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## Democracy and Information Warfare 2.0 – An International Law Perspective

### Conference

**Institute for Digital Law Trier (IRDT), Trier University  
University of St. Gallen**

**19 and 20 May 2022, Trier University  
Universitätsring 15, Senat Room, Building V, Room 302**

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### Programme

#### Wednesday, 18 May 2022

20:00 h Pre-Conference Dinner

#### Thursday, 19 May 2022

Place: Trier University

09:30 – 11:30 h Guided city tour to Trier University

12:00 – 13:00 h Lunch / Reception

13:00 – 13:15 h *Welcome address*  
President of Trier University, Prof. Dr. Michael Jäckel

13:15 – 13:30 h *Introductory remarks*  
Thomas Burri, St. Gallen and Antje von Ungern-Sternberg,  
Trier

13:30 – 14:15 h *International Legal Perspectives*  
*International Law and Information Warfare: Perspectives*  
*from the European Repository on Cyber Incidents*  
Matthias C. Kettemann, Innsbruck

14:15 – 15:00 h *The Impact and Legal Significance of Corrupt or Complicit*  
*Domestic Actors in International Informational Warfare*  
Kimberly Breedon and Christopher Bryant, Ohio

15:00 – 15:30 h Coffee Break

15:30 – 16:15 h *Disinformation vs. international law – how international*  
*law deals with fake news*  
Agata Kleczkowska, Warsaw

16:15 – 17:00 h *Misinformation Campaigns and Propaganda by Digital*  
*Means in Armed Conflict: The Right to Self-Determination*  
*Revisited*  
Elisabeth Hoffberger-Pippan, Berlin

17:00 – 17:45 h *Democracy, Human Rights and anonymity on the internet*  
Spyridon Vlachopoulos, Athens

19:00 h Walk from hotel to restaurant (40 minutes)

20:00 h Dinner

#### Friday, 20 May 2022

09:00 – 09:45 h *Regulating 'Offensive Lawfare'*  
David Hughes, Toronto

09:45 – 10:30 h *Legal Framework Influence Operations in Cyberspace*  
Peter B.M.J. Pijpers, Amsterdam

10:30 – 10:45 h Coffee Break

10:45 – 11:30 h *AI & XR*  
Hin-Yan Liu, Copenhagen

11:30 – 12:15 h *Cyber Security Policies*  
Russell Buchan, Sheffield

12:30 – 14:00 h Lunch

14:00 – 15:00 h *Panel*  
Chair: Ferdinand Alexander Gehringer, Berlin

*Political Voice as an 'International Community Interest': An*  
*International Legal Perspective*  
Neli Frost, Cambridge

*Transnational Repression of Freedom of Speech –*  
*Extraterritoriality of Human Rights beyond Physical Harm*  
Felix Bode, Hamburg

*Algorithmic accountability: prevention and mitigation of*  
*human rights adverse impacts*  
María de Arcos Tejerizo, Madrid

15:00 – 16:00 h Chair: Thomas Burri, St. Gallen and Antje von Ungern-  
Sternberg, Trier

*Democracy and Popularization of States threatening*  
*Cyberspace Security: Strategy versus Norm*  
Hassan Alipour and Narjes Roustai, Tehran

*International Responsibility of States for Cyber Operations:*  
*The Baltic Experience*  
Dominyka Dautaraite, Rome

*The situation at the border between Poland and Belarus –*  
*the issue of lawfare and disinformation*  
Piotr Łubiński, Krakow

16:00 – 16:30 h *Concluding remarks*  
Thomas Burri, St. Gallen and Antje von Ungern-Sternberg,  
Trier