

2023 Schedule

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Friday, 07 July 2023 22:26 - Last Updated Saturday, 26 August 2023 12:56

Subject to change without notice. Please check back frequently for the latest updates.

Virtual, Fan Track Stream Channel 2

Time

Program

Sat. 10:00 a.m.

VIRTUAL: All About the Electronic Frontier Alliance (EFA)

Managed by the Electronic Frontier Foundation, the Electronic Frontier Alliance connects community and

Rory Mir, Kevin Welch, Ben Acord, Zhamilya Bilyalova, Chris Bushick, Scott M. Jones (moderator)

[DragonCon TV](#) Stream 2

Thursday, August 31, 2023

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7:00 p.m.

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FAIR Act: Civil Forfeiture Reform

Civil forfeiture occurs when police seize money or property during an encounter with the public, often with

Ron Daniels

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Introduction to Flipper Zero

The Flipper Zero is a Swiss army knife for penetration testers, perceived as stylish and cool, with many i

Stephen Kraus, Luca Grippa

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RESTRICT Act: So Much More than a TikTok Ban

Originally billed as a TikTok ban, the RESTRICT Act creates severe penalties for using apps nebulously

James Nettles, Corynne McSherry

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Examining the Role of Police Foundations

Police foundations provide a mechanism for private funding of public safety resources. While this reduces

Ron Daniels, José Martín

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ChatGPT: This Changes Everything?

The advance of Artificial Intelligence and Large Language Models suddenly seems like both a great oppo

Andrew Greenberg (moderator), Luca Grippa, Meredith Filak Rose, James Nettles, Bill Budington, Amie

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Deanonymizing Privacy Coins

Privacy cryptocurrency coins such as Monero promise anonymous transactions, even though as with other

Rich Gatz, Kurt Opsahl

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4:00 p.m.

Copyright Bills: JCPA, SHOP SAFE, SMART Copyright Act

The Journalism Competition and Privacy Act, the SHOP SAFE Act, and the SMART Copyright Act all provide

Meredith Filak Rose (moderator), James Nettles, Corynne McSherry, Courtney Lytle, Dave Hansen

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Accessibility for People with Disabilities in VR and Virtual Worlds

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Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality worlds can be freeing for those with disabilities and other restrictions

Amie Stepanovich, Andrew Greenberg, Evan Moscoso

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Alimony and Child Support Reform in the Age of Dating Apps and Social Media

Despite decades of progress towards equality between the genders, alimony and child support laws have

Ron Daniels, Sarah Steele

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Unfair Use?: Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts, Inc. v. Goldsmith

The Supreme Court case Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts, Inc. v. Goldsmith et al. has redefined

Courtney Lytle, Meredith Filak Rose, Dave Hansen

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WebComics

A behind-the-scenes look at what it takes to produce a successful web-based comic strip series, given b

Jennie Breeden, Comfort Love, Bill Holbrook (moderator), Adam Withers

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ID on File Required by Law for Adult Websites (Louisiana, etc.)

Louisiana passed a law requiring valid state identification for adult web sites as a form of age verification

Sarah Steele

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Understanding Atlanta's "Cop City" Training Center Controversy

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Atlanta's new Public Safety Training Center has been dubbed "Cop City" by opponents who

José Martín, Scott M. Jones (moderator)

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Social Media Marketing for Entrepreneurs, Authors, and Content Creators

Tips, tricks, and advice for entrepreneurs, authors, and independent content creators to navigate Twitter

James Nettles, Gail Z. Martin (moderator), Andrew Greenberg

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Age Limits for Social Media

Psychological harms and other harms of social media are now more well understood. Politicians are now

Dwayne Goetzl (moderator), James Nettles, Hayley Tsukayama, Amie Stepanovich

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San Francisco Votes to Approve Killer Robots, Then Reverses Course

Robot dogs for the police can yield deadly force and also have unintended consequences. After pushba

Bill Budington

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EARN-IT and the STOP CSAM Act

Originally designed to protect children, these bills may go too far by undermining our free speech and pr

Dwayne Goetzl, Meredith Filak Rose, Corynne McSherry, Kurt Opsahl (moderator)

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Copyright and AI

AI has created copyright conundrums: Are works, words, and images created by Artificial Intelligence co

Rich Gatz, Courtney Lytle, James Nettles, Corynne McSherry, TJ Mihill (moderator)

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Ransomware Attacks on Small Businesses

While larger organizations have tightened their security, small businesses continue to be a target for ransomware attacks.

Rich Gatz, Luca Grippa, Bill Budington

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Hacking 101

Hacking 101 returns for another glorious year! Just what is a hacker anyway? Culture, history, contacts

Dustin Smith (moderator), Todd Grady, Kurt Opsahl, Jonny x, Jesse Roberts, Andrew Hirsch, Isaac She

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Mastodon, The Fediverse, and ActivityPub

The future of social media is federated! Or is it? Decentralized administration of social media allows like

Bill Budington, James Nettles

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ATSC 3.0: DRM For Free Over-the-Air TV?

A new standard that provides for 4K TV "over the air" may also be a trojan horse for an unwelcome

Meredith Filak Rose, Corynne McSherry

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Copyright 101

How does copyright work? Do you have to register to protect your rights? Can you do it yourself, or do you

Courtney Lytle

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The Honeymoon is Over for Social Media

With inflation, higher interest rates, tax law changes, social media fatigue, and politicized takeovers, plat

Dwayne Goetzel, Hayley Tsukayama, Amie Stepanovich

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What Does Title IX Say About Trans Students in Sports?

Equality rights for transsexual youth became a divisive political topic, but our mainstay for equal opportu

Vandiver Elizabeth Glenn, TJ Mihill

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The Legality and Constitutionality of Banning TikTok

Due to perceived threats from Chinese ownership, politicians are banning TikTok on state-owned netwo

Corynne McSherry, Ron Daniels, Kurt Opsahl

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Shifting Cybersecurity Liability to Vendors and Suppliers

Security breaches via the "supply chain" have become frequent. What obligations do supply

James Nettles, Rich Gatz (moderator), Luca Grippa, Bill Budington

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Right to Repair Update

Political momentum for a "right to repair" is growing, with bills in over 20 states, a few of which

Meredith Filak Rose, Hayley Tsukayama

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Using LLM's and Generative AI's for Gaming and Creative Works

Far from being a threat, Large Language Models and Generative AI can be a new wellspring of creative

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Hacking 201

Q&A from our panel of experts; play “Stump the Hacker”!

Dustin Smith (moderator), Rich Gatz, Todd Grady, Bill Budington, Jonny x, Jesse Roberts

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Gonzalez v. Google: Section 230 Protections

The recent Supreme Court case Gonzalez v. Google could have dramatically limited the scope of "

Meredith Filak Rose, Heidi Tandy

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The Rise of Labor Unions in Technology Shops

As the financial focus of technology firms shifts from growth to revenue, employees of large technology firms are organizing labor unions.

Hayley Tsukayama, José Martín

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Voting Issues in Georgia: 2020 and Beyond

The latest report by Alex Halderman, released in June, 2023, has reignited criticism of Georgia's election process.

Ron Daniels, Garland Favorito

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Rise of the Digital Landlord

Digital door locks, pervasive security cameras, facial recognition, and individual utility metering have pre-

Hayley Tsukayama, Chuck DeLozier

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