Niels ten Oever, PhD

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Objective

Work Experience

<u>University of Amsterdam</u> Assistant Professor

April 2023 - Present

University of Amsterdam critical infrastrucure lab Co-Principal Investigator

Co-Principal Investigator January 2022 - Present

Fundação Getúlio Vargas

Associated Scholar September 2019 – present Visiting Professor December 2022

Simon Fraser University

Affiliated Faculty October 2020 - December 2023

European University Viadrina

Research Fellow September 2019 – December 2023

Center for Democracy and Technology

Non-Resident Fellow 2021- 2023

University of Amsterdam

Postdoctoral Researcher December 2020 – March 2023 Examine the workings of power in transnational communication infrastructures through their material technology, governance, and standardization

- Assistant Professor of Al and European Democracies
- Research focus on infrastructural ideologies in communication networks the European Union, Russia, China
- Teaching in field of governance, history, politics, and philosophy of technology in Europe and beyond
- Supervising BA and MA theses
- Supervising research assistant, PhD student, postdoctoral researcher, and a project manager
- Coordinator Amsterdam School for Regional, Transnational and European Studies (ARTES) cluster digital networks, communications, and technologies
- Co-lead Amsterdam Center for European Studies (ACES) theme group on Tech, Power, and Policy
- Co-Pl and Lead researcher of the <u>critical infrastructure lab</u>, specifically on the topic of the role of technology in geopolitics
- Establishing and fundraising the lab together with Fieke Jansen and Peter 'Maxigas' Dunajcsik.
- Chairing bi-weekly international reading group on infrastructure
- Organizing workshop with the Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Ministry of Economic Affairs on the development of an integrated infrastructure policy
- Organizing a range of panels, summer schools, and workshops
- Researching the potential impact of the development and implementation of 5G on human rights with a specific focus on Brazil and South Africa
- Contributor to the cyberBRICS project
- Lecturer in field of Technology and Geopolitics
- Affiliated faculty with the Digital Democracies Institute
- Contributor to the Cyberwar Topologies project
- Member of the Critical Infrastructures study group under the lead of Dr. Svitlana Matviyenko
- Research fellow with the Centre for Internet and Human Rights with a specific focus on the politics, inscription, and subversion of norms and values in digital information architectures
- Collaborate with the CTO of CDT on mainstreaming inclusive language in standards bodies
- Participate in podcasts
- Researcher with the NWO-funded IN-SIGHT.it project on the topic of citizenship and standard-setting in digital networks – with a particular focus on co-designing for public values in standardsmaking and governance of 5G networks
- Contributor and coordinator <u>BigBang</u> quantitative analysis software package for network, statistical, and discourse analysis

Technische Universität Berlin

Visiting Scholar September 2022

Texas A&M University

Postdoctoral Research Fellow March 2020 – March 2021

Polis180

Residency November – December 2020

University of Amsterdam

PhD Candidate October 2015 – October 2020

ARTICLE 19

Head of Digital January 2014 – January 2018

- Organizer of several workshops with municipal and national government on communication infrastructure policies
- Visiting researcher with the Collaborative Research Center "Re-Figuration of Spaces" (CRC 1265)
- Collaborative research into datastreams in the city by organizing infrastructure walks, focusing on sensors, antenna's and other telecommunications and internet infrastructure
- Postdoc with prof. dr. Sandra Braman on the evolution of global telecommunications regimes, with a specific attention to the 3GPP and the development of 5G
- Three week residency with artists, scientists, and practitioners to co-design Data Policy and Cross-sector Collaborations in the EU.
- The resulting white paper serves as input for the German Federal Foreign Office.
- PhD dissertation: 'Wired Norms: inscription, resistance, and subversion in the governance of the Internet infrastructure'.
- PhD defense October 28th 2020
- PhD candidate in the DATACTIVE Research Group at the Media Studies and the Political Science departments at the University of Amsterdam.
- Research focuses on the evolution of the notion of public interest in the Internet architecture and its governance using quantitative and qualitative methods

Strategy and management

- Defining and implementing a global digital strategy
- Designing, fundraising, and managing Global Digital Team consisting of six professionals around the world
- Supporting and liaising with ARTICLE19s eight global offices on digital issues

Internet governance

- Co-chairing Cross Community Working Group on Enhancing ICANNs Accountability Work Stream Two Human Rights Subgroup
- Co-chairing Research Group on <u>Human Rights Protocol</u> <u>Considerations</u> in the Internet Research Taskforce
- Chairing Cross Community Working Party on <u>ICANNs Corporate</u> and <u>Social Responsibility to Respect Human Rights</u>
- Member of the General Principles Committee for the <u>IEEE Global</u> Initiative on Ethics of Autonomous and Intelligent Systems
- Participant in Cross Community Working Group on Enhancing ICANN's Accountability - Work Stream One
- Representing ARTICLE 19 and heading its contributions to NETmundial, Internet Governance Forum, ICANN, IETF and the ITU
- Co-developing <u>Internet Legislation Atlas</u>
- Representing ARTICLE 19 in the Web We Want advisory board and the ICANN Non-Commercial User Constituency
- Co-authoring ARTICLE 19 Response to UN Special Rapporteur's Call for Comments on Encryption and Anonymity Online
- Co-authoring two Internet Governance papers on ICANN Accountability and Transparency

