

Nicholas Vincent

Assistant Professor · [School of Computing Science](#) · [Simon Fraser University](#)

nvincent@sfu.ca

Research Interests: Responsible AI, human-computer interaction, machine learning, social computing

[Website](#) · [SFU Profile](#) · [Digital Garden](#) · [Substack](#) · [Google Scholar](#) · [Semantic Scholar](#) · [DBLP](#) · [GitHub](#)

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2023– **Assistant Professor**
Present Simon Fraser University, Computing Science
Affiliate at Digital Democracies Institute and School of Public Policy. Research Director at Metagov.
- 2022– **Postdoctoral Scholar**
2023 University of California, Davis, Communication
Co-advised by [Seth Frey](#) (UC Davis, Department of Communication) and [Amy X. Zhang](#) (University of Washington, School of Computer Science and Engineering)

EDUCATION

- Sep 2017– **PhD, Technology and Social Behavior (joint degree, Computer Science and**
Nov 2022 **Communication)**
Northwestern University
 - Advisor: [Brent Hecht](#)
 - Data Leverage: A Framework for Empowering the Public to Mitigate Harms of Artificial Intelligence. Received SIGCHI 2024 Outstanding Dissertation Award and Northwestern University School of Communication Dissertation Award. [Dissertation record](#)
- Sep 2012– **BS, Electrical Engineering**
Jun 2016 University of California, Los Angeles
 - Magna Cum Laude

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

- May 2021– **Research Intern**
Aug 2021 Microsoft, Office of the CTO, Redmond, WA
- Mar **Research Intern**
2020–Jun Snap Inc, Computational Social Science, Santa Monica, CA
- 2020 **Cloud Programming Specialist**
Sep 2016– Jun 2017 Cloudbakers, Chicago, IL
- Jun 2016– **NREIP Naval Research Intern**
Sep 2016 Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command (now NAVWAR), San Diego, CA
- Jun 2015– **NREIP Naval Research Intern**
Sep 2015 Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command (now NAVWAR), San Diego, CA
- Jun 2014– **Software Engineer Intern**
Sep 2014 Cisco Systems, San Jose, CA
- Jun 2013– **Cross Functional Intern**
Sep 2013 Cisco Systems, San Jose, CA

PUBLICATIONS

PEER REVIEWED

- [P27] **If open source is to win, it must go public**
Joshua Tan, **Nicholas Vincent**, Katherine Elkins, Magnus Sahlgren, Joseph Low, David Pham, Sampo Pyysalo, Jenia Jitsev
ICML, 2026 · Accepted (Spotlight position paper)

