



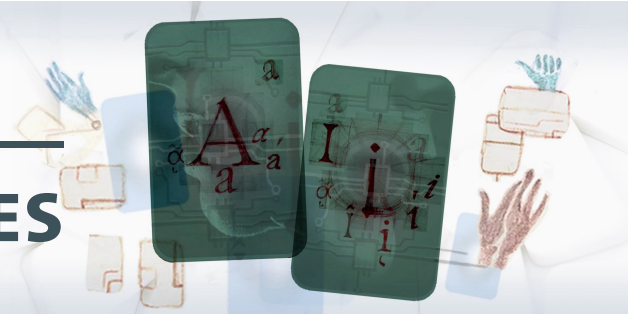
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# TAMING THE MACHINES



## AI Transformations: From the Intimate to the Political

TODAY, AI SYSTEMS MEDIATE EVERYTHING FROM FINANCIAL SYSTEMS TO CREATIVE EXPRESSION. APPLYING FOR A LOAN? YOU ARE LIKELY TO BE ASSESSED THROUGH ALGORITHMIC PROCESSES. WANT TO BRING AN IMAGE IN YOUR MIND COME TO LIFE? PEOPLE MORE AND MORE TURN TO GENERATIVE AI TOOLS TO CRAFT A REAL-LOOKING PICTURE. EVEN IN SCIENCE, PEOPLE USE GENERATIVE TEXT TOOLS TO DRAFT OR EDIT TEXTS — THE CONSEQUENCES ARE STILL UP IN THE AIR.

THIS WINTER SEMESTER, WE WILL HEAR FROM SCHOLARS WHO HAVE DEDICATED THEIR CAREERS TO INTERPRETING THESE DISRUPTIONS. JOIN US AS WE COLLECTIVELY REFLECT ON, EVALUATE, AND IMAGINE NEW WAYS TO TRANSFORM OUR TECHNOLOGICAL FUTURE.

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**22.10.2025**    **How to Achieve Digital Sovereignty in Europe?**

DEVIATING TIME:  
14:15 – 15:45 (CEST)

PROF. DR. JOSÉ VAN DIJCK (UTRECHT UNIVERSITY, NL)

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**05.11.2025**    **Risk Ethics and Big Tech Business**

PROF. DR. SVEN OVE HANSSON (UPPSALA UNIVERSITY, SE)

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**19.11.2025**    **AI, Art and Authorship. Perspectives From Ethics and Aesthetics**

PROF. DR. CATRIN MISSELHORN (GEORG-AUGUST UNIVERSITÄT GÖTTINGEN, DE)

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**26.11.2025**    **What, if Anything, Are Convivial Technologies?**

PROF. DR. DARIAN MEACHAM (MAASTRICHT UNIVERSITY, NL)

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**07.01.2026**    **AI, Explainability and Epistemic Dependence**

PROF. DR. JOCELYN MACLURE (MCGILL UNIVERSITY, CA)

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**14.01.2026**    **Implicit Knowledge in Human-Machine Relationships. A Philosophical Investigation**

PROF. DR. GABRIELE GRAMELSBERGER (RWTH AACHEN UNIVERSITY, DE)

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### Wednesday 18:15 – 19:45 (CET)

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