Security and surveillance

- Fundraising and designing digital security upgrade and free software migration for Brazil and Mexico office
- Implementing <u>censorship measurement project</u> with Brazil, Bangladesh, Kenya and Tunisia office
- Fundraising and implementing World Cup anti-surveillance

project with Brazil office

Internet Protection Lab

Coordinator November 2012 -October 2013

Free Press Unlimited

Programme Coordinator MFNA & ICT February 2011 -October 2013

Press Now / Free Press Unlimited

Programme Coordinator Horn of Africa May 2009 -February 2012

Mediaction Foundation

Director May 2007 -April 2009

Education

2023 - 2025

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2023 - 2024

- Establishing a network organization with eight relevant actors in the 'IT for Human Rights and Development' field
- Managing the implementation of Publeaks an anonymous whistleblowing platform for 10+ Dutch media outlets
- Organizing integrated security trainings in digital, physical and psychosocial security in Ethiopia, Bahrain and Russia
- Developing a crowd contribution platform for software supporting the free, open and unfiltered web
- Managing the development of the Storymaker app for Android
- Overseeing the implementation of the app and training of 600 journalist and citizen reporters in Morocco, Tunisia, Egypt and Irag. With spin offs in Zimbabwe and Libva
- Envisaging the app, writing the proposal, raising the necessary funds for a five year project
- Developing, fundraising and implementing strategy and projects for Ethiopia, Eritrea and Somalia
- Establishing Somalia office in Hargeisa, Somaliland and network of 15 Somali media outlets
- Training professional and citizen journalists in Ethiopia, Somalia, Eritrea and Afghanistan and Egypt in journalism and digital security
- Migrating Free Press Unlimited from a Windows environment to a Linux environment with improved digital security features
- Establishing Ethiopia's first community radio station in Jimma
- Designing community radio guides in Amharic, Afaan Oromo and English
- Developing a localized Linux envrionment for community radio stations in Ethiopia
- Training the journalism staff, board of directors, volunteers and technician of the radio station
- University Teaching Qualification (UTO/BKO) University of Amsterdam
- PhD Superb Supervision course Mennen Consulting
- Research MA Philosophy University of Amsterdam (cum laude)
- Diploma in journalism Hogeschool Windesheim in Zwolle
- European Technology Policy since 1975: Al, Starlink, and 5G, BA elective course, 6 EC
- Multilevel Politics in the European Union, BA compulsory course,
- Building a Digital Europe, MA elective course, 6 EC
- Diploma en Gobernanze de Internet, post graduate course, Centro de Estudios en Tecnología y Sociedad (CETyS) de la Universidad de San Andrés
- European Integration and Democracy, BA compulsory course, 6
- Technology Policy in Europe after 1975: Space, Telecommunications, and the Internet, BA elective course, 6 EC
- Building a Digital Europe, MA elective course, 6 EC
- Democracy in the European Union. MA elective course, University of Amsterdam, 6 EC

BA Philosophy – University of Amsterdam, Humboldt University

2022	- 2023
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2016 2016	
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2007	- 2011

University College

compulsory course, 6 EC

Amsterdam, 12 EC

University of Amsterdam, 6 EC

Data Futures Lab on Digital Urban Futures, 200-level "intensive" Social Sciences course designed and taught at Amsterdam

Philosophy of the Humanities 2: European Studies. BA

Democracy in the European Union. MA elective course.

Digital Activism Course, MA elective course, University of

<u>Diplomatura Gobernanza de Internet</u>, Universidad de San Andrés

Research Skills Methodology Tutorial, Amsterdam School of Cultural Analysis, University of Amsterdam

- Networks and Protocols European Summer School on Internet Governance - Meissen, Germany
- Digital Methods Winter School University of Amsterdam
- European Summer School on Internet Governance Meissen. Germany
- Introduction to journalism Egypt, Tunisia, Ethiopia, Somalia, Morocco, Iraq, Afghanistan
- Introduction to Digital Security for Human Right Defenders and Journalists - Ethiopia, Netherlands, Somalia
- Mobile Content Production & Digital security Egypt, Tunisia, Ethiopia, Somalia, Morocco, Iraq
- Radio journalism Ethiopia, Somalia, Afghanistan

PhD Supervision

Software & Hardware

Eric Syi Zhang (2024-present)

- BigBang: Python-based tool for statistical, network, and discourse analysis of internet governance communities http://datactive.github.io/bigbang/ https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.5243261
- Refugee Hotspot: Raspberry Pi based wireless router providing Internet access, aimed at refugee and migrant populations
- **Ononymous:** Gamified interactive digital security tutorial
- Publeaks: anonymous whislteblowing site for 10+ Dutch media https://publeaks.nl/
- **Storymaker**: an open source Android app that enables (citizen) journalists to create better stories and share them securely on their mobile telephones

Publications

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

- Niels ten Oever, Niels, Perarnaud, Clement, Kristoff, John, Moritz Müller, Arturo Filastò, Max Resing, and Chris Kanich. 2024 Sanctions and Infrastructural Ideologies: Assessing the Material Shaping of EU Digital Sovereignty in Response to the War in Ukraine Policy & Internet, 1-19. https://doi.org/10.1002/poi3.422.
- Grover, Gurshabad, and Niels ten Oever. 2024. Guidelines for Human Rights Protocol and Architecture Considerations. Request for Comments RFC 9620. Internet Engineering Task Force. https://doi.org/10.17487/RFC9620.

Becker, Christoph, Niels ten Oever, and Riccardo Nanni. 2024. Interrogating the Standardisation of Surveillance in 5G amid US-China Competition. Information, Communication & Society, 1-18. https://doi.org/10.1080/1369118X.2024.2302991.