- [P26] **Overreliance in Writing Tasks: Exploring Similarity-Based Measures of AI Influence on Writing and Proposing a Reflective Writing Interface Intervention**
Vitor H. A. Welzel, **Nicholas Vincent**
ACM FAccT, 2026 · Published
- [P25] **Mechanism Plausibility in Generative Agent-Based Modeling**
Patrick Zhao, David Huu Pham, **Nicholas Vincent**
ACM FAccT, 2026 · Published
- [P24] **How Creatives Approach GenAI Image Generation: Tensions Between Structured Guidance, Self-Experimentation, and Creative Autonomy**
Haidan Liu, Isabelle Kwan, Taiga Okuma, Jeffrey Loverock, **Nicholas Vincent**, Parmit K Chilana
ACM Creativity & Cognition, 2026 · Published
- [P23] **Tracing Everyday AI Literacy Discussions at Scale: How Online Creative Communities Make Sense of Generative AI**
Haidan Liu, Poorvi Bhatia, **Nicholas Vincent**, Parmit Chilana
ACM CHI, 2026 · Published
- [P22] **Are We Horses? Rethinking Data as Labor**
Tae Wan Kim, **Nicholas Vincent**
Philosophy & Technology, 2026
- [P21] **Collective Bargaining in the Information Economy Can Address AI-Driven Power Concentration**
Nicholas Vincent, Matthew Prewitt, Hanlin Li
NeurIPS Position Papers, 2025
- [P20] **An Audit and Analysis of LLM-Assisted Health Misinformation Jailbreaks Against LLMs**
Ayana Hussain, Patrick Zhao, **Nicholas Vincent**
AIES, 2025
- [P19] **Responsible AI in the OSS: Reconciling Innovation with Risk Assessment and Disclosure**
Mahasweta Chakraborti, Bert Joseph Prestoza, **Nicholas Vincent**, Vladimir Filkov, Seth Frey
AIES, 2025 (Previously appeared as a workshop paper at AAAI Workshop on AIGOV)
- [P18] **Algorithmic Collective Action with Two Collectives**
Aditya Karan, **Nicholas Vincent**, Karrie Karahalios, Hari Sundaram
ACM FAccT, 2025
- [P17] **Push and Pull: A Framework for Measuring Attentional Agency on Digital Platforms**
Zachary Wojtowicz, Shrey Jain, **Nicholas Vincent**
ACM FAccT, 2025
- [P16] **A Canary in the AI Coal Mine: American Jews May Be Disproportionately Harmed by Intellectual Property Dispossession in Large Language Model Training**
Heila Precel, Allison McDonald, Brent Hecht, **Nicholas Vincent**
ACM CHI, 2024
- [P15] **Pika: Empowering Non-Programmers to Author Executable Governance Policies in Online Communities**
Leijie Wang, **Nicholas Vincent**, Julija Rukanskaitė, Amy X. Zhang
ACM CHI, 2024
- [P14] **Peer Produced Friction: How Page Protection on Wikipedia Affects Editor Engagement and Concentration**
Leah Ajmani, **Nicholas Vincent**, Stevie Chancellor
ACM CSCW, 2023
- [P13] **The Dimensions of Data Labor: A Road Map for Researchers, Activists, and Policymakers to Empower Data Producers**
Hanlin Li, **Nicholas Vincent**, Stevie Chancellor, Brent Hecht
ACM FAccT, 2023

- [P12] **Behavioral Use Licensing for Responsible AI**
Danish Contractor, Daniel McDuff, Julia Katherine Haines, Jenny Lee, Christopher Hines, Brent Hecht,
Nicholas Vincent, Hanlin Li
ACM FAccT, 2022
- [P11] **CEAM: The Effectiveness of Cyclic and Ephemeral Attention Models of User Behavior on Social Platforms**
Farhan Asif Chowdhury, Yozen Liu, Koustuv Saha, **Nicholas Vincent**, Leonardo Neves, Neil Shah, Maarten W Bos
AAAI ICWSM, 2021
- [P10] **Addressing Documentation Debt in Machine Learning Research: A Retrospective Datasheet for BookCorpus**
Jack Bandy, **Nicholas Vincent**
NeurIPS Datasets and Benchmarks, 2021
- [P9] **AdverTiming Matters: Examining User Ad Consumption for Effective Ad Allocations on Social Media**
Koustuv Saha, Yozen Liu, **Nicholas Vincent**, Farhan Asif Chowdhury, Leonardo Neves, Neil Shah, Maarten W Bos
ACM CHI, 2021
- [P8] **Can "Conscious Data Contribution" Help Users to Exert "Data Leverage" Against Technology Companies?**
Nicholas Vincent, Brent Hecht
ACM CSCW, 2021 (Previously appeared as a workshop paper at Collective Intelligence.)
- [P7] **A Deeper Investigation of the Importance of Wikipedia Links to Search Engine Results**
Nicholas Vincent, Brent Hecht
ACM CSCW, 2021
- [P6] **Data Leverage: A Framework for Empowering the Public in its Relationship with Technology Companies**
Nicholas Vincent, Hanlin Li, Nicole Tilly, Stevie Chancellor, Brent Hecht
ACM FAccT, 2021
- [P5] **How Do People Change Their Technology Use in Protest?: Understanding Protest Users**
Hanlin Li, **Nicholas Vincent**, Janice Tsai, Jofish Kaye, Brent Hecht
ACM CSCW, 2019 (Two co-first authors.)
- [P4] **Measuring the Importance of User-Generated Content to Search Engines**
Nicholas Vincent, Isaac Johnson, Patrick Sheehan, Brent Hecht
AAAI ICWSM, 2019 (Previously appeared as a workshop paper at WikiWorkshop.)
- [P3] **"Data Strikes": Evaluating the Effectiveness of a New Form of Collective Action Against Technology Companies**
Nicholas Vincent, Brent Hecht, Shilad Sen
ACM The Web Conference, 2019
- [P2] **Women (still) ask for less: Gender differences in hourly rate in an online labor marketplace**
Eureka Foong, **Nicholas Vincent**, Brent Hecht, Elizabeth M Gerber
ACM CSCW, 2018
- [P1] **Examining Wikipedia With a Broader Lens: Quantifying the Value of Wikipedia's Relationships with Other Large-Scale Online Communities**
Nicholas Vincent, Isaac Johnson, Brent Hecht
ACM CHI, 2018 (Best paper award.)

