



CONFERENCE PROGRAMME: TRUST IN EXPERTISE IN A CHANGING MEDIA LANDSCAPE

18-19 March 2021

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DAY 1 (THURSDAY, 18 MARCH)

11:30-12:00 Welcome & Opening Keynote | José van Dijck / Donya Alinejad – PERITIA & University of Utrecht

12:00-12:45 Keynote | Onora O’Neill – PERITIA & University of Cambridge

12:45-13:15 Lunch Break

1st Panel Session

1.1 Distrust and Disinformation

Trust and Misinformation: The Case of ‘Plandemic’
Tarun José Kattumana

1.2 Trust and Complex Media Environments

Drivers of Trust and Mistrust in Scientific Communication: The Differences between Legacy Media and Digital Media
João Pedro Estevens, Ana Delicado & Jussara Rowland

1.3 Mediations of Climate and Ecology

Making (Micro)plastics News: Reflections on Media Storytelling, Policy, and Publics
Lesley Henderson

13:15-14:45

Expulsion or Inclusion? Why Taking Conspiracy Theories Seriously Safeguards Truthful Knowledge
Jaron Harambam

How Behavioural Science Can Redesign Online Environments that Empower People to Make Informed Decisions for Themselves
Philipp Lorenz-Spreen, Stephan Lewandowsky, Cass Sunstein & Ralph Hertwig

Imagination, Scale and Belief in Climate Science
Fergal McHugh

Distrust of Scientific Findings and Expertise: Worldview, Ideology, and the Norms of Science
Stephan Lewandowsky & Klaus Oberauer

From Information Sources to Mediators: Who Feeds the Networks for and against Bolsonaro about Coronavirus
Nina Santos

Trust in Media and Expertise Among Climate Concerned and Climate Sceptics
Hallvard Moe, Synnøve Lindtner, Brita Ytre-Arne

When Trust Equals Popularity: How Facebook impacts Indian Journalism Start-ups’ Pursuit of Alternative Journalism
Darsana Vijay



2nd Panel Session

	2.1 Populism and Elites: Polarization and Expertise	2.2 Science in Social Media Events	2.3 Psychological and Philosophical Perspectives on Trust in Media
15:00-16:30	Science Related Populism, its Prevalence, Antecedents, and Outcomes Niels Mede, Mike S. Schäfer, Julia Metag & Kira Klinger	One Biologist, One Million Deaths: Expertise Between Politics, Platforms and Science During the Covid-19 Pandemic in Brazil Carlos d’Andréa & Verônica Soares da Costa	A Media for Vigilant Social Creatures Arshak Balayan
	The Rise of the Partisan Nurse and the Challenge to Move Beyond: Rethinking the Role of Populism in Dutch Healthcare Martijn Felder, Syb Kuijper, Roland Bal & Iris Wallenburg	Trust, Ethos, and Expertise in Facebook Fan Sites for Health Experts Jens Kjeldsen, Ragnhild Mølster, Øyvind Ihlen & Sine Nørholm Just	Group Testimony in Online and Offline Environments Kenneth Boyd
	“People Have Had Enough of Experts”: Epistemic Injustice and Expertise Carline Klijnman	The Dramaturgy of Expertise in Times of COVID-19. An Analysis of the Science-Policy Interface of the Dutch ‘Intelligent Lockdown’ Hedwig te Molder, Robert Prettnner, Rens Vliegenthart & Maarten Hajer	Regulating Trust in an Age of Intellectual Isolation: Examining the Role that Evolutionary Mismatch Plays in Driving the Growth of Social Media Filter Bubbles Kurtis Boyer & Andreas Falck
	The Rise and Fall of Social Hierarchical Systems: A Cognitive and Information-Theoretical Model Mauricio Martins & Stefano Palminteri	Chinese Chicken Soup and its Platformized Discontents Shuaishuai Wang & Jeroen de Kloet	The Value of Clear Labels: Meta-Regulation as Measure for Building Trust Lisa Herzog
16:30-17:00	Coffee Break		
17:00-17:45	Keynote Christoph Neuberger – Free University Berlin		
17:45-18:00	Closing Remarks Day 1		



DAY 2 (FRIDAY, 19 MARCH)

11:00-12:00 Digital Morning Coffee

12:00-12:45 Keynote | Natali Helberger – University of Amsterdam

12:45-13:15 Lunch Break

3rd Panel Session

3.1 Trust and Competing (Group) Ideologies

The Way in Which the General Trends During the COVID 19 Pandemic Affected the Media Environment in Bosnia and Herzegovina
Nedžma Džananović & Sarina Bakić

Mediatized Mistrust of Scientific Expertise Relating to MMR Vaccination in Danish Web Archive Data

Antoinette Fage-Butler, Kristian Hvidtfelt Nielsen, Loni Ledderer, Niels Brügger & Kristoffer Laigaard Nielbo

Populism and the Political Mobilization of Echo Chambers
Natascha Rietdijk

Mediating Trust: Two Lessons for Media Attempts to Boost Trust in Science
Jason Sulik & Ophelia Deroy

3.2 News Media Discourses and Trust in Science

Social Construction of Trust in Scientific Expertise and Traditional Media in a Changing Media Landscape: Emphasis on Shark Risk in Reunion Island
Barbara Losen

Dr Fauci versus President Trump: Contesting Discourses on Medical Expertise
Graham Smart

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Ricarda Ziegler

3.3 Trust and Algorithmic Platform Design

Social Media as (Dis)Information: Structural, Algorithmic, and Design Choices
Marc Cheong

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Hossein Derakhshan

Boosting the Detection of Microtargeted Advertising
Philipp Lorenz-Spreen, Michael Geers, Thorsten Pachur, Ralph Hertwig, Stephan Lewandowsky & Stefan Herzog

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4th Panel Session

	4.1 Political Impacts of Science Disinformation	4.2 The Changing Landscape of Journalism	4.3 Roundtable Discussion
15:00-16:30	COVID-19, (Hydroxy)chloroquine, Expertise and the Political Uses of Disinformation in Brazil Marina Fontolan, Leda Gitahy, Dayane Machado & Leandro Tessler	Hope on the Horizon of (Dis)trust: Democracy, Empowerment and the Changing Media Scene Suddhasatwa Guharoy	Governing Trust in European Platform Societies <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Stefan Larsson▪ Jo Pierson▪ Alison Powell▪ Judith Simon
	Mediating Trust in Medical Expertise During the Covid-19 Pandemic Sabina Mihelj, Kathy Kondor & Vaclav Stetka	'Never Let the Truth Get in the Way of a Good Story'. How Digital Media Distort our Relation to Facts. Simon Truwant	
	Systemic and Event Conspiracy Narratives in the Polish Daily Newspapers during the Presidential Election Campaign in 2020 Olivia Rachwol	Open Source Investigations as Public Practice: An Inquiry into New Methods of Trust Building Lonneke van der Velden	
16:30-17:00	Coffee Break		
17:00-17:45	Keynote Michael Latzer – University of Zurich		
17:45-18:00	Closing Remarks Day 2		