- ten Oever, Niels, and Christoph Becker. 2024. <u>Infrastructural Insecurity: Geopolitics in the Standardization of Telecommunications Networks</u>. <u>Media International Australia</u>, https://doi.org/10.1177/1329878X231225748.
- Maxigas, and Niels ten Oever. 2023. "Geopolitics in the Infrastructural Ideology of 5G." Global Media and China, August, 20594364231193950.
 https://doi.org/10.1177/20594364231193950.
- ten Oever, Niels. 2022. <u>5G and the Notion of Network Ideology, or: The Limitations of Sociotechnical Imaginaries</u>
 Telecommunications Policy,
 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.telpol.2022.102442.
- ten Oever, Niels., Milan, S. 2022. <u>The Making of International Communication Standards: Towards a Theory of Power in Standardization</u>, *Journal of Standardisation* 1(1), TU Delft
- ten Oever, Niels. 2021 "Norm conflict in the governance of transnational and distributed infrastructures: the case of Internet routing" Globalizations. https://doi.org/10.1080/14747731.2021.1953221
- ten Oever, Niels. 2021 "<u>This is not how we imagined it'</u> <u>Technological Affordances, Economic Drivers and the Internet Architecture Imaginary</u>" *New Media & Society.* <u>https://doi.org/10.1177%2F1461444820929320</u>
- ten Oever, Niels. 2018. "Productive Contestation, Civil Society, and Global Governance: Human Rights as a Boundary Object in ICANN" Policy & Internet. https://doi.org/10.1002/poi3.172
- ten Oever, Niels, and Corinne Cath. 2017. "RFC8280 -Research into Human Rights Protocol Considerations." RFC-Series. RFC Editor. https://doi.org/10.17487/RFC8280
- Milan, Stefania, and Niels ten Oever. 2016. "Coding and Encoding Rights in Internet Infrastructure. Sociotechnical Imaginaries and Grassroots Ordering in Internet Governance." Internet Policy Review 6 (1). https://doi.org/10.14763/2017.1.442.

Peer Reviewed Conference Papers

- Kristoff, John, Moritz Müller, Arturo Filastò, Max Resing, Chris Kanich, and Niels ten Oever. 2024. "Internet Sanctions on Russian Media: Actions and Effects." In Free and Open Communications on the Internet 2024, 1:1–12. https://www.petsymposium.org/foci/2024/foci-2024-0001.php.
- ten Oever, Niels. 2023 "Distinguishing Infrastructural Ideologies in the EU, China, Russia and the United States". Honolulu: Society for Social Studies of Science (4S)
- ten Oever, Niels., Becker, C. 2023 "Infrastructural Insecurity: Geopolitics in the Standardization of Telecommunications Networks". Philadelphia: Association of Internet Researchers (AOIR)
- Becker, Christoph., ten Oever, Niels, and Riccardo Nanni. 2022.
 "The standardisation of lawful interception technologies in the 3GPP: interrogating 5G and surveillance amid US-China

competition", Washington DC: TPRC2022

- ten Oever, Niels. 2021. "5G and the Notion of Network Ideology, or: The Limitations of Sociotechnical Imaginaries." In Giganet Annual Symposium 2021 Proceedings. Katowice: Giganet, Internet Governance Forum
- Dunajcsik, Peter "Maxigas," and Niels ten Oever. 2021. "Geopolitics in the Infrastructural Ideologies of 5G." AolR Selected Papers of Internet Research, AOIR2021 https://doi.org/10.5210/spir.v2021i0.12163.
- ten Oever, Niels. 2021. "The Quantum State of Infrastructure Reconfiguration in 5G." In Selected Papers in Internet Research 2021. Research from the Annual Conference of the Association of Internet Researchers. AOIR 2021. https://doi.org/10.5210/spir.v2021i0.12056.

Editorial

- Grover, G., N. ten Oever, C. Cath, and S. Sahib. 2021. "RFC 8962
 Establishing the Protocol Police."
 https://www.rfc-editor.org/rfc/rfc8962.
- ten Oever, Niels. 2020. <u>Cybernetica, dataficatie en surveillance in de polder</u> in: *Ni Dieu, Ni Maitre. Festschrift for Ruud Kaulingfrek. Waardenwerk, Journal for Humanistic Studies*, SWP. Pages 44-46.
- ten Oever, Niels., and Davide Beraldo. 2018. Routes to rights: internet architecture and values in times of ossification and commercialization. XRDS: Crossroads, The ACM Magazine for Students – Pseudonimity and Anonymity Volume 24 Issue 4, Summer 2018 Pages 28-31. https://doi.org/10.1145/3220561
- ten Oever, Niels., and Katheen Moriarty (eds). 2020. <u>The Tao of the IETF</u>. IETF Trust

Book Chapters

- ten Oever, N., Maxigas. (2023) 'Standing out: critical infrastructure walks in Amsterdam'. In: Eaten by the Internet. Eds. Corinne Cath. Meat Space Press
- ten Oever, Niels. 2022. 5G, Community Networks, Standardization, and the Human Rights to Science and Technological Self Determination. In: <u>Community Networks as Enablers of Human Rights</u>, 49–56. Eds. Luca Belli and Senka Hadzic. Official Outcome of the UN IGF Dynamic Coalition on Community Connectivity. Addis Ababa, Ethiopia: FGV Direito Rio.
- Hadzic, Senka., Belli, Luca., ten Oever, Niels., Rennó, Raquel., Huerta, Erik., Baca, Carlos., Velasco, Karla., McKnight, and Lee W. 2022. Community Networks as Human Rights Enablers. In: Community Networks as Enablers of Human Rights, 25-48. eds Luca Belli and Senka Hadzic. Official Outcome of the UN IGF Dynamic Coalition on Community Connectivity. Addis Ababa, Ethiopia: FGV Direito Rio.
- ten Oever, Niels. 2021. '<u>The metagovernance of internet governance</u>'. In: eds. B. Haggart, N. Tusikov, and J.A. Scholte, Power and Authority in Internet Governance: Return of the State?. Routeledge Global Cooperation Series

- ten Oever, Niels. 2021. 'Covid-19 and the stripping of power from the edges'. In: eds Stefania Milan, Emiliano Treré, Silvia Masiero, <u>Covid-19 from the Margins</u>. Institute for Network Cultures.
- ten Oever, Niels., Beraldo, Davide, and Milan, Stefania. 2020.
 'Studying Discourse in Internet Governance through Mailing-List Analysis'. In eds. D. Cogburn, L. DeNardis, N. Levinson and F. Musiani, Researching Internet Governance. MIT press.
- Frank Jørgensen, Rikke, Bloch Veiberg, Cathrine, and ten Oever, Niels 2020. <u>'Information and communication technologies (ICT):</u> <u>Exploring the human rights impact of the ICT sector</u>!. In: eds Nora Götzmann, Handbook on Human Rights Impact Assesment, Elgar Publishing

