



**PERICULUM**  
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**PROGRAMME**

**AI: RETHINKING THE WORLD**

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Karolinum, Charles University, Prague  
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Prior online registration is necessary – Registration Form and further info are at <https://periculum.cuni.cz/updates/ai-rethinking-the-world/>

09:30-10:00	Conference registration													
10:00-10:30	Opening speeches: <b>Jan Konvalinka</b> Charles University (Vice-Rector for Research) <b>Nik Hynek</b> Charles University (PERICULUM Lead Researcher) <b>David Chandler</b> University of Westminster Centre for the Study of Democracy (CSD Director) <b>Tomáš Karásek</b> Charles University (Head of Department of Security Studies)													
10:30-11:00	<u>Keynote:</u> <b>Karamjit S. Gill</b> – Professor Emeritus University of Brighton; "AI & Society: Journal of Knowledge, Culture and Communication" (Founding Editor)													
11:00-11:15	Coffee break													
11:15-13:00	<p><b>Panel Discussion: AI and Society</b> <i>Focus: the complexity and variety of AI societal implications ranging from security and strategic concerns to more general philosophical issues</i></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td><i>Moderator:</i></td> <td><b>Nik Hynek</b></td> <td>Charles University</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="4"><i>Panelists:</i></td> <td><b>Kanta Dihal</b></td> <td>University of Cambridge; Leverhulme Centre for the Future of Intelligence (CFI)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Stephen J. Cowley</b></td> <td>University of Southern Denmark; Centre for Human Interactivity (CHI)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Lindsey R. Sheppard</b></td> <td>US Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Vít Štrátecký</b> <b>Petr Špelda</b></td> <td>Charles University</td> </tr> </table>		<i>Moderator:</i>	<b>Nik Hynek</b>	Charles University	<i>Panelists:</i>	<b>Kanta Dihal</b>	University of Cambridge; Leverhulme Centre for the Future of Intelligence (CFI)	<b>Stephen J. Cowley</b>	University of Southern Denmark; Centre for Human Interactivity (CHI)	<b>Lindsey R. Sheppard</b>	US Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)	<b>Vít Štrátecký</b> <b>Petr Špelda</b>	Charles University
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16:45-17:00	Closing of the conference													

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