- [W19] **WikiGap: Promoting Epistemic Equity by Surfacing Knowledge Gaps Between English Wikipedia and other Language Editions**
Zining Wang, Yuxuan Zhang, Dongwook Yoon, **Nicholas Vincent**, Farhan Samir, Vered Shwartz
WikiWorkshop 2026, 2026 · Forthcoming
- [W18] **PoliSim@CHI 2026: LLM Agent Simulation for Policy**
Yuxuan Li, Wesley Hanwen Deng, Xuhui Zhou, Kevin Klyman, Chun Yu, Yuanchun Shi, **Nicholas Vincent**, Amy X. Zhang, Maarten Sap, Sauvik Das, Hirokazu Shirado
ACM CHI Extended Abstracts, 2026
- [W17] **Empowering Users Together: Connecting Algorithmic Collective Action and Explainable AI**
Ayana Hussain, C. M. Thacker, Patrick Zhao, Aditya Karan, **Nicholas Vincent**
Algorithmic Collective Action Workshop at NeurIPS 2025, 2025
- [W16] **Sync or Sink: Bounds on Algorithmic Collective Action with Noise and Multiple Groups**
Aditya Karan, Prabhat Kalle, **Nicholas Vincent**, Hari Sundaram
Algorithmic Collective Action Workshop at NeurIPS 2025, 2025
- [W15] **Epistemic Authority in AI Fact-Checking: A Human and Data Centric Perspective**
Devansh Bhojak, **Nicholas Vincent**
4S 2025 Conference: Reverberations, 2025
- [W14] **Step-By-Step Reasoning with Meta Cognitive Prompts to Reduce Contextual Hallucination**
Brian Miki, **Nicholas Vincent**
HEAL Workshop @ CHI 2025, 2025
- [W13] **Canada as a Champion for Public AI: Data, Compute and Open Source Infrastructure for Economic Growth and Inclusive Innovation**
Nicholas Vincent, Mark Surman, Jake Hirsch-Allen
author preprint, 2025
- [W12] **Responsible AI in Open Ecosystems: Reconciling Innovation with Risk Assessment and Disclosure**
Mahasweta Chakraborti, Bert Joseph Prestoza, **Nicholas Vincent**, Vladimir Filkov, Seth Frey
AAAI 2025 Workshop on AIGOV, 2025
- [W11] **Designing an open-source LLM interface and social platforms for collectively driven LLM evaluation and auditing**
Timothy J. Baek, **Nicholas Vincent**, Lawrence Kim
HEAL Workshop @ CHI 2024, 2024
- [W10] **The Need for Flexible Interfaces for Text-to-Image Auditing: A Case Study of DALL·E 2 and DALL·E 3**
Clare Provenzano, Parsa Rajabi, Diana Cukierman, **Nicholas Vincent**
GenAICHI @ CHI 2024, 2024
- [W9] **An Alternative to Regulation: The Case for Public AI**
Nicholas Vincent, David Bau, Sarah Schwettmann, Joshua Tan
RegML 2023 Workshop @ NeurIPS 2023, 2023
- [W8] **Sharing the Winnings of AI with Data Dividends: Challenges with 'Meritocratic' Data Valuation**
Nicholas Vincent, Brent Hecht
EAAMO 2023 Poster Track, 2023
- [W7] **Epistemic Injustice in Online Communities: Unpacking the Values of Knowledge Creation and Curation within CSCW Applications**
Leah Ajmani, Mo Houtti, Jasmine C Foriest, Michael Ann Devito, **Nicholas Vincent**, Isaac Johnson
Workshop at CSCW, 2023

