

INTERVENTIONS

	Name and affiliation	Theme/title	Remarks
<u>Session 2: Interactive plenary debate</u>	Mr. Joe Cannataci UN Special Rapporteur on the right to privacy,	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Protecting Privacy while connecting people 	CV +Photo
	Mr. Gilles de Kerchove , European Union Counter – Terrorism Coordinator, EU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Removal of terrorist content while protecting free speech 	CV +Photo
	Ms. Alessandra Moretti , Member of the European Parliament	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The dark side of social media: the impact of hate speech on line against minorities and women. A new legislative framework to tackle it 	CV +Photo
	Ms. Olena Cherniavska , Senior Advisor, OSCE office of the Representative on Freedom of the Medi, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Protecting free speech and protecting journalists online: the OSCE approach’. 	CV +Photo
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	<p>Mr. Peter Freitag, Deputy of the Journalists union Deutsche, Chairman of the Digital Expert Group, European Federation of Journalists</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Network Enforcement Act (NetzDG) in Germany and its impact on human rights and freedom of expression 	
<p><u>Session 3: Interactive plenary debate</u></p>	<p>Mr. Dimitris Avramopoulos, Former European Commissioner for Migration</p> <p>Ms. Shahed Al Hindi, Public Policy Manager, Human Rights, MENA, Facebook, Arab Emirates</p> <p>Mr. Peter Micek, General Counsel, Access Now</p> <p>Ms. Dragana Kauri, Executive Director of LOCALIZATION LAB</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Responses by social media companies to protect civic space and to fight terrorism - - 25 Recommendations On Content Governance: A guide for lawmakers, regulators and company policy makers - Tech won't save us: Assessing Impact & Risk Mitigation for Marginalized Communities on Social Media 	<p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p>

	<p>Mr. Anthony Bellanger, General Secretary – International Federation of Journalists</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Protecting whistleblowers is defending democracy 	
<p><u>Working Group A: Legislative frameworks regulating freedom of expression and social media</u></p>	<p>Mr. Tim Dawson, Chair of International Federation of Journalist Surveillance of journalists group</p> <p>Mr. Simon Adam, Executive Director of Global Centre for the Responsibility to Protect</p> <p>Mr. Nasser Abu Bakar, President of Palestinian Journalists' Syndicate</p> <p>Mr. Aymen Zaghdou, Legal Adviser Mena, Article 19</p> <p>Mr. Nidal Mansour, Executive President of the Center for Defending Freedom of Journalists</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Saving journalism from the tech giants, and unlocking the democratic potential of social media - Hate Speech and Incitement on Social Media: Legislating to Protect Human Rights & Prevent Atrocities - How the Middle East uses social media - Impact of laws on freedom of expression and social media in the MENA region - When legislation turns into "minefields" that strike freedom of expression and the media 	<p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p> <p>Cv + Photo</p> <p>Cv + Photo</p> <p>Cv + Photo</p>

<p><u>Working Group B: Human rights implications of blocking access to communications and social media</u></p>	<p>Mr. Gustavo Gomez, Executive Director of OBSERVACOM,</p> <p>Ms. Christy Hoffman, Secretary General of Union Network International UNU</p> <p>Mr. Adam Shapiro, Head of Visibility and communications, Frontline Defenders</p> <p>Ms. Stephanie CHABAN, Regional Advisor on gender equality and women’s empowerment, ESCWA Centre for Women</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Is the right to access social media a human right? - Blocked access to the Internet: the consequences for truth, protest and workers - Visibility for Protection: Access to and Deployment of Social Media to Defend and Advance Human Rights - Information and Communication Technology as a tool to ensure public spaces free of violence against women 	<p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p>
	<p>Mr. Fernand de Varennes, UN Special Rapporteur on Minority Issue</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The global forms project in 2020 on social media and hate speech 	<p>CV +Photo</p>

<p><u>Working Group C: Regulating Big Tech – Transparency and accountability in content moderation</u></p>	<p>Ms. Anne-Cécile Robert, Director of international relations in “Le Monde Diplomatique”</p> <p>Mr. Jerlard Josep, Commissioner of National Human Rights Commission</p> <p>Ms. Jillian York, Director for International Freedom of Expression -Electronic Frontier Foundation</p> <p>Ms. Matilda Sisättö, Senior Political Advisor, Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fake News and Hate Speech: How can we prevent social media being a conduit for lies, untruths and unfounded rumours? - Controlling Online Content Impacts Freedom of Expression: Getting the Human Rights Balance by the Big Players - Regulating big tech? Lessons from a decade of advocacy - Fundamental Rights and Controlling the Online World the EU Perspective 	<p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p> <p>CV +Photo</p>
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<p><u>Working Group D: Can established news platforms survive social media?</u></p>	<p>Mr. Larry Goldbetter, President of National Writers' Union, USA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How will the majority's information needs be met outside the social media bubble? 	<p>CV +Photo</p>
	<p>Ms. Elena Perotti, Executive Director, Media Policy and Public Affairs WAN-IFRA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sustainability of the legacy media in the digital revolution 	<p>CV +Photo</p>
	<p>Mr. Paul Murphy, CEO of Media, Entertainment and Arts Alliance MEAA Australia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How social media impact political journalism? 	<p>CV +Photo</p>
	<p>Ms. Zuliana Lainez, Chair of the IFJ regional group in Latin America and General Secretary of the National Association of Journalists</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The need for journalism in times of social networks 	<p>CV +Photo</p>

<p><u>Session 5: Interactive plenary debate</u></p>	<p>Ms. Lena Slachmuis, Senior Vice President, Programs Search for Common Ground</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Working for a safe digital neighborhood 	<p>CV +Photo</p>
	<p>Ms. Rita Izsak-Ndiay, Rapporteur of the UN Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The search for common values, multilateralism and its current challenges” (in the context of hate speech and content regulation) 	<p>CV +Photo</p>
	<p>Ms. Nighat Dad, Executive Director of Digital Rights Foundation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - identification of future activities to broaden civic space in the social media 	<p>CV +Photo</p>
	<p>Mr. Martin O’Hanlon, President, Communications Workers of America (CWA-SCA)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Social Media: Opportunities and Dangers for Journalists 	<p>CV +Photo</p>