

University of Pittsburgh
The Senate of the University of Pittsburgh
Spring 2023 Plenary Session

"Unsettled: Frames for Examining Generative Artificial Intelligence"


Tuesday, April 4, 2023
William Pitt Union – Assembly Room
11:45 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

11:45 **Doors Open / Complimentary Lunch**

12:00 **Opening of the Plenary Session/Introduction of**
Chancellor *Robin Kear, President, University Senate*

12:05 **Welcoming Remarks**
Patrick Gallagher, Chancellor

12:10 **Introduction of Panel Speakers**
Kristin Kanthak, Vice President, University Senate

12:15  **Colin Allen, Philosophy of Science, Distinguished Professor**
Philosophical foundations of cognitive science and neuroscience; scientific study of cognition in nonhuman animals and computers



Morgan Frank, SCI, Assistant Professor
Complexity of artificial intelligence, the future of work, and the socio-economic consequences of technological change



Na-Rae Han, Linguistics, Teaching Professor
Computational linguistics, corpus linguistics, NLP (natural language processing) methods for educational assessment and instruction, and computer-assisted language learning



Alison Langmead, History of Art & Architecture
Clinical Professor and Director, Visual Media Workshop; Jointly appointed with the School of Computing and Information
Socio-technical systems expertise, with an emphasis on the relationship between visual and material culture and digital technologies



Michael Madison, School of Law, Professor of Law and John E. Murray Faculty Scholar
Knowledge and information governance; institutions, systems, and practices surrounding data sharing and pooling



Annette Vee, English, Associate Professor of English and Director of the Composition Program
Digital composition; intersections between computing and writing; teaching writing; writing program administration; history of literacy



Joseph Yun, Electrical and Computer Engineering
Artificial Intelligence Architect, Office of the CIO, Strategy and Information Group; and Research Professor, Swanson School of Engineering
Novel data science algorithms, user-centric analytics systems, and societal considerations of AI-based advertising and marketing (e.g., privacy, ethics)

1:15 **Q&A**
Led by Kristin Kanthak

1:45 **Closing Remarks**
Ann E. Cudd, Provost and Senior Vice Chancellor

ALL FACULTY, STAFF & STUDENTS
ARE INVITED TO ATTEND