

Friday, 17th September 2021
- Online -

International Online-Conference on “Digital Fragmentations and Digital Sovereignty”

Greetings
14:00 – 14:05

Prof. Dr. Thomas Dohmen, *Speaker of the Transdisciplinary Research Area “Individuals, Institutions and Societies” of the University of Bonn*

Keynote
14:05 – 14:35

Prof. Dr. Milton L. Mueller, *Georgia Institute of Technology, School of Public Policy*
“Against digital Sovereignty? Cyber-Fragmentation and the contested future of cyberspace”

Discussion
14:35 – 15:50

Moderator:
Prof. Dr. Maximilian Mayer, *University of Bonn*

Panel 1: Digital Sovereignty and Varieties of the Internet Regulation

Introduction
14:50 – 14:55

Moderator: Dr. Ying Huang, *University of Bonn*

14:55 – 16:10

Prof. Dr. Philipp Staab, *Humboldt University of Berlin*
“Technopolitics of AI made in Europe”

Prof. Dr. Yu Hong, *Zhejiang University*

Dr. Rogier Creemers, *University of Leiden*

Prof. Dr. David Tyfield, *Lancaster University*
“Does the vision of a global, open Internet and state’s digital sovereignty contradict each other?”

Dr. jur. Katharina Kaesling, *University of Bonn*
“EU Private International Law and Digital Sovereignty: Data Protection, AI and Underlying EU Policies”

Open Discussion
16:10 – 16:55

Break
16:55 – 17:05

Panel 2: Data Infrastructure, Data Localization, Cyber Security

Introduction
17:05 – 17:10

Moderator: Denise Feldner, Bridgehead Advisors

17:10 – 18:20

Prof. Dr. Yik-Chan Chin, Beijing Normal University
“A Comparative analysis of data sovereignty policies in China and the EU”

Dr. Sven Herpig, Stiftung Neue Verantwortung
“Cybersecurity and Digital Sovereignty”

Dr. Mischa Hansel and Dr. Jantje Silomon, IFSH in Hamburg
“Cybersecurity as a Global Public Good: Revisiting the Internet Fragmentation Debate”

Dr. Scott Robbins, University of Bonn
“Data Localization. A bad solution to the urgent problem of re-gaining digital sovereignty”

Yasmin Al-Douri: TUM School of Governance
“(Defect) Democracies in the Digital Age: Does Surveillance Capitalism push Democracies to Digital Authoritarianism?”

Open Discussion
18:20 – 19:00

End
19:00

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Panel 3: Territorializing and Securitizing Digital Applications

Introduction:
13:00 – 13:05

Moderator: Nicolas Huppenbauer, University of Bonn

13:05 – 14:05

Prof. Dr. Christian Reuter, Technical University of Darmstadt

Prof. Dr. Iris Eisenberger, University of Graz

Dr. Daniel Lambach, Goethe University Frankfurt

**Prof. Dr. Maximilian Mayer, University of Bonn and
Dr. Laura C. Mahrenbach, Technical University of Munich**
“Digital Polarity Theory”

Open Discussion
14:05 – 14:50

Break

14:50 – 15:05

Panel 4: Fragmentation of the Global Internet Governance

Introduction

15:05 – 15:10

Moderator: Dr. Mischa Hansel, IFSH in Hamburg

15:10 – 16:25

Prof. Dr. Cuihong Cai, Fudan University

“Global Internet Governance Mechanism: Fragmentation Trend and Its Causes”

Dr. William J. Drake, Columbia University

“Internet Fragmentation and the Global Governance of Digital Trade”

Prof. Dr. Josephine Wolff, The Fletcher School of Tufts University

“The Broadening Scope of Digital Sovereignty: When National Laws Have Global Impact”

Dr. Graham Webster and Katharin Tai, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

“The United States and China: Technology, Connectivity and Interdependence”

Yen-Chi Lu, University of Bonn

“Data Fragmentation Index: how government policies fragment cyberspace”

Open Discussion

16:25 – 17:10

Closing Remarks

17:10 – 17:20

End

17:20