



Collaborative online Brokerage event:

**“Artificial intelligence in Horizon Europe calls:
an interdisciplinary challenge”**

Flash Presentation



Our expertise /project idea

Future of Citizenship is a collaboration between experts on the science/philosophy of consciousness and human rights. We examine the impact of the person-like qualities of AI on citizenship and identity.

The research community has been caught of guard by the large numbers of people becoming concerned that AI is conscious. Given the lack of consensus among experts on AI consciousness, intelligence and AI-human relationships, we will develop guidelines for both researching and responsibly discussing AI personhood and consciousness with the public.

The existing partnership is between philosophers of mind and experts on human rights, with collaborators from computer science and neuroscience.

We are looking to add experts in AI and psychology to our team, as well as general experts working on AI.



Topics of interest

Topic:

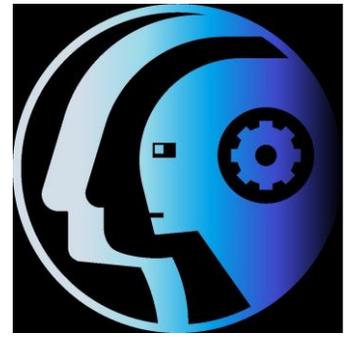
AI, society, human rights and the science of consciousness.

HORIZON-CL2-2027-01-DEMOCRACY-04: Addressing the impact of artificial intelligence on equality, democracy and inclusive societies

Our contribution:

We are a partnership between a philosopher of mind working on AI consciousness and personality, and a human rights lawyer who is an expert on legal identity and personhood under the law. We work to address the impact of the person-like qualities of AI on society.

Role in the STEM-SSH collaboration



Which SSH expertise can you provide in the projects?

Philosophy of Mind – Professor Jonathan Simon is an expert on the science and philosophy of consciousness, with a focus on AI.

Human rights law – Dr. Heather Alexander is an expert in legal identity and the law of the person.

The debate between AI experts on if and when AI may become conscious, intelligent and/or worthy of moral consideration is spreading from the ivory tower to the public sphere. The scientific community is struggling with how to discuss these sensitive topics with the public.

Contact us!



- ▶ Heather Alexander and Jonathan Simon
- ▶ Future of Citizenship
- ▶ Research project, affiliated with the University of Montreal
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**Thank you
for listening!**

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