

Academic with Media Expertise



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Fields of Expertise

Protection of personal information, privacy and civil liberties, surveillance and new technologies.

Recent Media Topics

Use of personal data in 2019 Canadian election 2019; social media and political parties; biometric identification; facial recognition technologies; impact of European privacy regulation on North America.

Media Expertise - Examples

Recent Example: https://www.theglobeandmail.com/opinion/article-a-data-driven-election-can-be-ethical/?cmpid=rss&utm_source=dlvr.it&utm_medium=twitter

TV/Video: CBC, CTV, YouTube: Privacy Laws & BusinessChannel, EUCanet
Print/Online: Maclean's, The Globe and Mail, Vancouver Sun, The Hill Times, Brampton Guardian, OpenCanada, The Tyee, Ipolitics
Radio/Podcast: CBC Radio "The Current", CFAX, Competition Lore

Tips for TV/Radio interviews

"Be aware of the difficulties faced by journalists in getting accurate stories into print in a timely fashion; be patient; don't expect journalists to have the time to read lengthy academic articles; try to cultivate certain journalists so that you can call them if you have a likely news story; ensure that they follow you on Twitter; invite interested journalists to scholarly conferences and events. "

Why engaging with media ?

"It's fun...even when you get misquoted! "