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International developments

The European Directive on Data Protection - a factual description of the directive and an evaluation of the results

Dr Joachim Jacob, Federal Data Commissioner, Germany (German only)

The future perspectives from the Commission's standpoint now that the directive has been adopted Ulf Brühann, Head of Unit, Free Circulation of Information and Data Protection, DGXV, EU, Brussels (English, French & German)

Paul André Comeau, Président of Commission d'Accès à l'Information du Québec, Canada (English & French)

Kevin O'Connor, Privacy Commissioner, Australia

Joel Reidenberg, Associate Professor of Law, Fordham University School of Law, New York, USA

Labour market and privacy

Computer systems applied to the control of activities and surveillance in the workplace: stakes and risks for the privacy of the work force

Hubert Bouchet, CNIL, France (French)

The situation in the Netherlands

Peter J. Hustinx, President of the Registration Chamber, the Netherlands

Use of medical data in the labour market - a Danish Draft Bill

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Issues related to research and statistics

The Council of Europe's work drafting a recommendation on the protection of personal data collected and processed for statistical purposes Jean-Phillipe Walter, Deputy Federal Data Protection Commissioner, Switzerland

The use of multipurpose identification numbers in the production of statistics in Denmark

Finn Spieker, Consultant, Statistics Denmark

Statistical data bases and protection of personal data Michel May, Commissioner, CNIL, France (French)

Epidemiology and register-based research, legal and ethical considerations

Dr. Knut Borch-Johnsen, Copenhagen County Centre of Preventive Medicine, Denmark

Technological development and privacy

From footprints to electronic trails - some current issues of data protection policy

Professor Jon Bing, Norwegian Research Centre for Computers and Law, University of Oslo, Norway

Privacy and Multimedia - an inherent contradiction? Dr Hansjürgen Gartska, Data Protection Commissioner, Berlin, Germany

Protection of privacy and basic freedom in handling of pictures and sound

Louise Cadoux, Vice-President, CNIL, France (French)

Technologies of privacy

Marc Rotenberg, Director, EPIC, Washington, Georgetown University Law Center

Back to anonymity - Privacy Enhancing Technologies - a joint study in the Netherlands and Ontario John J. Borking, Vice-President of the Registration Chamber, the Netherlands

Regulation of telecommunications: definition of safety standards concerning cryptography
Dr. Alexander Dix, Deputy Data Protection
Commissioner, Berlin, Germany

Automation of public administration

Professor Peter Blume, University of Copenhagen, Institute of Legal Science, Denmark

Electronic Government - a UK perspective
Francis Aldhouse, UK Deputy Data Protection Registrar

Commercialisation of data collected by public authorities

Dr. Herbert Burkert, St. Gallen University, Switzerland

The increasing use and commercialisation of data collected by public authorities

David Flaherty, Information and Privacy Commissioner for British Columbia, Canada

The battle between the personal right to privacy and the commercial need to know

Anitha Bondestam, Data Inspection Board, Sweden

The increasing use and commercialisation of data collected by public authorities

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