

BIG DATA INITIATIVE WORKSHOP

DATA IN THE NEWSROOM

PROGRAMME

TUESDAY 26 FEBRUARY 2019

09:00–10:00 *Registration & coffee, tea*

KEYNOTE SESSION DAY 1

10:00–10:10	IRT Director's welcome note	Michael Hagemeyer (IRT)
	Housekeeping remarks	Hans Hoffmann (EBU)
10:10–10:15	Introduction: driving better journalism with data	Pierre-Nicolas Schwab (RTBF)
10:15–10:45	When rubber meets the ground	Atte Jääskeläinen (LUT)

SESSION 2: USE CASES FROM EBU MEMBERS

10:45–11:15	Better verticals with AI & how we made a map that more than 2 million users clicked on	Christian Radler (ARD)
11:15–11:45	Identifying disinformation at BBC R&D	Tim Cowlshaw (BBC)
11:45–12:15	ZDF's use of AI to facilitate video production – from a journalistic and archival point of view	Eva Feigk & Sebastian Seng (ZDF)
12:15–12:45	Statistical methods and data visualisations for the Swedish election 2018	Kristofer Sjöholm (SVT)
12:45–14:00	<i>Networking lunch (buffet)</i>	

SESSION 3: EXTERNAL VIEWPOINTS

14:00–14:30	FigData: Enhancing online journalism with data	Stéphane Saulnier (Le Figaro)
14:30–15:00	Regiolab: a data-driven project @ regional broadcasters	Just Vervaart (Omroep Gelderland)
15:00–15:30	<i>Coffee & networking</i>	

SESSION 4: TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES

15:30–16:00	Newsbridge: How to leverage the power of cognitive tech and AI for video journalism	Philippe Petitpont (NewsBridge)
16:00–16:30	Fourkind: Reinforcement learning for contextual, autonomous variable personalization	Jarno Kartela (Fourkind)
16:30–17:00	Truly Media: a collaborative verification platform	Nikos Sarris (ATC)
17:00–17:30	The Lead Stories story: Trendolizer, Lead Stories and the hunt for fakery	Maarten Schenk (Lead Stories)
17:30	<i>End of day 1</i>	

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SESSION 5: TUTORIALS – PREPARING ELECTION STORIES BASED ON DATA

09:00–10:00	Group 1 Philippe Petitpont (NewsBridge)	Group 2 Maarten Schenk (Lead Stories)	Group 3 Florian Ramseger (Tableau)
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11:10–11:30 *Coffee & networking*

SESSION 6: ETHICS AND BEYOND: DATA IN NEWS

11:30–12:00	Algorithms and journalistic ethics	Mariella Bastian (University of Amsterdam)
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12:00–12:30	Femicide storytelling: the role of data in the newsroom	Sabino Metta (RAI)
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12:30–12:45	The Digital Transformation Initiative: Helping Members Build Stronger Organizations	Sasha Scott (EBU)
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WRAP-UP

12:45–13:15	Take-aways: AI and data tools for media	Pierre-Nicolas Schwab (RTBF)
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