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Mr Benjamin Fitzpatrick serves as Senior Counsel in the Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section of the U.S. Department of Justice. His work currently focuses on negotiating cross-border data agreements under the CLOUD Act and the Budapest Convention on Cybercrime. In addition to his policy portfolio, he was worked on criminal investigations of a massive data breach, a ransomware scheme, a leak and subsequent publication of military personnel PII, a botnet, a dark market, and a financial fraud scheme, and successfully prosecuted a Russian hacker who engaged in ad scams. Ben joined the Department in April



2012, serving first as Counsel in the Office of Law and Policy in the National Security Division, where he worked on cybersecurity and terrorism policy. Starting in January 2014, Ben served as Senior Counsel in the Office of the Deputy Attorney General, working on cybersecurity and national security matters, before joining CCIPS in September 2015. He was awarded an Assistant Attorney General award in 2013, 2016, and 2020, and a Bea Rosenberg Award in 2020. Ben graduated from Harvard Law School in 2004 and from Brown University in 1996. After law school, Ben clerked for Judge Leonie M. Brinkema in the Eastern District of Virginia, and spent several years in private practice at Baker Botts, LLP, working on white collar criminal defence and internal investigations.



Professor Alain Berthoz is an Honorary Professor of Physiology at the Collège de France and Academician. He studies the neural bases of perception, action, memory, tolerance and empathy, their development and their pathology. He has created links between neurosciences, human and social sciences, and robotics so that Man can reconstruct his identity despite the gap between the local and the global and the acceleration of time. He proposed "Simplexity", i.e. the solutions found by living organisms to adapt to complexity, prepare the act and project the consequences, "Vicariance", i.e. finding several

solutions to solve a problem, and "Creative Inhibition", which resists habits or automatisms, and allows the brain to innovate in the face of the improbable, and the upheavals of nature

Ms María Elósegui is currently the Spanish judge at the European Court of Human Rights in Strasbourg since 2018. It was the first instance in which this position was announced in the BOE (Official Bulletin of the State) in an open call through a public tender. Professor of Philosophy of Law at the Law School of the University of Zaragoza, now on special services, where she has taught, as well as directed 15 doctoral theses. Furthermore, she has been the

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coordinator of the Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms PhD Program for 15 years, where she is part of the Criminal Studies research group. Graduate and Doctor of Law. Graduate and Doctor of Philosophy. Research Fellow at the University of Glasgow (Scotland), with a postdoctoral fellowship from the Ministry of Education (two years), where she also completed a Master of Philosophy on the Scottish Enlightenment. Researcher at the Faculty of Law of the University of Saint Louis in Brussels, where she obtained a Master of Law in the field of legal argumentation. Humboldt Researcher (with a competitive scholarship for researchers awarded by the German Alexander



von Humboldt Foundation) at the Faculty of Law of the Christian Albrechts University of Kiel, Schleswig-Holstein (Germany) under the patronage of Professor Rober Alexy. Visiting Professor at the Max Planck Institute of International Law in Heidelberg (Germany), University of UCLA (Los Angeles, United States of America), University of Chicago (United States of America), University of Toronto (Canada), Laval University of Quebec (Canada) and the Berlin Institute for Human Rights (Germany). Member of the European Commission against Racism and Intolerance (ECRI) (2013-2017). She has attended several United Nations conferences as an appointed expert on Women's Rights, such as the Beijing one that took place in 1995. She has published more than 70 articles on human rights, anti-discrimination race-based law and on gender. Moreover, on the topic of legal argumentation, she has published more than 70 articles in indexed journals (submitted to anonymous peer review) and 30 collective book chapters, as well as several monographs (see the dialnet search engine). Luis Portero Award for Human Rights in 2008. Corresponding Member of the Academy of Jurisprudence and Legislation. Partner of Eusko-Ikaskuntza, the Basque Studies Society.



