

Agenda (CEST)

3:30 - 3:35pm

OPENING

- **Lorraine Porciuncula**, Executive Director, Datasphere Initiative

3:35 - 4:15pm

SESSION 1: THE STATE OF DATA REGULATION IN EUROPE

This session will discuss how European efforts to design data policies are ongoing and evolving, and assess how the European Union and non-EU member states are approaching data governance. Speakers will be invited to share their research on key trends and offer insights on how approaches to data are contributing to the region's ability to responsibly unlock the value of data for all.

Moderator

- **Mariana Rozo-Paz**, Research Associate, Datasphere Initiative

Speakers

- **Prof. Moritz Hennemann**, Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Passau
- **Prof. Thomas Margoni**, Research Professor of Intellectual Property Law, KU Leuven University
- **Alek Tarkowski**, Director of Strategy, Open Future
- **Ella Etienne-Denoy**, Senior Director, Head of ESG & Sustainability Services, CBRE France
- **Antonio Biason**, Legal and Policy Officer at the Data Policy and Innovation Unit of the Directorate-General for Communications Networks, Content and Technology, DG CNECT

Q&A

4:15 - 4:55pm

SESSION 2: EUROPE'S APPROACH TO DATA GOVERNANCE AND THE GLOBAL MAJORITY: IMPACT AND LEARNINGS

This session will discuss how European (and global) data governance efforts have developed in a fragmented and siloed manner and the impact this is having on data governance approaches in the global majority and the ability to deal with emerging technology such as Artificial Intelligence. Speakers will discuss how multistakeholder engagement, especially engaging practitioners and innovators, and international cooperation are key to create a common language around data governance, protect human rights and also promote global competitiveness and data usage for innovation.

Moderator

- **Carolina Rossini**, Director for Policy & Research, Datasphere Initiative

Speakers

- **Afua Bruce**, Adjunct Faculty, Carnegie Mellon University
- **Adedeji Adeniran**, Director of Research, Center for the Study of the Economies of Africa
- **Astha Kapoor**, Co-Founder, Aapti Institute
- **Jacqueline Pigatto**, Project Lead, Data Privacy Brasil

Q&A

4:55 - 5:00pm

CLOSING REMARKS

- **Bertrand de La Chapelle**, Chief Vision Officer, Datasphere Initiative

5:00 - 5:30 pm

OPTIONAL NETWORKING BREAKOUT ROOMS