Book

 Uhlig, Ulrike., Knodel Mallory. Cath, Corinne., ten Oever, Niels.
 2020. How the Internet Really Works: An Illustrated Guide to Protocols, Privacy, Censorship, and Governance. No Starch Press

Reports

- ten Oever, Niels, and Greg Wood. 2024. "Retiring the Tao of the IETF." Request for Comments RFC 9592. Internet Engineering Task Force. https://doi.org/10.17487/RFC9592.
- Driessen, M, M van de Koppel, D Hollander, S Milan, J de Vos, and N ten Oever. 2024. "Public Values Concerning Digital Technologies." Amsterdam: IN-SIGHT.it and I&O Research. https://in-sight.it/assets/IN-SIGHT_Public_values_report_EN.pdf.
- Driessen, M, M van de Koppel, D Hollander, S Milan, J de Vos, and N ten Oever. 2024. "Publieke waarden rondom digitale technologieën." Amsterdam: IN-SIGHT.it and I&O Research. https://in-sight.it/assets/IN-SIGHT Publieke waarden rapport NL.pdf.
- Jansen, Fieke, ten Oever, Niels, Maxigas, et al. 2023. <u>Building a Relational Infrastructure: the launch of the critical infrastructure</u>
 lab the critical infrastructure lab
- Brand, Paul, Niels ten Oever, Rudolf van der Berg, Jelle Verweij. 2022. Internetinfrastructuur: standaardisatie, techniek en geopolitiek Telecommunication Authority, Dutch National Government
- ten Oever, Niels, Corinne Cath, Mirja Kühlewind, and Colin Perkins. 2022 "Report from the IAB Workshop on Analyzing IETE Data (AID)" Request for Comments. Internet Engineering Task Force 9307. https://doi.org/10.17487/RFC9307.
- ten Oever, Niels. 2021. <u>Human Rights Are Not A Bug: Upgrading</u> Governance for an Equitable Internet. Ford Founation.
- ten Oever, Niels. 2020 The Internet infrastructure and its governance. In: <u>Gesellschaftliche Technikgestaltung:</u> <u>Orientierung durch eine Metaperspektive auf Schlüsselelemente.</u> Karoline Krenn, Jens Tiemann, Fraunhofer Fokus
- Cath, Corinne, Niels ten Oever and Dan O'Maley, 2017. Media

<u>Development in the Digital Age: Five Ways to Engage in Internet Governance</u> National Endowment for Democracy - Centre for International Media Assistance

Blogposts, essays, and opinion pieces

- The Geopolitics Behind Your Phone's Signal: Understanding 5G's Global Power Play in Standardization, March 2025
- Wat levert de 5G veiling eigenlijk op voor de samenleving, June 2024
- Internet Sanctions on Russian Media: Diverging Actions and Mixed Effects March 2024
- The People's 5G Laboratory: Critical Perspectives on Media Technologies June 2022
- Walking the infrastructure walk and dancing the frequency dance April 2022
- Towards the Multistakeholder Imposition of Internet Sanctions March 2022
- Against 'Content Moderation' And The Concentration Of Power October 2021
- Private equity firm procures .org from the Internet Society, or: How the public interest got sold-out (again) November 2019
- Off the Beaten Path: Human rights advocacy to change the Internet infrastructure September 2019
- Please Hum Now: Decision Making at the IETF May 2019
- Assessing the human rights impacts of Internet registries
 December 2017
- Internet protocol community has a new tool to respect human rights November 2017
- Combating Censorship and Highlighting the Politics of Protocols at IETF99 August 2017
- Status Code 451: An Internet Governance Standard to Expose Censorship April 2017
- #InternetOfRights: Creating the Universal Declaration of Digital Rights March 2017
- Freedom of Expression Unfiltered: How blocking and filtering affect free speech December 2016
- Corporate actors must not facilitate human rights violations through new Chinese rules December 2016
- Freedom of Expression and the role of the telecommunications and Internet access sector December 2016
- Making the Internet truly global: The IANA transition September 2016
- ICANN Board agrees to human rights commitment February 2016

Film

• Net of Rights

Mentions in the Press

• Interview 'Reflections on Europe Day: 'Unequal societies will produce technologies that will reproduce inequalities' with the

Amsterdam Center for European Studies

- Mention in Dutch national newspaper Trouw 'Google schrapt de expliciete belofte om kunstmatige intelligentie niet voor wapens of militaire doeleinden aan te wenden. 'Daar is veel geld aan te verdienen.' February 2025
- Mention in Dutch national newspaper NRC <u>'Geblokkeerde</u> Russische propaganda toch beschikbaar in Nederland', October 2024
- Mention in Bellingcat publication <u>'Using Open Source Internet Routing Tools to Monitor a Sanctioned Russian Bank'</u>, March 2024
- Mention in Dutch national newspaper Trouw <u>'Moet Rusland van het web worden gegooid? Internetknooppunt Nederland brandt zich liever niet aan die vraag'</u>, February 2024
- Mention in Dutch magazine De Groene Amsterdammer "Altijd apolitiek opereren" Hoe het vrije internet schuurt met sanctiewetgeving", February 2024
- Podcast with CDT '<u>Tech Talk</u>: <u>Talking Tech with Mallory Knodel</u> and Niels ten Oever On Inclusive Language in Internet. <u>Standards</u>'. December 2023
- Interview on Dutch National Public Broadcast Radio 1 'Mag een overheid burgers zomaar afsluiten van het internet?' on internet shutdowns, April 2023
- Mention in article in Washington Post, 'Internet experts suggest ways to selectively block Russian military and propaganda sites, March 2022
- Interview in Computable 'Internetsector te passief bij sancties tegen Rusland', March 2022
- Mention in The Register <u>'Ukraine invasion: We should consider internet sanctions, says ICANN ex-CEO'</u>, March 2022
- Quote in NRC 'Welke knop doet Rusland van het internet verdwijnen?' March 2022
- Extended quotes in Data Center Dynamics <u>'Ukraine invasion</u> brings Internet governance neutrality question into focus', March 2022
- Mention in article in AP News: 'Experts: How to impose internet, sanctions on Russia' – March 2022
- Mention in article in Heise: 'Gezielte Internetsperren gegen. Russland: Die Netz-Community will aktiv werden' March 2022
- Extended quotes in The New Scientist <u>'What is Web3 and how</u> will it change the way we use the internet?', December 2021
- Extended quotes in Vox' RECODE 'Email is an awful online ID that we use for almost everything', September 2021.
- Extended quotes in article in Wired Magazine: 'What really went down when the internet went down', August 2021