- [W6] **Can Licensing Mitigate the Negative Implications of Commercial Web Scraping?**
Hanlin Li, **Nicholas Vincent**, Yacine Jernite, Nick Merrill, Jesse Josua Benjamin, Alek Tarkowski
Workshop at CSCW 2023, 2023
- [W5] **Ethical Tensions, Norms, and Directions in the Extraction of Online Volunteer Work**
Hanlin Li, Leah Ajmani, Moyan Zhou, **Nicholas Vincent**, Sohyeon Hwang, Tiziano Piccardi, Sneha Narayan, Sherae Daniel, Veniamin Veselovsky
Workshop at CSCW, 2022
- [W4] **Misleading Tweets and Helpful Notes: Investigating Data Labor by Twitter Birdwatch Users**
Isaiah Jones, Brent Hecht, **Nicholas Vincent**
ACM CSCW Posters, 2022
- [W3] **Collaborative Design of Contribution Tracking Systems for Decentralized Organizations**
Nicholas Vincent, Christine Vandevoorde
CESC 2022, 2022
- [W2] **Deep learning of tissue fate features in acute ischemic stroke**
Noah Stier, **Nicholas Vincent**, David Liebeskind, Fabien Scalzo
BIBM 2015 Workshop on Biomedical Visual Search and Deep Learning, 2015
- [W1] **Detection of hyperperfusion on arterial spin labeling using deep learning**
Nicholas Vincent, Noah Stier, Songlin Yu, David S Liebeskind, Danny JJ Wang, Fabien Scalzo
BIBM 2015 Workshop on Biomedical Visual Search and Deep Learning, 2015

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- [O11] **IDP-Bench: Benchmarking ability of LLMs to protect personal information in interdependent privacy contexts**
Ayana Hussain, Soumya Sharma, Golnoosh Farnadi, **Nicholas Vincent**, Héber Hwang Arcolezi, Ulrich Aïvodji
arXiv preprint, 2026
- [O10] **Benchmarks 101**
David Huu Pham, Heila Precel, Eleanor Tursman, B Cavello, Francisco Jure, **Nicholas Vincent**
NeurIPS 2025 Education Program, 2025
- [O9] **Open WebUI: An Open, Extensible, and Usable Interface for AI Interaction**
Jaeryang Baek, Ayana Hussain, Danny Liu, **Nicholas Vincent**, Lawrence H. Kim
arXiv preprint, 2025
- [O8] **AI for Just Work: Constructing Diverse Imaginations of AI beyond "Replacing Humans"**
Weina Jin, **Nicholas Vincent**, Ghassan Hamarneh
arXiv preprint, 2025
- [O7] **A step forward in tracing and documenting dataset provenance**
Nicholas Vincent
Nature Machine Intelligence, News & Views, 2024
- [O6] **Retracted Articles about COVID-19 Vaccines Enable Vaccine Misinformation on Twitter**
Rod Abhari, Esteban Villa-Turek, **Nicholas Vincent**, Henry Dambanemuya, Emőke-Ágnes Horvát
arXiv preprint, 2023
- [O5] **Online Engagement with Retracted Articles: Who, When, and How?**
Henry K Dambanemuya, Rod Abhari, **Nicholas Vincent**, Emőke-Ágnes Horvát
arXiv preprint, 2022
- [O4] **Preview of "Data and its (dis)contents: A survey of dataset development and use in machine learning research"**
Nicholas Vincent, Brent Hecht
Patterns, 2021
- [O3] **From My Data to Our Data**
Yakov Feygin, **Nicholas Vincent**, Hanlin Li, Chirag Lala, Luisa Scarcella
Book chapter in The Future of Building Wealth, 2021

[O2] **A Data Dividend that Works: Steps Toward Building an Equitable Data Economy**

Yakov Feygin, Hanlin Li, Chirag Lala, Brent Hecht, **Nicholas Vincent**, Luisa Scarcella, Matthew Prewitt
Berggruen Institute white paper, 2021

[O1] **Mapping the Potential and Pitfalls of 'Data Dividends' as a Means of Sharing the Profits of Artificial Intelligence.**

Nicholas Vincent, Yichun Li, Renee Zha, Brent Hecht
arXiv preprint, 2019

WRITING

Writing hubs: Digital Garden and Data Leverage Newsletter.

