

Policy Department C - Citizens' Rights and Constitutional Affairs
For the Committee on Legal Affairs

Workshop with National Parliaments on

ROBOTICS AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE -
ETHICAL ISSUES AND REGULATORY APPROACH

Draft Programme

Monday 17 October 2016
3.00 - 6.30 p.m.
European Parliament, PHS 3C050, Brussels

3.00 - 3.05 - Welcome and opening remarks by **Pavel Svoboda**, Chair of the European Parliament Committee on Legal Affairs

- I. Ethical issues of robotics and artificial intelligence - Will artificial intelligence bring in utopia or destruction? (3.05 - 4.00 p.m.)**
- 1) Keynote Speech - Artificial Intelligence as a threat for human development
 - 2) Keynote Speech - Towards beneficial Artificial Intelligence development for human development
 - 3) Keynote speech - **Murray Shanahan**, Professor of Cognitive Robotics at Imperial College, London (UK) on *"The needs and possibilities for common regulation and values for beneficial Artificial Intelligence"*

Questions / discussion

II. What shall the legislator do and at which level? - The European Parliament legislative initiative report (4.00 - 4.45 p.m.)

- 1) Introduction by **Mady Delvaux**, Rapporteur for the draft European Parliament legislative initiative [report on Civil law rules on robotics](#) - Presentation of the draft EP draft report
- 2) **Nathalie Nevejans**, Lecturer at the Law Faculty of Douai (France) - Comments on the draft European Parliament initiative legislative report on Civil law rules on robotics

Questions / discussion

III. What shall the legislator do and at which level? - State of play of Parliamentary developments in Europe (4.45 - 6.30 p.m.)

- 1) **Jean-Yves Le Déaut**, French MP (national Assembly), rapporteur for the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe - Presentation of the upcoming report on *“Technological convergence, artificial intelligence and human rights”*
- 2) **Member of a National Parliament** - update on developments in his/her Parliament and reactions to the draft EP report
- 3) **Member of a National Parliament** - update on developments in his/her Parliament and reactions to the draft EP report
- 4) **Member of a National Parliament** - update on developments in his/her Parliament and reactions to the draft EP report

Questions/discussion

Conclusions by the Chair