- Interview in De Lichtkogel '<u>Internet als machtsmiddel</u>', July 2021
- Extended quotes in The Face 'Who owns the internet?', March 2021
- Special Feature in New York Times covering my research and work in IETF '<u>Master</u>,' '<u>Slave</u>' and the Fight Over Offensive <u>Terms in Computing</u>', April 2021
- Interview Internet Society Netherlands '<u>Het fundament van het</u> <u>Internet waar niemand omheen kan en weinigen iets vanaf</u> <u>weten</u>', March 2021
- Interview in Elektor Magazine: 'How Infrastructure Shapes Our Society' (English) and 'Hoe infrastructuur onze samenleving vormt', November 2020
- Extended quotes in 'Help, het internet breekt in tweeën' in NRC, September 2020
- Extended quotes in '<u>La Chine exacerbe la bataille pour le contrôle d'internet</u>', April 7 2020
- Extended quotes in '<u>Inside China's controversial mission to</u> reinvent the internet' in the Financial Times, March 27 2020
- Interview 'Kampf um universelle Menschenrechte im Netz' with Deutschlandfunk, July 2016

Reviewing

- Article reviewer for Review of International Political Economy
- Article reviewer for Platforms & Society
- Article reviewer for First Monday
- Article reviewer for Telecommunications Policy
- Conference paper reviewer Giganet
- Conference paper reviewer AOIR
- Article reviewer for Policy & Internet
- Article reviewer for Social Movement Studies
- Article reviewer for Internet Histories
- Article reviewer for M/C A Journal of Media and Culture
- Article reviewer for New Media & Society
- Article reviewer for Ethics and Information Technology
- Book reviewer for MIT Press Information Policy Series
- Book reviewer for Rowman & Littefield International Press
- Project reviewer for <u>NGI Pointer</u>
- Project reviewer for SIDN fonds

Selection of presentations, keynotes, panels and talks

April 12, 2025

March 25, 2025

February 28, 2025

December 9, 2024

July 16, 2024

- Moderator panel 'Governance and Geopolitics' at the 'Al and the Future of Europe' conference in Amsterdam
- Organized and moderated roundtable '<u>The EuroStack Initiative</u>: <u>Digital Sovereignty in Europe</u>' of the Tech, Power, and Policy themegroup of the Amsterdam Centre for European Studies
- Faculty at <u>Salerno Winter School on Internet Governance</u>, presenting on 'Ideology and Information Control in Russia, China, and the FU'
- Speaker at <u>Splintercon Berlin</u> 'Infrastructure ideologies in China, the EU, and Russia: Standards, Sanctions, and Products'
- Paper presentation in panel 'Digital Sovereignties' at EASST/4S
 'Sanctions and Infrastructural Ideologies: Assessing the Material
 Shaping of EU Digital Sovereignty in Response to the War in

