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The early vision of the internet as a place for the development of collective values and community is severely hampered by plenty of aggressive and hateful voices online. What do organizations that provide and administer communities for online discussions do to prevent harmful online communication? And how can we all contribute to fostering more online considerateness and civility?

At this special event, which marks the closing of the International Symposium on Corporate Social Responsibility, representatives from academia and practice present and discuss new research insights and practical approaches to tackle these pressing questions.

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Programme

17:30

Welcome and opening address

Sabine Einwiller (University of Vienna)

Katharine Sarikakis (University of Vienna)

17:40

Online hate speech against women

Anthony Loewstedt, Webster University

18:05

Organizations' responsibility to curb harmful online communication*

Sabine Einwiller (University of Vienna)

Sora Kim (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)

18:35

Dealing with harmful online communication in news media communities

Christian Burger (DerStandard)

18:50

Break (drinks)

19:00

Panel discussion: Against online hate and for more online civility

Discussants:

Christian Burger, DerStandard

Christina Dinar, Amadeo Antonio Foundation

Sora Kim, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Francisco Seoane Perez, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Katharine Sarikakis, University of Vienna

Moderation:

Sabine Einwiller, University of Vienna

20:15

Stand-up buffet and networking

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