

# TRUST IN ONLINE SOCIAL NETWORKS

**LOCATION:** University of West Attica,  
Conference Center in Ancient Olive Grove  
Campus, 250 Thivon & P. Ralli str,  
Egaleo 12241, Athens  
**DATE:** December 7, 2024  
**TIME:** 10:00 am, Greek time zone

## AGENDA (SESSIONS IN GREEK)

**09:30-10:00** Registration

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**10:00 - 10:10** Opening Speech  
Professor Charalampos Z. Patrikakis  
University of West Attica

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**10:10 - 10:30** *"Methodologies for tackling disinformation on social media"*  
Panagiotis Monachelis - Lab Teaching Staff/Researcher  
University of West Attica

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**10:30 - 10:50** "Social Media as online news communities and their influence on the news agenda"  
Zinovia Sapouna - Journalist

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**10:50 - 11:10**

*"Human rights in Social Media"*

Nikolaos Voudouris - LL.M - PhD candidate

University of West Attica

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**11:10 - 11:30**

*"Strategies to counter disinformation in Europe: The European Digital Media Observatory and corresponding initiatives"*

Danae Tsampouraki - Project Manager/Team Lead at Athens Technology Center

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**11:30 - 11:50**

*"From Lab to Legislation: Science Communication and Fact-Checking as Barriers Against Misinformation"*

Stamos Archontis - Science communicator for the YouTube Channel The Mad Scientist / Editor-in-chief for the Greek fact-checking organization FactReview

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**11:50 - 12:10**

*"Post truth, correctness and trust in social media"*

Associate Professor Petros Stefaneas - School of applied mathematical and physical sciences, NTUA

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**12:10 - 12:30**

*"The dissemination of fake news in Greek criminal law"*

Dr. Fotis Spyropoulos (PostDoc)

Assistant Professor of Criminal Law Philips University

Lawyer at the Supreme Court of Greece - Criminal Justice (master) -

Criminologist (master)-Financial Advisor (Economic Chamber of Greece)

Vice-president Center for the Study of Crime

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**12:30 - 12:50**

*"Internet phenomena of the modern era and coping practices"*

Officer of Cyber Crime Division (Hellenic Police)

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**12:50 - 13:10**

Coffee break

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# TRUST IN ONLINE SOCIAL NETWORKS

LOCATION: YouTube UniWA channel

<https://www.youtube.com/live/-2tCg-tYBCg>

DATE: December 7, 2024

TIME: 13:00 (Greek time zone or 11:00 GMT)

## AGENDA (SESSIONS IN ENGLISH)

*The timetable refers to the Greek time zone (GMT +2)*

**13:10 - 13:30**

*"Ecosystem of trust in science in changing research environments"*  
Dr. Agata Gurzawska - Research Manager, Trilateral Research &  
Coordinator of the EU-funded VERITY project

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**13:30 - 13:50**

*"Misinformation on Online Social Networks"*  
Dr. Ya-Wen Teng - Institute of Information Science, Academia Sinica,  
Taiwan

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**13:50 - 14:10**

*"Can social media build social trust?"*  
Professor Peter Gladoic Håkansson - Malmö University

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**14:10 - 14:30**

*"Building trust through podcasting and outreach"*  
Christopher George  
Researcher in Barcelona Biomedical Research Park (PRBB) - Podcast creator  
"Research Uncorked" and "Science with a View"

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**14:30 - 14:50**

"Information Hygiene in social media in the age of AI"  
Professor George Loukas - University of Greenwich

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**14:50 - 15:10**

"Understanding Susceptibility to Fake News Online and Public Trust in Science"  
Professor Kalypso Iordanou - University of Central Lancashire, Cyprus

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**15:10 - 15:30**

*"Generative AI and disinformation - the vera.ai project"*  
Olga Papadopoulou - Project Manager - Information Technology Institute, Thessaloniki, Greece

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**15:30 - 15:50**

*"The social dynamics behind communication vulnerability. How to address misinformation, trust, and confidence in online social networks"*  
Dr. Diotima Bertel - AIT Austrian Institute of Technology GmbH

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**15:50 - 16:10**

"The more I consume, the less I trust: Analysing social media consumption among young audiences"  
Professor Ana Pérez Escoda - University Francisco de Vitoria (Madrid - Spain)