AIMS AND SCOPE:

Convened by the Policy & Internet Journal, and co-sponsored by the Policy Studies Organization, the American Public University System, and the APUS Center for Cyber Defense, The conference aims to promote interdisciplinary conversation about the implications of the Internet and related technologies for public policy, bringing together scholars, practitioners, NGOs, social and business leaders from a variety of backgrounds, to subject the relationship between the Internet, policy, and politics, to multidisciplinary scrutiny.

The rapid change of technologies and the disruption it causes has significant impact on our public policy, in areas such as working life, the economy, security, healthcare, transport, development, law and justice, education, and democracy, as well as for citizen-government relations, and how the internet itself is governed.

TOPICS:

We seek proposals in areas where the internet already impacts public policy, where it raises new challenges or dilemmas, or provides new opportunities for policy. We welcome perspectives from any academic discipline that addresses issues in all sectors and at all levels of society and government. Topics include but are not limited to:

- Digital Divides
- e-Government
- Online Education
- Cybersecurity
- Big Data
- Misinformation and Online Extremism
- Platforms
- Regulation
- The Gig Economy
- Crowdsourcing
- Censorship
- Digital Currencies

SUBMISSIONS:

Please email a written proposal (1-2 pages) or a topic you would like to discuss to the PSO Executive Director Daniel Gutierrez at dgutierrezs@ipsonet.org. The early deadline for submissions will be December 16th, 2023.

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