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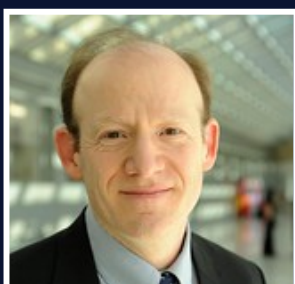
Speakers Bio Book

**Speakers ordered according to their appearance in the agenda for the launch.*



**Adam
Murray**

Adam Murray is International Affairs Officer for the Office of International Communications and Information Policy at the U.S. Department of State. His current focus is on digital economic policy as a career U.S. diplomat. Prior to his current position, he has also served at the U.S. Delegation to the OECD in Paris, as well as in Myanmar, Hong Kong, and Washington, DC. He holds a Master's Degree in Public Administration from the Harvard Kennedy School of Government and a Bachelor's in Science of Foreign Service from Georgetown University.



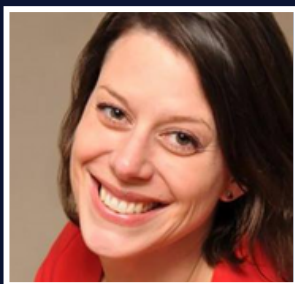
**Andrew W.
Wyckoff**

Andrew W. Wyckoff is the Director of the OECD's Directorate for Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) where he oversees OECD's work on innovation, business dynamics, science and technology, information and communication technology policy as well as the statistical work associated with each of these areas. He was previously Head of the Information, Computer and Communications Policy (ICCP) division at the OECD which supports the organisation's work on information society as well as consumer policy issues. Mr. Wyckoff is a citizen of the United States, holds a BA in Economics from the University of Vermont, and a Master of Public Policy from the JFK School of Government, Harvard University.



**Gabriela
Ramos**

Gabriela Ramos is the OECD Chief of Staff and Sherpa to the G20, and in this capacity supports the Secretary General's leadership. She is responsible for the contributions of the OECD to the global agenda, including in the G20, G7, APEC and oversees the Global Relations Secretariat. She promoted the G20 Gender target, as well as the G20 Global Forum on Steel Excess Capacity, the G20 Climate and Growth analysis and the G7 Business for Inclusive Growth, among many other deliverables. She leads the Inclusive Growth Initiative and the New Approaches to Economic Challenges and oversees the Employment and Social Affairs work (including gender work).



**Audrey
Plonk**

Audrey Plonk is the Head of the Digital Economy Policy (DEP) Division. Before joining the OECD, Audrey was Senior Director of Public Policy at Intel Corporation where over the last decade she has focused on a wide variety of digital policy issues including security, connectivity, data, artificial intelligence and autonomous driving policy issues.



**Karine
Perset**

Karine Perset is administrator of the OECD AI Policy Observatory, in the Digital Economy Policy Division of the OECD. She focuses on trends in development and diffusion of AI and on opportunities and challenges that AI raises for public policy and on developing OECD.AI, the OECD's AI Policy Observatory. She was previously Advisor to ICANN's Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) and was the Counsellor to the OECD's STI Directors. Karine is a dual Franco-American citizen.



**Makiko
Yamada**

Makiko Yamada leads the Ministry's international policy co-ordinations and co-operations. Before taking up her current position, she served as Director-General of several bureaus within the Ministry, including Director General of the Global ICT Strategy Bureau (2015) – she led the organisation of the G7 ICT Ministerial Meeting held in Takamatsu, Japan, in April 2016 (where the international discussion towards AI guidelines began). She has been engaged in various policy fields and showed her expertise, including her service as the Executive Assistant to the Prime Minister Shinzo Abe (2013) and Deputy Mayor of Setagaya City, Tokyo (2004).



**Lynne
Parker**

Lynne Parker is the Deputy United States Chief Technology Officer at the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy, and also serves as Assistant Director for AI, leading national policy efforts in AI research, governance, and education and workforce training. Dr. Parker is a Professor of computer science at the University of Tennessee (UT) (on leave). She has held leadership positions at UT (Interim Dean), at the National Science Foundation (Division Director), and at Oak Ridge National Laboratory (Distinguished R&D Staff Member and Group Leader). She received her PhD from MIT, and is a Fellow of AAAS and IEEE.