	Ukraine'
June 20, 2024	 Key note speaker '<u>5G generatie - Techdenkers bij Adyen</u>'
May 13, 2024	Key note speaker ' <u>Assessing the Material Shaping of EU Digital</u>
	Sovereignty in Response to the War in Ukraine' at EU's Digital
February 23, 2024	 Future Seminar at the VUB, Brussels School of Governance Convener 'Data is Dead' at Spui25 at the University of
1 Cb1 dd1 y 23, 2024	Amsterdam
February 21, 2024	 Panelist 'Do We Really Care? Public Values and Digital
	Technology in the Netherlands' at Spui25 at the University of
February 8, 2024	 Amsterdam Convener and moderator event "Knowledge-driven power in a
rebrudry 0, 2024	digitized world" at Spui 25 at the University of Amsterdam
November 10, 2023	 Chairing and organizing open panel "Russia's war on Ukraine -
	environments, imperialism, infrastructures" at 4S Conference,
November 8, 2023	Honolulu, HawaiiCo-Chairing and organizing open panel "Overcoming
	Sociotechnical Imaginaries: infrastructural ideologies and
	materialities?" at 4S conference, Honolulu, Hawaii. Presenting
	paper: Distinguishing Infrastructural Ideologies in the EU, China, Russia and the United States
October 23, 2023	Masterclass Net Politics: Infrastructure of the Internet, Internet
	Society
October 20, 2023	Talk at conference panel "Infrastructural Insecurity: Geopolitics Talk a Changle reliable of Talks a resolution of Natural Insecurity: A talk a changle reliable of Talks a resolution of Tal
	in the Standardization of Telecommunications Networks" at the Association of Internet Researchers (AOIR) 2023 Annual Meeting
October 18, 2023	 Invited public lecture "Geopolitics, Environment, and
6 1 1 1 2022	Infrastructures" at the University of Pensylvania (UPenn)
September 14, 2023	Niels ten Oever - Matige en machtige technologie: the critical infrastructure lab at the <u>opening of the academic year of the</u>
	faculty of the humanities of the University of Amsterdam
September 12, 2023	 Standards and Infrastructure, organizing and chairing session at
luna F 2022	Dutch Internet Governance Forum
June 5, 2023	 Masterclass Internet Infrastructure, Measurements, Databases, and Sanctions, Investico Platform for Investigative Journalists,
	Amsterdam, the Netherlands
May, 2023	Workshop on Digital Sovereignty at Center for Advanced Internet
February 15, 2023	Studies, Bochum, GermanyInvited expert at the United Nations Office of the High
1 Columny 15, 2025	Commissioner of Human Rights consultation on human rights
	and technical standard-setting processes for new and emerging
January 10, 2022	 digital technologies panel, Geneva, Switzerland Aktuelle Entwicklungen in der Medienpraxis: Private Macht und
January 18, 2023	öffentliche Werte in der Onlinekommunikation, University of
	Innsbruck
December 9 2022	The Production of the Infrastructural Subject Through 5G, 4S
November 18, 2022	 2022, Puebla, Mexico 5G Regulation: Standards, Surveillance, and Ideology, FGV-CTS
NOVEITIBET 10, 2022	Rio de Janeiro
September 21 2022	Infrastructure Walk, Ernst Reuter Platz, TU Berlin
July 24, 2022	Wired Norms: Inscription, resistance, and subversion in the governance of the Internet infrastructure – Quadrennial Dutch
	Hackercamp MCH2022
July 6, 2022	The standardisation of lawful interception technologies in the
	3GPP - International Association for Media and Communication
May 2022	Research (IAMCR) 2022 The People's 5G Laboratory: Critical Engagement With Media
May 2022	Technologies - International Communication Association 2022,
	Paris
May 2022	 Session chair: Influencers: Digital CATerans or PoleCATs? - International Communication Association 2022, Paris
April 2022	Sanctions: Geopolitics in the Internet Infrastructure - OECD
April 2022	 Politics in Standards and Networks - Hertie School & Hebrew
March 2022	University Clobal Madia Industries - The State - Capital and Tashpalagy in
March 2022	 Global Media Industries – The State, Capital, and Technology in the Telegraph, the Internet, and 5G – City University of London
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January 2022	Digital Politics - States, Corporations, and Transnational Communications Networks - Digital Constitutionalism Research
December 2021	 Group – Dublin City University 5G and the notion of network ideology, or: the limitations of sociotechnical imaginaries – Giganet Annual Symposium,
December 2021	Internet Governance Forum • Panel participants in panel 'Power and Authority in Internet
November 2021	Governance: Return of the State?' at Internet Governance Forum The metagovernance of Telecommunication: from telegraph to G-Digital Politics Workshop at the Manchester Metropolitan
November 2021	 University Panel participant in panel 'Digital Autonomy – digi do or digi don't' at annual ECP festival
October 2021	Organizer and discussant on panel 'Wiring digital rights: Embedding rights "by infrastructure" in Internet governance' at 4S
October 2021	 Panel participant 'The power of Internet standards: Who defines how we connect and communicateonline?' at the National Cyber Security Council Research Symposium
September 2021	The metagovernance of Internet governance - Power and Authority: Geoin Internet Governance: What Role for the State? - 20th Käte Hamburger Dialogue
September 2021	The Making of International Communication Standards - 11th International Conference on Standardisation and Innovation in Information Technology
May 2021	The quantum state of topological infrastructure reconfigurations: the case of 5G - Digital Democracy Institute at Simon Fraser University
April 2021	Norms and governance in digital transnational communication infrastructures - Federmann School of Public Policy and Hertie School of Public Policy
April 2021	 Two emerging communication governance regimes - University
March 2021	 of Amsterdam Institute for Information Law The Master's Infrastructure Will Not Dismantle the Master's Platform – the Hmmm on Alternative Platforms
March 2021	• Digital technical standards: Strengthening the Multi-stakeholder System – Chatham House and the Department for Digital,
January 2021	Culture, Media & Sport of the United KingdomThe Standardization of 5G and its discontents - Dutch Platform
January 2021	for Internet Standards • The hidden norms of the Internet and Human Rights – Virtual
December 2020	 School for Internet Governance The role of norms in the Internet infrastructure: the infrastructural norm of interconnection and human rights - Oxford University and the University of Johannesberg - PCMLP
November 2020	 Global Media Policy Seminar Series Norm conflict in the governance of complex, transnational, and distributed infrastructures: the case of Internet routing –
September 2020	Giganet, Internet Governance Forum Norms and Human Rights in Internet governance - Leiden
August 2020 July 2020	 University, the Hague Campus Masterclass Netpolitics - Waag Society & Internet Society Surging Demand and the Global Internet Infrastructure - panelist
April 2020	 on webinar of the Netgain Partnership Protocols, Values, and Power - University of Amsterdam Institute
February 2020	for Information Law • Protocols, Values, and Power - University of Amsterdam Institute for Information Law
February 2020	 for Information Law Wired Values - Platform Internet Standards, Dutch Ministry of Economic Affairs
November 2019	• Human Rights and Protocols – Leiden University, the Hague
November 2019	 Campus Values in the Internet infrastructure – presentation in session 'Public Values' – Dutch platform society (ECP) annual meeting
October 2019	• Introduction into Internet Governance – Internet Society

