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BOOK LAUNCH EVENT

Governance of Artificial Intelligence in the European Union: What Place for Consumer Protection?

# Programme

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UCLy Campus Saint-Paul Amphi Mérieux

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Governance of Artificial Intelligence in the European Union What Place for Consumer Protection?

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# Book Launch – Academic Event Lyon Catholic University – UCLy, Friday 29 September 2023

### Governance of Artificial Intelligence in the European Union What Place for Consumer Protection?

The book tackles the interplay between Artificial Intelligence (AI) governance and consumer protection on the European Union (EU) market. An in-depth analysis of the existing and future EU legal framework is conducted in order to assess its capacity to meet the challenges posed by AI. The effectiveness of consumer rights, and more widely of fundamental rights, in the digital single market calls for a regulatory ecosystem that fosters trust and therefore, upstream, transparency and explainability of AI systems. Hence, the book explores different normative paths - from hard law to standardization - as well as monitoring and supervision tools from ethics to media literacy - that could progressively lead to an inclusive and comprehensive EU governance structure for AI. Several book's chapters highlight the complexity of balancing conflicting interests such as the protection of consumers against the adverse impacts of AI, supporting AI development and technological innovation and putting AI at the service of empowered consumers. Ultimately, the book offers important insights into thinking about tomorrow's digital consumer in EU law, inviting a rethinking of European policy boundaries and related legal regimes.

#### **MORNING 9h20-12h30**

10h00: Dean's Welcome Address Prof. **Michel Cannarsa**, Lyon Catholic University

10h10: Book Editors' Introduction Ass. Prof. **Cécile Pellegrini,** Lyon Catholic University & Prof. **Marion Ho-Dac**, University of Artois

10h20: Book's Key Findings Prof. **Pascal Pichonnaz**, University of Fribourg & President of ELI

Q&A Coffee Break

#### 11H30-12H15 ROUND TABLE 1 – AI, EU CONSUMER PROTECTION AND EMPOWERMENT

Chair: Ass. Prof. **Cécile Pellegrini**, Lyon Catholic University

Ass. Prof. Mathieu Guillermin, Lyon Catholic University

Ass. Prof. Mouna Mouncif Moungache, St Etienne University

**Lunch Break** 

#### 14H00-14H45 ROUND TABLE 2 - AI, EU CONSUMER PROTECTION AND RISKS

Chair: Prof. Marion Ho-Dac, Artois University

Prof. Gregory Lewkowicz, Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB)

Dr. Bertrand Braunschweig, Institut de recherche technologique SystemX

#### 14H45-15H30 ROUND TABLE 3 – AI, EU CONSUMER PROTECTION AND ENFORCEMENT

Chair: Prof. **Tobias Lutz**i, Augsburg University

Ass. Prof. **Olivia Tambou**, Paris Dauphine University

Prof. Gaelle Marti, Lyon III University

#### 15H30 KEY NOTE ON THE FUTURE OF AI GOVERNANCE IN THE EU AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

Prof. Geraint Howells, University of Galway

16H00 END OF THE EVENT

# **Scientific Board**

Cécile PELLEGRINI, Lyon Catholic University

Marion HO-DAC, University of Artois

## **Practical information**

Fees

Open to students and academics

For lawyers : eligible to formation continue (fees 80€)

#### Registration

• Online: https://www.ucly.fr/l-ucly/ agenda/launch-book-academic-eventgovernance-of-artificial-intelligencein-the-european-union-what-placefor-consumer-protection/ \*

\*Possibility to follow the event online

#### Place

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