TECH CONFERENCE Can Tech Save The World?



Who? Tech-affine Students & YPs



Can artificial intelligence fight climate change? How can coronavirus outbreaks be predicted with social networks? What does this mean for personal user data? What (intangible) price should society be prepared to pay for technological progress? In short: Who wants to be saved by technology anyways?

Throughout our digital TechConference on 06/11/2020 leading representatives from the worlds of business, science and politics go in search for possible answers to these questions. Aiming to emphasize the contrast between existing opportunities and potential limits of technological progress, the conference will be opened by several keynote speeches and a subsequent panel discussion shedding light on the topic "Data Science vs. Privacy". Since this introductory topic is highly related to the societal and political background of today's German society, the first part of the conference will unfortunately be held exclusively in German.

Nevertheless, we are very happy to inform you that the afternoon program will be opened by an English keynote and that each of our four afternoon slots will include an English impulse session. Therefore, international students and young professionals have the opportunity to participate as well! Generally, the afternoon sessions are meant to extend the morning discussion by examining the key question "Can Tech Save the World?" from various perspectives. We warmly welcome you to take part in our English sessions in order to expand your knowledge about path-breaking innovations and to get inspired by our amazing speakers.

Below you can find a list of all English-speaking partners as well as a link to their presentation topics:

- Daniel Schmid, Chief Sustainability Officer @ SAP
- Darren West, Circular Economy Lead & Business Development Director @ SAP
- Dr. Garret Grolemund, Principal Data Science Educator @ RStudio
- Prof. Dr. Frauke Keuter, Director of the Joint Program in Survey Methodology @ University of Maryland (in cooperation with Facebook)
- Prof. Dr. Ming Hui Huang, Professor for Information Management @ National Taiwan University

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If you have any additional questions concerning our English program, do not hesitate to contact us via <u>conference@tech-academy.io</u>. We are looking forward to seeing you!