External essays, notebooks, and commentary: 12 pieces in Metagov News, The Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists, Montreal AI Ethics Institute Research Summaries, Wired, Technically Social, PSA Computing Blog, Observable Notebook, Northwestern Now, and Data Dividend Project Blog.

GRANTS

2025– **Informing Memory Institutions and Humanities Researchers of the Broader Impact of**
2026 **Open Data Sharing via Wikidata**

Wikimedia

Role: Collaborator | Amount: 49,450 USD | With: Hanlin Li

2024– **Empowering Data Creators to Advance Responsible Artificial Intelligence**

2029 NSERC Discovery Grant with supplement

Role: Principal Investigator | Amount: 175,000 CAD

2024– **Data Empowerment through Data Sharing in the Humanities**

2025 Breaking Barriers Interdisciplinary Incentive Grant (SFU)

Role: Co-Investigator | Amount: 60,000 CAD | With: Michelle Levy, Sheelagh Carpendale, Denise Oleksijczuk

AWARDS AND HONORS

2024: ACM SIGCHI Outstanding Dissertation Award, ACM SIGCHI

2023: Graduate Dissertation Award, Northwestern University School of Communication

2019: Presidential Fellowship Finalist, Northwestern University

2018: NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation (NSF)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2026 **Instructor, CMPT700 Technical Writing and Research Communication**

Simon Fraser University

Spring **Instructor, CMPT700 Technical Writing and Research Communication**

2026 Simon Fraser University

Spring **Supervisor, CMPT 415/416/894 Special research projects, honours research, and directed**
2026 **studies**

Simon Fraser University

Fall 2025 **Instructor, CMPT120 Introduction to Computing Science and Programming**

Simon Fraser University, ~200 students

Fall 2025 **Instructor, CMPT419 Special Topics in AI: Collective Action and Public Interest AI**

Simon Fraser University, ~60 students

Spring **Instructor, CMPT419 Special Topics in AI: Human- and Data-Centered AI**

2025 Simon Fraser University, ~40 students

Fall 2024 **Instructor, CMPT120 Introduction to Computing Science and Programming**

Simon Fraser University, ~169 students

Spring **Instructor, CMPT419 Special Topics in AI: Human- and Data-Centered AI**

- 2024 Simon Fraser University, ~53 students
- Fall 2023 **Instructor, CMPT120 Introduction to Computing Science and Programming**
Simon Fraser University, ~188 students
- 2023-2025 **Supervisor, Special research projects and honours research (CMPT 415/416/498)**
Simon Fraser University, ~27 students
27 undergraduate special-project and honours research students supervised across 2023-2025 (1 in 2023, 16 in 2024, 10 in 2025).
- Fall 2020 **Teaching Assistant, MTS525 Statistics and Statistical Programming (graduate)**
Northwestern University

ACADEMIC SERVICE

SUPERVISION & MENTORING

Direct supervision: 3 MSc students. Co-supervision: 1 PhD student. External committee member: 2 PhD students.
Undergraduate mentoring: 20+ students.

REVIEWING

Meta-reviews / Program Committee: AAAI ICWSM 2023; ACM EAAMO 2023; ACM CHI (2025, 2026);
NeurIPS Position Papers 2025

HCI/Social Computing Conference Reviews: ACM CHI (2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024); ACM CSCW (2020, 2021, 2022, 2025); AAAI ICWSM (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024); ACM The Web Conference (2022, 2023);
WikiWorkshop (2023, 2025); IC2S2 (2023); SEGA Workshop on Smart Education and Generative AI (2025)