October 2019	Masterclass at De Waag in Amsterdam Taking the High Route - Infrastructures and Inequalities: Media
October 2019	industries, digital cultures and politics workshop of the European
October 2019	 Communication and Research Association (ECREA) in Helsinki Cyberwar, cyberpower, 5G – Kyiv Biennial
October 2019	 A Route Not Taken – St. Petersburg University
, .agast 2015	 What Does the Internet Do to You – Trinity College Dublin
Jan. y 2010	Live in the Layers – Global Partners Digital London
July 2019	Discussant at workshop 'Return of the State? Contests for Power Authority in Internet Courses and Michael Homely (Allen)
	and Authority in Internet Governance' - Käte Hamburger Kolleg /
luna 2010	Centre for Global Cooperation Research Cybernetica, dataficatie en surveillance in de polder -
June 2019	Afscheidssymposium Ruud Kaulingfreks, Universiteit van
	Humanistiek
June 2019	The Net That Won: a little history repeating - Research
June 2013	Infrastructure for the Study of Archived Web Materials (RESAW)
	2019 – Univeristy of Amsterdam
May 2019	 Transmetropolitan Revisted: Why the Present-Future is Boring –
,	GIKII - TILTing 2019 at Tilburg University
April 2019	 Taking the High Route – an approach to value based routing –
	RIPE78 Reykjavik, Iceland
March 2019	 The (dis)content of Internet infrastructure consolidation,
0-1-12010	Networks With an Attitude Workshop – Constant, Antwerp
October 2018	 The Inscription and Subversion of Values in Transnational Internet Infrastructure Governance - Privacy and Sustainable
	Computing Lab of the Vienna University of Economics and
	Business
April 2018	 This is not how we imagined it' - Technological Affordances,
, ip 2010	Economic Drivers and the Internet Architecture Imaginary'
	Plenary talk at RIPE77
April 2018	 The Architecture Imaginary and its Ossification – Workshop on
	Future Imaginaries at Humboldt Institut fuer Internet und
M	Gesellschaft
March 2018	 Internet Infrastructure, Architecture, Governance, and Values in times of Ossification and Commercialization – Internet
	Governance and Human Rights Conference - School of Global
	Studies, University of Gothenburg
March 2018	 Internet Infrastructure, Architecture, Ossification – Alan Turing
	Institute
December 2017	 Quantitative Analysis of Mailinglists – Internet Engineering
	Taskforce
December 2017	• A Net of Rights: Human Rights Impact Assessments for the
October 2017	 Future of the Internet - IGF2017 Protocols and Freedom of Expression - University of California,
October 2017	Irvine, School of Law.
July 2017	 Mensenrechten en internetinfrastructuur: Human Rights Impact
jaily 2017	Assessments – NLIGF2017
March 2019	 Internet Protocols and Human Rights - Technical Plenary at
	IETF98
April 2017	 Human Rights and Internet Infrastructure - SHA2017
20002010	• Internet Architecture & Human Rights: ICANN & IETF - CPDP2016
November 2015	• Implementing Core Principles in the Digital Age – IGF2015
	Human Rights on the Internet – IGF2015 Zero rating and not neutrality policies in developing countries.
November 2015	 Zero-rating and net neutrality policies in developing countries – IGF 2015
September 2014	 ICANN, Transparency, Accountability and Human Rights
	 Best practices in Digital Security – 3TU – Delft Technical
	University
March 2012 and May 2013	 Supporting Freedom of Expression Globally - Utrecht University
	College
Jan. 6 2 6 2 6	Citizen journalism secured: Storymaker - Freedom Online Tunis
August 2013	Storymaker: Open source mobile reporting in MENA - approaches challenges and first findings. OUM2013
	approaches, challenges and first findings – OHM2013

Organizing, and Programme Committees

February 2025 - present

July 2023 - present

May 2023 - present

February 2022 - present June 2022 - December 2024 November 2024 - June 2025

December 18, 2024

March 2023 - August 2024

June 2024

November 2023 – June 2024

January 2022 - January 2024 September 2023

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July 2023

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April 2022

January 2022

December 2021

September 2021

December 2020 June 2021

- Theme leader theme group Tech, Policy, and Power of the Amsterdam Center for European Studies (ACES)
- Coordinator Amsterdam School for Regional, Transnational and European Studies (ARTES) cluster digital networks, communications, and technologies
- Member of the Working Group on Responsible IT of the University of Amsterdam
- Member Open Technology Fund Advisory Council
- Co-Convenor of the ACES Europe and the New Geopolitics of Technology Series
- Programme Committee of the European Multidisciplinary Conference on Global Internet Governance Actors, Regulations, Transactions and Strategies 2025 (GIG-ARTS 2025)
- Co-convenor and moderator of book presentation '<u>Disconnecting Sovereignty</u>: How <u>Data Fragmentation Reshapes the Law</u>' at the University of Amsterdam
- Co-chair of the Research and Analysis Research Group (RASP RG) in the Internet Research Task Force (IRTF)
- Co-chair and organizer of the 1st International Critical Internet Governance Studies workshop at the University of Amsterdam with the critical infrastructure lab and Rede de Pesquisa em Governanca da Internet
- Programme Committee of the European Multidisciplinary Conference on Global Internet Governance Actors, Regulations, Transactions and Strategies 2024 (GIG-ARTS 2024)
- Vice-chair of the Global Internet Governance Academic Network (Giganet)
- Organizer Workshop on internation standard-setting for Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Interior Affairs, and Ministry of Economic Affairs and Climate
- Organizer roundtable discussion on "Protocols, standards, ecosystems" at the University of Amsterdam
- Panel Chair 'Overcoming Sociotechnical Imaginaries: infrastructural ideologies and materialities?' at 4S, Honolulu, Hawaii
- Panel Chair 'Russia's War on Ukraine Environments, Imperialism, Infrastructures' at 4S, Honolulu, Hawaii
- Workshop Chair of the Critical Infrastructure Lab policy retreat (25 participants, 5 days in Perast, Montenegro)
- Conference Chair of the Critical Infrastructure Lab launch event (175 participants, 2 days, 3 keynotes, paralel panels sessions and workshops in Amsterdam)
- Co-Organizer ACM SIGCOMM joint Workshops on "Technologies, Applications, and Uses of a Responsible Internet" and "Building a Greener Internet" (TAURIN + BGI 2022)
- Organizer workshop Datastreams in the City Amsterdam Public Library, Amsterdam Municipality, and University of Amsterdam
- Co-Organizer IN-SIGHT.it Kick-off workshop with NEN, the Dutch National Standards Institute
- Co-Organizer 5G Infrastructure Walk Amsterdam ArenA Collaboration Public Library Amsterdam (OBA) and the People's 5G Lab
- Workshop convener and chair Giganet Workshop on Internet Standard Setting Research Methods
- Workshop convener and chair Internet Architecture Board workshop: 'Show me the numbers: Workshop on analyzing IETF data'
- Workshop co-organizer Workshop on Internet Standards-Setting Research Methods
- Programme Committee Global Internet Governance Academic Network November 2021 meeting

