

Privacy

The challenges of teaching
an interdisciplinary subject



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Interdisciplinarity of privacy

Some examples:

- Privacy from a legal point of view
- Privacy from a medical point of view
- Privacy from an economic point of view
- Privacy from an ethical point of view

Not just multidisciplinary, but interdisciplinary

Topicality of privacy

- Privacy makes the news on a daily basis
- Promoting extracurricular activities
- Inviting activists into the classroom
- Need to stay neutral?



The screenshot shows the Guardian website's navigation bar with options like 'sign in', 'become a supporter', 'subscribe', and 'search'. The main headline is 'Facebook data supports 'wrong man' claim in people-smuggling case'. Below the headline is a sub-headline: 'Social media trail suggests man held in Italy is innocent refugee rather than alleged people smuggler Medhanie Yehdego Mered'. The article is attributed to Lorenzo Tondo in Palermo, with a Twitter handle @lorenzo_tondo. The date is Wednesday 1 February 2017 14:28 GMT. Two photographs are shown: one of a man in a dark suit and another of a man in a blue and red striped shirt with a white cross necklace.



Programme of the Privacy minor

Basic Course Privacy I (<i>multidisciplinary</i>)	7 weeks + exam
Basic Course Privacy II (<i>multidisciplinary</i>)	7 weeks + exam
Ethics of Privacy	8 weeks
Privacy Moot Court	8 weeks
Essay (6 ECTS) <i>or</i> Internship	168 hours

Anthropology	1
Artificial Intelligence	4
Beta Gamma Studies	3
Biology	2
Communication Science	9
Economics & Finance	4
English IL&L	2
Immigration Law	1
Information Science	10
Internet Exchange	1
IT company	1
Law	7
Media & Culture Studies	2
Philosophy (teacher)	1
Political Science	2
Psychology	2
Radiology	1
Science (misc)	3
Social Geography	2
Social Sc (misc)	15
Total:	73
22 of whom were exchange students	

Students from:

- 20 disciplines
- various nationalities

Two major challenges:

1. Turning multidisciplinary into interdisciplinarity
2. Incorporating students' various academic backgrounds



Your suggestions



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