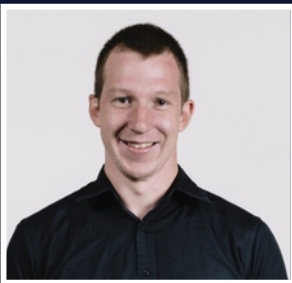
**Michael
Schönstein**

Michael Schönstein is the Head of Strategic Foresight and Analysis at the Policy Lab Digital, Work & Society. He co-ordinates the German Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs' activities on the digital transformation in labour and social affairs, including the German AI strategy, and the German AI Observatory. Prior to this, Michael held various positions in the German Federal Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs, the German Federal Ministry of Health, and at the OECD. Michael holds degrees in Economics, International Relations, and Public Policy from the University of St Andrews (UK) and the Hertie School of Governance (Germany).



**Igor
Perisic**

Igor Perisic is the Vice President of Engineering and Chief Data Officer at LinkedIn, the social network for business and employment. He is responsible for the company's Data and Analytics infrastructure and products. At LinkedIn, he built the SNA team and is currently working on Search, the Social Graph, Data Infrastructure, A/B platforms, measurement, modeling, and relevance.



**Jack
Clark**

Jack Clark is the Policy Director for OpenAI, an AI research organization ensuring that the benefits of artificial general intelligence are widely and evenly distributed. Jack predominantly works on policy and safety issues. He also helps develop the AI Index, an AI forecasting and progress initiative that is part of the Stanford One Hundred Year Study on AI. In his spare time he writes an AI newsletter, Import AI (importai.net) which is read by more than ten thousand experts.



**Clara
Neppel**

Clara Neppel is the Senior Director of the IEEE European office in Vienna, where she is responsible for the growth of IEEE's operations and presence in Europe, focusing on the needs of industry, academia, and government. Clara serves as a point of contact for initiatives with regard to technology, engineering and related public policy issues that help implementing IEEE's continued global commitment to fostering technological innovation for the benefit of humanity. She co-authored publications both in the field of patentability of computer implemented inventions as well as possible future scenarios of the patent system. She holds a Ph.D. in Computer Science from the Technical University of Munich and a Master in Intellectual Property Law and Management from the University of Strasbourg.



**Taylor
Reynolds**

Taylor Reynolds is Technology Policy Director of MIT's Internet Policy Research Initiative where he oversees the operations of the initiative and focuses his research on the nexus of cutting-edge technological developments, economics and policy. He was previously a senior economist at the OECD focusing on the Internet economy. He also worked at the ITU, the World Bank and the National Telecommunications and Information Administration of the United States. Taylor has an MBA from MIT and a Ph.D. in Economics from American University in Washington, DC.



**Lucilla
Sioli**

Lucilla Sioli is the Director for Digital Industry at the European Commission. The mission of the Directorate is to strengthen Europe's competitiveness ensuring that any industry in any sector in Europe can make the best use of digital innovations to grow, compete on a global scale, and create jobs. She is responsible for the coordination of the European digitisation of industry strategy. The directorate also supports R&D&I in key digital industrial technologies including AI. Lucilla holds a PhD in Economics from the University of Southampton (UK) and one from the Catholic University of Milan (Italy) and has been a civil servant with the European Commission since 1997.



**Marko
Grobelnik**

Marko Grobelnik is a researcher in the field of AI. Focused areas of expertise are Machine Learning, Data/Text/Web Mining, Network Analysis, Semantic Technologies, Deep Text Understanding, and Data Visualization. Marko co-leads AI Lab at Jozef Stefan Institute in Slovenia and is the CEO of Quintelligence.com specialized in solving complex AI problems for the commercial world. He collaborates with major European academic institutions and major industries. Marko is co-author of several books, co-founder of several start-ups and is/was involved into over 50 EU funded research projects on various fields of Artificial Intelligence. In 2016 Marko became Digital Champion of Slovenia at the European Commission.