ML Conference Reviews: NeurIPS (2023, 2024); NeurIPS Datasets and Benchmarks (2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025); ICML (2024, 2026); ICML Position Papers (2025); ICML Workshops (DataWorld - 2025); ACM FAccT (2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026); ACM WSDM (2023); AAAI (2024); ICLR (2024)

Journal Reviews: Nature Machine Intelligence; PLOS One; Patterns; Information, Communication, and Society;
ACM Journal on Responsible Computing; ACM Transactions on Computing for Healthcare

Grant Reviews: Wikimedia Foundation Research Fund; NSERC (2024)

Commendations: Best Reviewer - ICWSM 2021, ICWSM 2022; Special recognitions - NeurIPS Datasets and Benchmarks 2022, CSCW 2022, CHI 2025

COMMITTEE & ORGANIZING ROLES

2026: Organizer, PoliSim@CHI 2026: LLM Agent Simulation for Policy, ACM CHI 2026
(Co-organized the PoliSim workshop at ACM CHI 2026.)

2025: Organizer, Workshop on Algorithmic Collective Action @ NeurIPS 2025, NeurIPS 2025

2025: Session Facilitator / Panelist, Activism in the Age of AI, IATSE 891 AI Day of Learning
(Facilitated an interactive session on activism in the age of AI and participated in the afternoon panel.)

2024: Advisor / Panel Host, Workshop on Creativity & Generative AI @ NeurIPS 2024, NeurIPS 2024
(Advised the workshop and hosted a panel connecting machine learning researchers and creative professionals.)

2024: Member, Simon Fraser University, Media, Communication, and Events Committee

2024: Co-chair, ICWSM 2024 Data Challenge (Organized the Data Challenge track at ICWSM 2024.)

2023: Co-organizer, Can Licensing Mitigate the Negative Implications of Commercial Web Scraping?, ACM CSCW 2023

2023: Co-organizer, Epistemic Injustice in Online Communities: Unpacking the Values of Knowledge Creation and Curation within CSCW Applications, ACM CSCW 2023

2023: Member, Simon Fraser University, Undergraduate Program Committee

2023-2024: Organizer, AI Palace Conference/Residency
(Organized the AI Palace conference/residency in Bückeburg, Germany, in summer 2023 and summer 2024.)

2022: Co-organizer, Ethical Tensions, Norms, and Directions in the Extraction of Online Volunteer Work, ACM CSCW 2022

2019-2022: Organizer, California Data Dividends Working Group

2019–2021: Organizer, Northwestern University Artificial Intelligence Journal Club
(Organized the Northwestern University Artificial Intelligence Journal Club.)

2018: Co-chair, InfoSocial Graduate Student Conference
(Served as one of two co-chairs for the InfoSocial graduate student conference.)

2018: Member, Northwestern University, Computer Science Ph.D. Advisory Council

SELECTED TALKS & PANELS

- May 2026 **Panelist, Responsible AI Track (Panel)**
Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, BC
- May 2026 **Panel: Designing Collective Technology Governance (Panel)**
Grande Halle, Brussels, Belgium
- Mar 2026 **Panel: Can Decentralists Cooperate? Rethinking Commons and Collective Action in the Age of Platforms and AI (Panel)**
AMS Student Nest, Vancouver, BC
- Oct 2025 **A Data Flow Perspective on "AI Social Simulation": Will Recent AI Advances Enable New Social Science, Destroy Ecosystems for Knowledge, or Something More Subdued?**
Seattle, WA
- Aug 2025 **Data Leverage and AI Safety**
Singapore AI Safety Hub
- Jul 2025 **Data and Public AI**
San Jose, CA
- Mar 2025 **Canada as Champion for Public AI**
McMaster Internet Policy Lab
- Mar 2025 **Emerging Concerns with the Generative AI Data Paradigm (and how academic research and “Public AI” can help)**
UBC NLP
- Sep 2024 **Human-Centered AI Research and New Paradigms for Generative AI Data**
Human-Centered AI Conference @ Pepperdine University
- May 2024 **Economic Concentration and Dispossessive Data Use: Can HCI Solve Challenges from and to AI?**
SIGCHI 2024 Outstanding Dissertation Award
- Feb 2024 **A New Grand Data Bargain for Public Interest AI**
SFU DDI
- Jan 2024 **Responsive LLM Development (Panel)**
University of Toronto Data Sciences Institute: Fairness - ChatGPT Workshop
- Mar 2023 **Community Dialogue on Accountable Governance and Data**
Community Data Science Collective Community Dialogues
- Feb 2023 **Human-centered data and language models -- Privacy, data as labor, and licensing**
Stanford Social NLP Reading Group Talks
- Jan 2023 **Algorithmic Contestability**
Center for Advancing Safety of Machine Intelligence, Toward a Safety Science of AI
- Dec 2022 **Does the rise of AI need us to adopt new data licensing policies? (Panel)**
Open Health Data and AI Summit 2022
- May 2021 **The Importance of Wikipedia to Search Engines and Other Systems**
Wikipedia Research Showcase
- May 2021 **Public interest technologies for the ML age**
3rd Obfuscation Workshop
- Jan 2021 **Data Agency: Individual or Shared?**

