



JUNE 27-28, 2018 – ST. ELISABETH – BERLIN, GERMANY
THE FUTURE OF HUMANKIND IN TIMES OF REVOLUTIONARY TECHNOLOGIES

AGENDA JUNE 28, 2018

- 9.00 CHECK-IN & COFFEE TO GO
- 10.00 KICK-OFF **Frank Dopheide**, CEO, HANDELSBLATT MEDIA GROUP
Prof. Dr. Miriam Meckel, Publisher, WirtschaftsWoche

THE FUTURE OF HUMANKIND – TECHNICAL REVOLUTIONS VS. CONSCIOUSNESS

Moderation **Léa Steinacker**, Chief Innovation Officer, WirtschaftsWoche

- 10.05 **FUTURE FORECAST: Homo deus – are humans and machines merging to cyborgs?**
Miriam Meckel in conversation with **Yuval Noah Harari**, Israeli Historian & Bestselling Author
- 11.05 **KEYNOTE: Artificial intelligence for competitive advantage – European approaches and visions**
Ann Mettler, Head of European Political Strategy Centre (EPSC) – the in-house think tank of the EU Commission
- 11.35 **ENERGY BOOST: Networking Break**
- SCIENCE MEETS FUTURE OF WORK – investigating morality and machine intelligence**
- SCIENCE STATEMENTS**
- 12.05 **Developing algorithm decision-making systems**
Prof. Dr. Katharina Zweig, Head of the Algorithm Accountability Lab, TU Kaiserslautern
- 12.20 **Networks of control – about human behavior and ethical conflicts**
Prof. Dr. Sarah Spiekermann-Hoff, Director for Management Information Systems, WU Wien
- 12.35 **Challenging algorithms of oppression**
Dr. Safiya Noble, Assistant Professor, USC Annenberg
- 12.50 **Q&A – THE ACADEMIC CHALLENGE**

MORALS MACHINES

- 13.05 **DEBATE: Men vs. machine – verifying tomorrow’s working worlds**
Sven Prange, Chief Editor, ada in conversation with
Sigrid Evelyn Nikutta, CEO, BVG
Jens Redmer, Principal New Products, Google Germany
Lothar Schröder, Member of the Federal Board, ver.di
- 13.50 **NETWORKING BUSINESS LUNCH feat. “Reflexion Rounds”**
Reflecting on the future of humankind, **discussing** visionary scenarios and **questioning** intelligent systems – an interactive mission we’ll approach during our lunch break and free minutes in our **“reflexion zone”**: We’ll thematise previous topics and speakers and deepen trains of thoughts.

MEN & MACHINE – THE AI CHALLENGE

- 15.00 **TECH & ETHICS ON THE GROUND**
Live switches to **Lea Deuber**, China Correspondent, WirtschaftsWoche and
Matthias Hohensee, Silicon Valley Correspondent, WirtschaftsWoche
- 15.15 **INSPIRATION TALK: Technology to increase accessibility and enhance human lives**
Conversation with **Haben Girma**, Disability Rights Lawyer & Author
- 15.45 **TECH CHALLENGE: Transparency and poetry for algorithmic accountability**
Joy Buolamwini, Poet of Code & Founder, Algorithmic Justice League (Video)
- 15.55 **FUTURE LIFE & TECH INSIGHTS – Ethics in application**
Astrid Maier, Chief Reporter, ada in conversation with
Markus Haas, CEO, Telefónica Germany
Deborah Harrison, Writing Manager for Cortana & AI, Microsoft
Martina Koederitz, Global Industry Managing Director, IBM
- 16.40 **CLOSING KEYNOTE: Technology bringing our society together while driving it apart**
Zeynep Tufekci, Techno-sociologist
- 17.00 **LEARNINGS & OUTLOOK**
- 17.05 **NETWORKING GET-TOGETHER & END OF CONFERENCE**