**Kuansan
Wang**

Kuansan Wang is managing director of Microsoft Research (MSR) Outreach, responsible for Microsoft Academic Services (MAS). He joined MSR speech research team in 1998 where he participated in research and then product efforts while serving as a contributing editor to W3C, ECMA and ISO standards. He returned to MSR in 2007 to conduct research on machine cognition for Bing, with MAS project, commissioned in 2014, an offshoot of this endeavor. Kuansan received his BS from National Taiwan University and MS, PhD from University of Maryland, College Park, all in Electrical Engineering.



**Carolyn
Nguyen**

Carolyn Nguyen is Director, Technology Policy at Microsoft, focused on policy issues related to artificial intelligence, digital transformation and internet governance. Her work aims to shape technology policy globally, encouraging evidence-based policy making and raising awareness of the role of technology in economic growth, through participation in public policy dialogues, including at the OECD, UN, Internet Governance Forum, World Summit on Information Society, B20, and World Economic Forum. She works at the intersection of technology, economic development and policy, collaborating with researchers, subject-matter experts and others to encourage more holistic approaches to policy making.



**Michael
Sellitto**

Michael Sellitto is Deputy Director of Stanford Human-Centered AI Institute. From 2015-2018, Michael served in the White House as Director for Cybersecurity Policy on the National Security Council staff. In that role he led international engagement on cybersecurity policy and strategy, promoted international adoption of a framework for strategic stability in cyberspace, and advanced U.S. interests on issues related to the digital economy and Internet governance. He also led international negotiations to develop cybersecurity partnerships. Michael previously served as Special Assistant to Deputy Secretaries of State William Burns and Antony Blinken, advising the Deputies on political, energy, security, and trade issues related to South and Central Asia and on worldwide cyber and counterterrorism policy and operations.



**Nicolas
Mialhe**

Nicolas Mialhe is the Co-founder & President at The Future Society. He co-founded The Future Society in 2014 and incubated it at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government. An independent think-and-do-tank, The Future Society specializes in questions of impact and governance of emerging technologies, starting with AI through its "AI Initiative" launched in 2015. He is the co-convenor of the AI Civic Forum (AICF) organized in partnership with UNESCO and Mila, and of the Global Governance of AI Roundtable (GGAR) organized yearly during the World Government Summit in Dubai. He is also a Steering Committee member of the AI Commons partnership and of the Global Council on Extended Intelligence (CXI). Nicolas teaches at Sciences Po (Paris).



**David
Sadek**

David Sadek is Vice President for Research, Technology & Innovation at Thales. He was Vice President for Research at IMT ("Institut Mines-Télécom") and, previously, Vice President for Research at Orange. Doctor in Computer Science and expert in AI and Cognitive Science, he created and ran at Orange Labs during more than fifteen years the R&D activities and the laboratory on intelligent agents and natural human-machine dialogue. He also directed several industrial transfer and service deployment programs. He got France Télécom Award for Best Technology Innovation, Orange Award for Best Service Innovation, European Customer Relationship Forum Award, and Blondel Medal in Artificial Intelligence and Cognitive Science.



**Samuel
Marleu**

Samuel Marleau Ouellet is the director of Innovation, Science and Economic Development's AI Hub. His team is in charge of AI-related bilateral and multilateral initiatives, such as the Global Partnership on AI (GPAI) and supports the Government of Canada AI Advisory Council. Prior to that at ISED, he was the manager of the trade policy unit and senior industry analyst. He was also a senior trade policy analyst at Global Affairs Canada. Samuel graduated with a Ph.D. in Business Administration from HEC Montreal and a M.A. in political philosophy from Ottawa University. His research interests are in internationalization strategies and cultural management. Before joining the Canadian federal public service, he served as a political advisor in the government of the province of Quebec.



**Yoichi
Iida**

Yoichi Iida is the Director of International Research and Policy Coordination, at the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications of Japan (MIC-Japan). He has been long engaged in the international policy coordination and discussions at G7, G20 and ASEAN and IGF, as well as through bilateral dialogues. In the course of 2019, he chaired G20 Digital Economy Task Force meetings and led the G20 discussion toward the adoption of “G20 AI Principles”, which is drawn from OECD AI Principles. He was elected as the Chair of the Committee on the Digital Economy Policy (CDEP) at the OECD in November 2019.