Jul 2020 **Data Driven Economy for All (Panel)**

RadicalxChange 2020 Conference

Apr 2018 **The Critical Relationship of Volunteer-Created Wikipedia Content to Large-Scale Online Communities**

Wikipedia Research Showcase

SELECTED MEDIA COVERAGE

Feb 2026: [New Research Challenges Tech Giants to Recognize Users as Laborers, Not Byprodu...](#), *Carnegie Mellon University Tepper School of Business*. (Coverage)

Sep 2025: [Should the public sector build its own AI?](#), *The Financial Times*. (Coverage)

Jul 2025: [AI as 'teammate'? Not so fast, say experts warning it could be 'dangerous'](#), *Canadian HR Reporter*. (Interview)

May 2025: [Can Wikipedia survive the rise of AI and the age of Donald Trump?](#), *Australian Broadcasting Corporation*. (Interview)

May 2025: [‘Trial and error’: Over half of AI redundancies a mistake, say leaders](#), *Canadian HR Reporter*. (Interview)

Apr 2025: [Inside Meta's secret experiments that improve its AI models](#), *Business Insider*. (Interview)

Jan 2025: [OpenAI is reaping what it sowed with DeepSeek. What's that old saying about kar...](#), *Business Insider*. (Interview)

Jun 2024: [Is data supply AI's Achilles' heel?](#), *UBS*. (Coverage)

Apr 2024: [Is this AI? See if you can spot the technology in your everyday life](#), *The Washington Post*. (Interview)

Mar 2024: [Jews have always been prolific writers. Has AI wound up with too much of their ...](#), *Jewish Telegraphic Agency*. (Interview)

Mar 2024: [Nicholas Vincent explains why robots.txt is no longer enough to protect against...](#), *IT Brew*. (Interview)

Jan 2024: [AI is killing the grand bargain at the heart of the web. 'We're in a different ...](#), *Business Insider*. (Interview)

Oct 2023: [Newspapers want payment for articles used to power ChatGPT](#), *The Washington Post*. (Interview)

Aug 2023: ['Data leverage' and the Harry Potter test: How much is a single book worth to a...](#), *Business Insider*. (Interview)

Jul 2023: [Wikipedia's Moment of Truth](#), *New York Times Magazine*. (Interview)

Jun 2023: [We are all AI's free data workers](#), *MIT Technology Review*. (Coverage)

Apr 2022: [Internet users are 'poisoning' their personal data in the fight against online ...](#), *Le Monde*. (Interview)

Jun 2021: [Got the same name as a serial killer? Google might think you're the same person](#), *Vox*. (Interview)

May 2021: [Facebook and Others Should Pay Us for Our Data. Here's One Way](#), *Bloomberg*. (Coverage)

Mar 2021: [How to poison the data that Big Tech uses to surveil you](#), *MIT Technology Review*. (Interview)

Feb 2021: [Your data is a weapon that can help change corporate behavior](#), *Fortune*. (Interview)

Jul 2020: [Is it time for Netflix subscribers to go on strike?](#), *Quartz*. (Interview)

Mar 2018: [YouTube May Add to the Burdens of Humble Wikipedia](#), *New York Times*. (Interview)