September 2020 January 2020 September 2019

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April 2019

Co-organizer '5G User perspective and implementation' session at European Dialogue on Internet Governance

Programme Committee ACM Information-Centric Economic, Societal and Governance Workshop 2020

Programme Committee of 2020 Conference on Fairness, Accountability, and Transparency in Barcelona (FAT* 2020)

Workshop Co-Organizer of 'Future Paths to a Public Interest Internet Infrastructure' - Harvard Kennedy School, Harvard University

Programme Committee for Workshop: Engineering Accountable

Information Systems at ECIS 2019, Stockholm University Programme Chair for session ' 'Society rebooted: Digital infrastructure and its governmentality' at Dutch Day of Sociology - Nederlandse Sociologische Vereniniging

Workshop Host and Co-Organizer of '4th global HTTP implementers workshop' – University of Amsterdam

Languages

Dutch English German French

Native language

Fluent in speaking and writing Fluent in speaking, proficient in reading and writing Basic skills

IT Skills

Debian/Linux (desktop and server), Bash, Python, R. Java, HTML, HTML CSS, MySQL, Wordpress, Drupal, Penetration Testing, Digital Security, gnuradio, Android development, Networking, Wireless Mesh, LaTeX, LibreOffice, MarkDown, Git, Github.

Non-Academic Boards and committees

Geopolitics of Technology <u>Platform Internet</u> <u>Standaarden</u> SIDN Fund Digital Rights and Responsibilities Catalonia SOMO Ranking Digital Rights On Our Radar Internet Society NL

Lecture Series Organizer June 2022 - present

Academic representative February 2021 - present Advisory Board member November 2019 - April 2024

Advisory Board member Board member Board member Advisor Board member

August 2019 - January 2024 November 2015 - July 2021 luly 2016 - October 2020 September 2014 – October 2020 November 2015 - December 2017

Prizes, Nominations, Mentions

2023

2021

2021 2012

- Best Technology Paper of the Month and Open Access Article of the week - the Syllabus
- Association of Internet Researchers 2021 Conferences Award for Best Direct Address talk on The Quantum State of Infrastructure Reconfiguration in 5G.
- Honorable mention annual AoIR PhD thesis award
- Internet Society (ISOC) Internet Pioneer Award for Internet Protection Lab

Awarded Research Grants

Total amount of research grants fundraised: 2.200.000 EUR

2025 - 2027

Al Collaborative - Rethinking Al Governance: Doing better things instead of doing things 'better' (with Fieke Jansen)(427.000

2025	USD) University of Amsterdam - Energy transition through the lens of Sustainable Development Goals (EN-LENS) project grant (with
2024 - 2028 2024 - 2026	Fieke Jansen and Milan Babic) (35.000 EUR) Dutch Research Council (NWO) Startersgelden (300.000 EUR) Ford Foundation (250.000 USD) project grant for the Critical
2024 - 2026	Infrastructure Lab
2022 - 2024	Open Technology Fund (308.000 USD) project grant for researching the 'Politics of (Dis)Connection'
2022 - 2024	Ford Foundation (350.000 USD) project grant for the Critical Infrastructure Lab
2023	Internet Society Foundation (250.000 USD) project grant for the Critical Infrastructure Lab
2022	Omidyar Foundation (40.000 USD) project grant for the Critical Infrastructure Lab
2022	Public Interest Technology Group – (3105 EUR travel grant to attend ITU Plenipotentiary 2022 Meeting)
•	Data Flows in the City – (44.380 EUR project for the Amsterdam
2021 - 2022	Municipality with Jeroen de Vos and Maxigas) Global Digital Cultures grant (29.224 EUR with Maxigas and Paul
2021	Groth) Amsterdam Center for European Studies (13.356 EUR for hiring
2020 - 2021	student assistant for six months)
2019	Open Technology Fund – Research Project on Human Rights Implications of 5G (128.000 USD research project contract)
2019	Amsterdam School for Cultural Analysis PhD finishing fellowship (one year 0.5 FTE)
2019 - 2020 2019	RIPE academic travel grant (flight, hotel, conference attendance) Ford Foundation (50.000 USD research project grant)
•	Amsterdam Center for European Studies (800 EUR grant
2019	covering interview transcription costs) Ford Foundation (20.000 USD), Harvard Kennedy School (20.000
	USD), ARTICLE19 (10.000 USD), Amsterdam School for Globalisation Studies (2500 EUR), MacArthur Foundation (2500
	USD) for workshop 'Future Paths for a Public Interest Internet Infrastructure' at the Harvard Kennedy School)

Awarded civil society/ projects and organizational grants

2015 - 2018	 United States State Department, Department of Human Rights and Labor (multiyear project funding >1m USD)
2016 - 2018 2016 - 2018	 MacArthur Foundation (multiyear project funding > 1m USD) Ford Foundation (multiyear project funding >100k USD) Human Rights Fund of the Governments of the Netherlands (multiyear project funding >700k EUR)
2010 - 2011, 2017 - 2018	 National Endowment for Democracy (multiyear project funding >100k USD)
2008 - 2009, 2016	 Stichting Dijkverzwaring (multiyear project funding >50k USD)

Memberships

Dutch Political Science Association (NKWP) Al, Media, and Democracy Lab Amsterdam Center for European Studies (ACES) International Studies Association (ISA) Society for Social Studies of Science (4S) International Communications Association (ICA) The Global Internet Governance Academic Network (Giganet) EC Research Standardization Network (EURAS) Non-Commercial Stakeholder Group (NCSG) in ICANN

• United States State Department, Department of Human Rights

References

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