Drury, Dean, College of Arts and Science.
- **Plenary:** Aaron Annable, Consul, Consulate General of Canada  
*Canada's Approach to Artificial Intelligence*

**9:40-9:45 a.m. Break**

**9:45-11:00 a.m. Challenges of Regulating AI** - Moderator Dennis Crouch

- *Comparative Analysis of AI Regulation Focusing on EU AI Act*  
Renee E. Henson, University of Missouri
- *How can we Know if you're Serious: Ethics Washing and the Responsible Design of AI Systems*  
John Nelson, Georgia Tech University
- *Offshore: The Coming Global Archipelago of Corrosive AI.*  
Brian Nussbaum, SUNY Albany
- *The Politics of AI*  
Daniel S. Schiff, Purdue University

**11:00-11:15 a.m. Break**

**11:15 to 12:30 p.m. Regulating AI across Sectors** - Moderator Dennis Crouch

- *AI and Regulating Copyright*  
Dennis D. Crouch, University of Missouri
- *Artificial Intelligence and Cracks in the Foundation of Intellectual Property*  
Robin Feldman, UC Law, San Francisco
- *Deepfakes and the Fight for Recognition: Reimagining Policymaking in Response to New and Emerging Forms of Violence and Abuse with Technology*  
Alice Fox, Stanford University
- *AI and Corporate Regulation*  
Michael Siebecker, University of Denver

**12:30-1:30 p.m. Break - lunch**

**1:30 to 2:45 p.m. AI: Equity, Justice, and Human Rights - Moderator Baekkwon Park**

- *Toward Automated Justice*  
Nikola Datzov, University of North Dakota
- *The Moon and the Ghetto: AI, Computational Algorithms and the Challenges of Systematic Bias in Public Administration and Management.*  
Jane Fountain, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- *Having your Privacy Cake and Eating it Too: Platform-Supported Auditing of Social Media Algorithms for Public Interest*  
Basileal Imana, Princeton University
- *Not Just Bad Apples: A Large Language Model Approach to Studying Police Violence Accusation Framing at U.S. Human Rights Reports*  
Jie (Jason) Lian, University of Georgia

**2:45-3:00 p.m. Break**

**3:00-4:30 p.m. Roundtable: Creating an AI-Ready Public Sector through Education Research**

Moderator Lael Keiser

Yu-Che Chen, University of Nebraska, Omaha

Jane Fountain, University of Massachusetts Amherst

Jesse Lecy, Arizona State University and Urban Institute

Renee E. Henson, University of Missouri.

**4:30-5:00 p.m. Closing Remarks**

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