Exploring the Intersections between Law and Artificial Intelligence: Call for papers

In-person/Virtual Workshop

Event details:

Date: 15th (Friday) September 2023

Time: 9:30 – 17:00 Cost: Free (Lunch included) – This event is funded by the Society of Legal Scholars Small Projects and Events Fund.

Location: Newton Building, Nottingham Trent University

Event Description:

The leaps in AI innovation raise ethical, legal, regulatory, and policy questions regarding what should be regulated, legislated and how it should be done. From the perspective of law, the prospects of AI rattles settled principles has and have necessitated arguments about rethinking approaches to regulations. The role of regulation in creating the environment for AI to flourish has therefore become timely as various countries and regions are beginning to draft the rules for AI. However, the challenges remain as to what to regulate, legislate and how to go about it.

Whilst capitalising on the benefits of AI technologies, the new risks arising from their use and the complexities they produce cannot be ignored. There are concerns that some uses of AI could damage our physical and mental health, infringe on the privacy of individuals, and undermine human and consumer rights. Public trust in AI will be undermined unless these risks, and wider concerns about the potentials for bias and discrimination, are addressed.

This workshop aims to propose strategies for AI regulations and legislations that are consistent with the pro-innovative stance of several nations, especially the UK. This workshop will host paper presentations exploring the potentials, flaws, and the risks of AI vis-à-vis regulations of AI across but not limited to the following themes:

- AI and intellectual property,
- AI and corporate governance,
- AI, liability, and safety,
- AI and data protection and governance.
- AI and human right
- AI in health care

Submission Details:

Abstract of no more than 250 words (excluding title) should be submitted via email to Dr Ezinne Igbokwe ezinne.igbokwe@ntu.ac.uk and Dr Onyeka Nwoha onyeka.nwoha@ntu.ac.uk

The deadline for submissions is August 1, 2023, and speakers will be notified by August 7, 2023.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Professor Jincheng Zhao- Professor Zhao is a professor of law and co-director of the Centre for Business and Insolvency Law at Nottingham Law School, Nottingham Trent University. Professor Zhao has extensive publications in AI and corporate governance and teaches on the AI and Law LLM module.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Professor Rebecca Parry- Professor Rebecca is a professor of law and co-director of the Centre for Business and Insolvency Law at Nottingham Law School, Nottingham Trent University**.** She is the module leader for AI and Law LLM module. She is interested in the intersection of technology and commercial law, including the regulatory framework needed to support digital economies and the use of artificial intelligence.

Professor Richard Hyde- Prof. Richard is a professor of Law**,** Regulation and Governance and Deputy Head School of law, University of Nottingham. Professor Richard has interest in the AI and liability as it relates to Autonomous or self-drive cars.