



Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

PROGRAMME
of the Committee
on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs in
association with the Committee on Women's Rights
and Gender Equality

European common values and
Fundamental Rights issues in the
European Digital Strategy and related
legislation, notably the Digital Services
Act, Digital Market Act and Data
Governance Act

Wednesday, 26 May 2021, 9:00 to 11:40

European Parliament, Brussels

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JÓZSEF ANTALL BUILDING

The LIBE hearing will be looking at those aspects of the proposals under the LIBE Committee's remit: fundamental rights issues stemming from the Commission's proposals (such as impact on freedom of expression, the right to an effective remedy, non-discrimination, rights of the child, the protection of personal data, privacy online and law enforcement), as well as to issues related to the rule of law, and more broadly to the respect for EU common values.

Order of business

09:00 – 09:10: Opening by Mr. Juan Fernando LÓPEZ AGUILAR – LIBE Chair

FIRST PANEL

Personal data protection issues in the proposals: data altruism, data intermediaries and role of data protection authorities, role of gatekeepers

09:10 – 10:00

09:10 – 10:00 Intervention by Experts:

- Dr. Gabriela ZANFIR-FORTUNA, Director for Global Privacy, Future of Privacy Forum, US
- Mr Thomas BOUÉ, Director-General - Business Software Alliance

09:30 – 10:00 Exchange of views with LIBE Members

SECOND PANEL

Freedom of expression, disinformation and non-discrimination: removal of (illegal/harmful) content, automated decisions, profiling

10:00 – 10:45

10:00 – 10:45 Intervention by Experts:

- Dr. Mathias VERMEULEN, Public Policy Director AWO
- Dr. Lubos KUKLIS, Former Chair, European Regulators Group for Audiovisual Media Services

10:20 – 10:45 Exchange of views with LIBE Members

THIRD PANEL

Rule of Law, democracy and fundamental rights

10:45 – 11:30

10:45 – 11:30 Intervention by Experts:

- Mr Jan PENFRAT, Senior Policy Advisor EDRi
- Ms Asha ALLEN, Policy and Campaigns Officer on violence against women and girls, including on cyberviolence - European Women's Lobby.

11:05 – 11:30 Exchange of views with LIBE Members

11:35 – 11:40 Closing by Mr. Juan Fernando LÓPEZ AGUILAR – LIBE Chair