

**IEEE ETHICS-2023: Ethics in the Global Innovation Helix**

18 -20 May 2023, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, USA

IEEE ETHICS-2023 will draw together the global community of technology and ethics practitioners and theoreticians from industry, academia, government, and civil society. Issues will be explored from industry, scientific and societal perspectives, in a global and multicultural manner. ETHICS-2023 is a conference of the IEEE Society on Social Implications of Technology (SSIT) (series originally launched in 2014). ETHICS-2023 is co-sponsored and hosted by the National Institute for Engineering Ethics in the School of Engineering Education at Purdue University, a leading land grant university with top-ranked engineering, technology, and computing programs, and an expansive portfolio of sponsored research and engagements in the ethics and policy realms. The triple helix model of innovation was introduced in the 1990s, developed to theorize and understand interactions between academia, industry, and government. Since then, scholars have expanded it to include additional strands or sectors, including society or the public (quadruple helix) and the natural environment (quintuple helix). The conference theme, “Ethics in the Global Innovation Helix,” underscores questions about the role and place of ethics and related concerns (e.g., social responsibility, social justice, regulatory compliance, etc.) in interactions between these strands, especially in ongoing processes of technology innovation, diffusion, evolution, and maintenance.

**Pre-Conference Workshop**

Norbert Wiener in the 21st Century (21CW2023)

**Plenary Sessions**

- Active Human Interface: Technology, Uncertainty, and Hope, Debbie Chachra (Olin College of Engineering)
- Ethical and Legal Frameworks for Automation, Iven Mareels (Institute of Innovation, Science and Sustainability, Federation University Australia)
- *Thinking Like an Engineer: Twenty-Five Years Later*, Michael Davis (Illinois Institute of Technology) plus three commentators

**Special Sessions (Panels)**

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| • The Ethics of Weapons Technology Development                                       | • The National Artificial Intelligence Initiative and The Ethics of AI   |
| • Perspectives from Liberal Arts on the Practical Turn in AI Ethics                  | • 4 + 1: The Impacts of Academia, Industry, Government and Civil Society on Sustainable Development (Sponsored by IEEE TechEthics) |
| • The Role of Human Rights in the Global Helix for Technology Innovation and Justice | • Socially Responsible Innovation for Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation (Sponsored by IEEE TAB Program on Climate Change)   |
| • The Arc of a Global Engineering Education  |  |
| • Careers in Technology Ethics (Sponsored by SSIT Ethics Committee)                  |  |

**Workshops and Tutorials**

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| • Exploring Mental Models of Ethics and Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Engineering  | • STS Postures as a Framework for Teaching Ethics Throughout the Engineering Curriculum   |
| • Critical Design for Responsible Innovation   | • Taking “day to day” ethics seriously outside the academy: Experiences from STS and Communication (sponsored by the ASEE Liberal Education/Engineering & Society Division) |
| • I can’t teach ethics, I’m not an ethicist: Transforming STEM ethics education begins with engaging faculty as ethical subjects |   |
| • AI Safety, Governance, and Alignment Tutorial  |   |

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