**Digital Rights (online conference)**

**23 January 2025**

10:00-16:30 (British time)

**Call for Abstracts**

**Abstract deadline: 9 December 2024**

This online interdisciplinary conference hosted by University of Derby, in partnership with Valencia University, Portsmouth University and Haifa University, asks several questions as part of a long-term dialogue: *How does the digital universe impact upon the rights of humans?* *What is the role of the actors (state, private sector, international organisations etc.) in this interplay? Should they be involved? How can we navigate this dynamic landscape?*

This Conference will explore national, international and regional law, policy and/or soft law, looking at the scope for change and reform.

Papers on **digital rights** are welcome, as are papers on specific themes including:

  1) Regulation vs Deregulation

  2) Online safety

 3) The role and liability of providers of digital media

  4) Digital citizenship

  5) The right to education and the role of digitalization

  6) The role of AI in education

  7) Barriers to access to online education

  8) The role of digitalization in emergency education (e.g., education in crisis zones, education in times of crisis, education and displaced persons)

  9) Use of edTech and impact on fundamental rights

If you're interested in delivering a paper, please submit your abstract and bio by 9 Dec 2024**,** using the form at:

<https://forms.office.com/e/aGh0nEXus7>

Decisions on papers and invites to present will be sent out by end of December 2024.

We aim to work towards a joint publication of papers linked to this Conference. Attendance will be free of charge.

If you have any queries, please contact, Michala Meiselles at m.meiselles@derby.ac.uk

Thank you,

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