Mr Mattia Falduti is a post-doctoral researcher at the Free University of Bozen-Bolzano, involved in an interdisciplinary research project devoted to the analysis of the criminal phenomenon of non-consensual pornography. He obtained a Ph.D. in Computer Science from the Università degli Studi di Milano with an interdisciplinary thesis on law and data analysis. He took part in the JusTech research project within the framework of the Italian Ministry of Justice in cooperation with University of Pavia, Politecnico di Milano, Milan's Prosecutor's Office, Milan's County Court and Court of Appeal. He has been admitted to the

Italian Bar exam in 2015, obtained a Master's Degree in Legal Professions and graduated in Law. Due to his interdisciplinary academic path, his main research interests are cybercrime, legal data mining and related applications to Legal Tech.

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Allison Peters is a Senior Advisor at the State Department's International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Bureau. Previously, Ms. Peters served as the Deputy Director of the National Security Program at the think tank Third Way where she regularly advised policymakers on a broad spectrum of foreign policy and national security issues. In this capacity, she helped to lead the Program's Cyber Enforcement Initiative where her writing, research, and policy development focused on strengthening global cooperation and capacity to identify and bring to justice malicious cyber actors. In addition, Ms. Peters previously served as the



Director of Policy and Security Programs at the nongovernmental organization Inclusive Security where she advised and coordinated with policymakers on the development of inclusive policy frameworks, and regularly travelled to conflict-affected regions to implement field programs for security sector actors and women-led civil society organizations on issues related to countering violent extremism. She is a former Consultant Advisor to a number of international organizations, including the United Nations and Organization for Security and Co-Operation in Europe. Ms. Peters also spent seven years in the United States Senate, most recently serving as foreign policy and national security advisor to a senior senator and member of the Senate State and Foreign Operations Appropriations Subcommittee. Ms. Peters graduated with a master's degree in international security studies from Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service and a bachelor's degree in political science and psychology from Rutgers University. She is a former member of a number of public-private partnerships and advisory boards, including the Steering Committee of the Leadership Council for Women in National Security.



Ms Sophie Clavet is a data protection and privacy expert in the area of international security. She has eleven years of experience with the Government of France and international organizations that involved participation in representation (EU, UN), negotiation (national authorities, FATF) and operational support missions. As a Senior Manager at AWO, Sophie provides advisory services on various topics including data protection in humanitarian action, public-private partnerships and the use of technologies such as biometrics. Sophie previously worked for international organizations including as a Data Protection Officer at UNICEF in

New York, Data Protection Adviser at the Headquarters of the International Committee of the Red Cross (Geneva) and the Office of Legal Affairs of INTERPOL (Lyon). She also worked as a Consultant for the Financial Market Integrity Unit of the World Bank (Washington D.C.) and



the UN Office for Disarmament Affairs (New York) and as a Legal Adviser Specialized in financial crime at the French Ministry for the Economy and Finance (Paris). Sophie is trained in Common and Civil Law and holds an LL.M in American Law from Boston University and a Masters degree in International and European Law from the University Pantheon-Assas, Paris 2.



Mr Tjabbe Boss is team leader at the 'security in the digital age' unit of the European Commission's directorate-general for Migration and Home Affairs (DG HOME). Previously, he worked as a policy officer at the Commission's directorate-general for Communications Networks, Content & Technology (DG CONNECT), and as a policy at the Ministry of the Interior and Kingdom Relations of The Netherlands. He holds degrees in Information Management and in Public International Law.

Professor Liora Lazarus, BA (University of Cape Town), LLB (London School of Economics and Political Science), DPhil (University of Oxford), is currently Professor in Law at the Peter A. Allard School of Law at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, and Supernumerary Fellow of St. Anne's College, Oxford. From 2000 to 2020, Liora had a twenty-year career at the University of Oxford which culminated in her recognition as Professor in Human Rights Law. During her time at Oxford, she was also Head of Research at the Bonavero Institute of Human Rights. Professor Lazarus' expertise sit at the interface between security, the rule of law, and human rights. Alongside numerous



academic publications in the broad field of security and human rights, Professor Lazarus has acted as an expert advisor, and produced public reports, on a range of projects for inter alia: Council of Europe, European Union Parliament, UK Parliament and UK Ministry of Justice. Most recently, Professor Lazarus acted as an Independent Expert on the Council of Europe working group which produced the report 'Respecting human rights and the rule of law when using automated technology to detect online child sexual exploitation and abuse' (April 2021).