**Moez
Chakchouk**

Moez Chakchouk has served as UNESCO’s Assistant Director-General for Communication and Information since May 2018, where he is responsible for the Organization’s programmes on fostering freedom of expression and building inclusive knowledge societies. From 2015 to 2018, Mr Chakchouk was Chairman and CEO of the Tunisian Post, a leading institution for social and financial inclusion in Tunisia. In February 2011, after the Tunisian revolution, Moez was appointed Chairman and CEO of ATI (the former Tunisian Internet Agency), the leading internet operator in Tunisia since 1996. In 2015, he served as a member of the Global Commission on Internet Governance. He obtained an MS in Telecommunications and a PhD in telecommunications and applied mathematics in 2009 from Paris Descartes University, France.



**Aki Ilari
Enkenberg**

Aki Enkenberg is Senior Digital Development Specialist with the Digital Development Global Practice of the World Bank. Currently, he leads the Practice’s work in Southern Africa and its project on AI policy. Recently, he has been a lead author for reports on the digital economy in Russia and South Africa. Before joining the bank, he held the position of Senior Adviser for Science, Technology and Innovation at the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland. He has an extensive background in working with emerging technologies, innovation policy and practice in both developed and developing contexts.



**Alessandro
Fusacchia**

Alessandro Fusacchia is an Italian member of Parliament, secretary of Movimenta, a new Italian political organization, and a novelist. He is currently serving in the Chamber of Deputies as a member of the permanent commission on Culture, Science and Education and has promoted and established the Inter-parliamentary group on AI. He has previously served as Head of Cabinet at the Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research (MIUR). He also was Special Advisor to the Minister of Foreign Affairs for Economic Diplomacy (May 2013-February 2014) and Special Advisor to the Minister of Economic Development for European Affairs, Youth and Innovation (March 2012-April 2013).



**Ulrik V.
Knudsen**

Ulrik Vestergaard Knudsen, took up his duties as Deputy Secretary-General of the OECD in January 2019. His portfolio includes the strategic direction of OECD policy on Science, Technology and Innovation; Employment, Labour and Social Affairs, Migration, Health; and Centre for Entrepreneurship, SMEs', Regions & Cities. He holds a Masters degree in Economics from the University of Copenhagen (1994), where he also acted as external lecturer, and he has published various papers and publications on Asia, WTO, trade policy and globalisation.



**Russel
Mills**

Russel Mills leads the engagement with its global constituency of leading national business organizations, their respective member companies, and with the OECD and member governments on global governance. He oversees Business at OECD's strategic dialogue with the OECD Secretary General and senior government officials. Mr. Mills previously chaired the Environment and Energy Committee of Business at OECD for over 5 years, representing the organization in several Ministerial meetings. He is a physics graduate of Oxford University.



**Pierre
Habbard**

Pierre Habbard was appointed General Secretary of the OECD Trade Union Advisory Committee (TUAC) following his election on 15 December 2017 by the Plenary of the TUAC representing 59 national trade union confederations based in OECD Countries. The Trade Union Advisory Committee to the OECD (TUAC) is an independent international trade union organisation which has consultative status with the OECD. The TUAC represents the views of the labour movement with the OECD and its various committees. In this capacity, Mr. Habbard is responsible for leading the public policy advocacy of the trade union movement in the OECD. He coordinates the TUAC Secretariat based in Paris.



**Marc
Rotenberg**

Marc Rotenberg is President and Executive Director of the Electronic Privacy Information Center (EPIC). Marc is one of the leading experts in Internet law and policy in the United States and one of the best-known privacy advocates in the world. He is a graduate of Harvard College and Stanford Law School, and received an LLM in International and Comparative Law from Georgetown. Marc participates in ONE AI on behalf of the OECD Civil Society Information Society Advisory Council (CSISAC).



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