



Research project

***"Hoaxes and dissemination of false information –
Research on the (in)security of false information online and the
technical – financial dimension of the phenomenon –
Legal treatment and de lege ferenda"***

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Online Conference

Disinformation & fake news

Interdisciplinary approach & practices for dealing with it

October, 29th 2021

18:00 – 21:00 (EET)

Join us! Registration zoom link for the event:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/join/register/tZEqcuGvrDggEtlQZZ IXd9E04t1tXZWzGLB>

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PROGRAM

18:00 – 18:15 **Addresses – Opening remarks**

Prof. Panagiotis Kaldis, Rector, University of West Attica (GR)

Dionysios Chionis, President, Center for the Study of Crime (GR)

18:15 – 19:00 **1st session**

Outcome presentation of the project "*Hoaxes and dissemination of false information - Research on the (in)security of false information online and the technical – financial dimension of the phenomenon - Legal treatment and de lege ferenda*"

(in Greek)

Dr. Fotios Spyropoulos, Lawyer, PhD on Criminal Law and Criminology, Faculty of Law University of Athens, postdoc researcher University of West Attica (GR), project leader

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Nikolaos Karagiannis, jurist, criminologist

Contemporary interdisciplinary approaches confronting disinformation and fake news

(in English and Greek, as indicated below)

Chair: **Dr. Vasileios Karagiannopoulos**, Reader in Cybercrime and Cybersecurity and Director of the Cybercrime Awareness Clinic, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Portsmouth (UK)

19:15 – 19:40

Disinformation and populism in German alternative media

(in English)

Prof. Dr. Katarina Bader, Dr. Carolin Jansen & Prof. Dr. Lars Rinsdorf, Fakultät Electronic Media, Hochschule der Medien, Stuttgart, Germany

19:40 – 20:00

“Information hygiene”: A weapon in the war against misinformation.

(in English and Greek)

Prof. Dr. Charalampos Z. Patrikakis, Professor University of West Attica (GR), Director, CONSERT Lab.

20:00 – 20:20

EDUCABILITY: a transnational program for the training of educators and librarians in six information related literacies

(in English and Greek)

Dr. Dimitrios Kouis, Assistant Professor - Department of Archival, Library and Information Studies University of West Attica (GR), Director of Information Science Courses Section, Director of Information Management Research Lab

Foteini Efthymiou, Laboratory Staff - MA Librarian - PhD Candidate, Department of Archival, Library and Information Studies, University of West Attica (GR)

20:20 – 20:40

Contemporary Internet Challenges - The Role of the Cybercrime Prosecution Directorate

(in Greek)

Vassilios E. Papakostas, Police Director, Director of the Cybercrime Prosecution Directorate

20:40 – 20:50

“Qs & As”

20:50 – 21:00 Conclusions – End of conference
