

DATA ETHICS LECTURE 2

RECAP DATA COLLECTION

PREVIEW PROMISES

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ROADMAP FOR TODAY

- Administrivia
- Recap Data Collection
- Preview Promises
- Discuss 1 or 2 promises
- Preview readings for 1-2 topics

ADMIN-Y THINGS

- **Canvas**

everyone should have access now, if that's not the case then let me know!
- **Readings**

More readings available on Canvas as PDFs
- **Reading time check**

How long did readings take?
- **great reflections, everyone**

DATA COLLECTION (RECAP)

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The screenshot shows a news article from POLITICO's website. The title is "Suicide hotline shares data with for-profit spinoff, raising ethical questions". The article discusses how The Crisis Text Line, an AI-driven chat service, has gathered data from its conversations with people in tough situations. Below the headline is a large, stylized illustration of a red speech bubble containing various text elements related to mental health support.

TECHNOLOGY

Suicide hotline shares data with for-profit spinoff, raising ethical questions

The Crisis Text Line's AI-driven chat service has gathered troves of data from its conversations with people suffering life's toughest situations.

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What Is Depression?

Message Us

Message A Crisis Counselor On WhatsApp

Text A Crisis Counselor

Symptoms

Politico Illustration

By ALEXANDRA S. LEVINE
01/28/2022 04:30 AM EST
Updated: 01/27/2022 03:16 PM EST

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Crisis Text Line is one of the world's most prominent mental health support

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June 15, 2021 12:00AM EDT

Available in English বাংলা

UN Shared Rohingya Data Without Informed Consent

Bangladesh Provided Myanmar Information that Refugee Agency Collected

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Rohingya refugees headed to Bhasan Char island prepare to board navy vessels from the southeastern port city of Chattogram, Bangladesh on February 15, 2021. © 2021 AP Photo

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Adam Ferriss

The Secretive Company That Might End Privacy as We Know It

A little-known start-up helps law enforcement match photos of unknown people to their online images — and “might lead to a dystopian future or something,” a backer says.

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 By [Kashmir Hill](#)

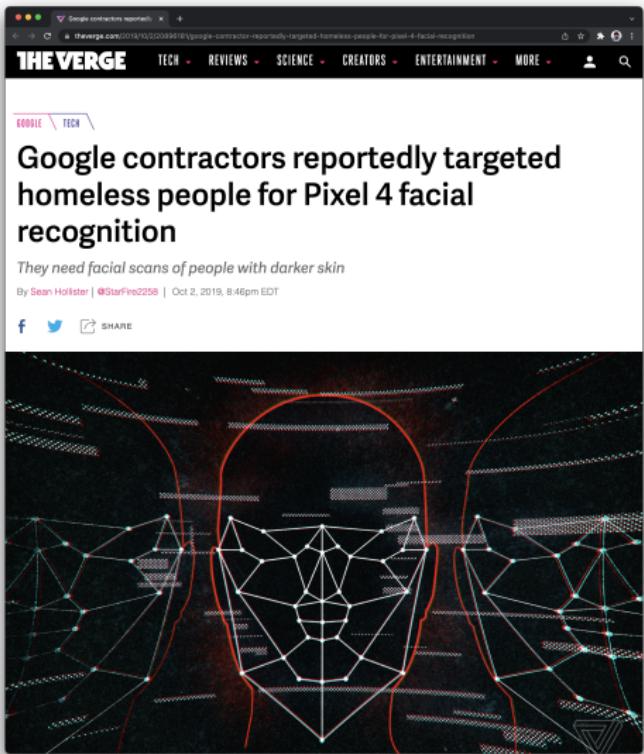
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General Data Protection Regulation

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GDPR redirects here. For the economics term, see [gross domestic product of region](#).

Regulation (EU) 2016/679

European Union regulation

Title Regulation on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (Data Protection Directive)

Made by European Parliament and Council of the European Union

Journal reference L119, 4 May 2016, p. 1–88^a

History

Date made 14 April 2016

Implementation date 25 May 2018

Preparative texts

Commission proposal COM(2012)010 final – 2012/010 (CDD)

Other legislation

Replaces Data Protection Directive

Current legislation

The California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA), adopted on 28 June 2018, has many similarities with the GDPR.^b

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California Consumer Privacy Act

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California Consumer Privacy Act

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California State Legislature

Full name California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018^[1]

Introduced January 3, 2018

Signed into law June 26, 2018

Governor Jerry Brown

Code California Civil Code

Section 1798.100

Resolution AB-375 (2017–2018 Session)

Website Assembly Bill No. 375^[2]

Status: Current legislation

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Intentions of the Act [edit]

The intentions of the Act are to provide California residents with the right to:

- 1. Know what personal data is being collected about them.

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“SHOULDN’T REGULATORS HAVE GOTTEN INVOLVED?”

“...THE LAWS WE HAVE TODAY ARE FROM TO 1970’S?”

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CONSEQUENTIALISM

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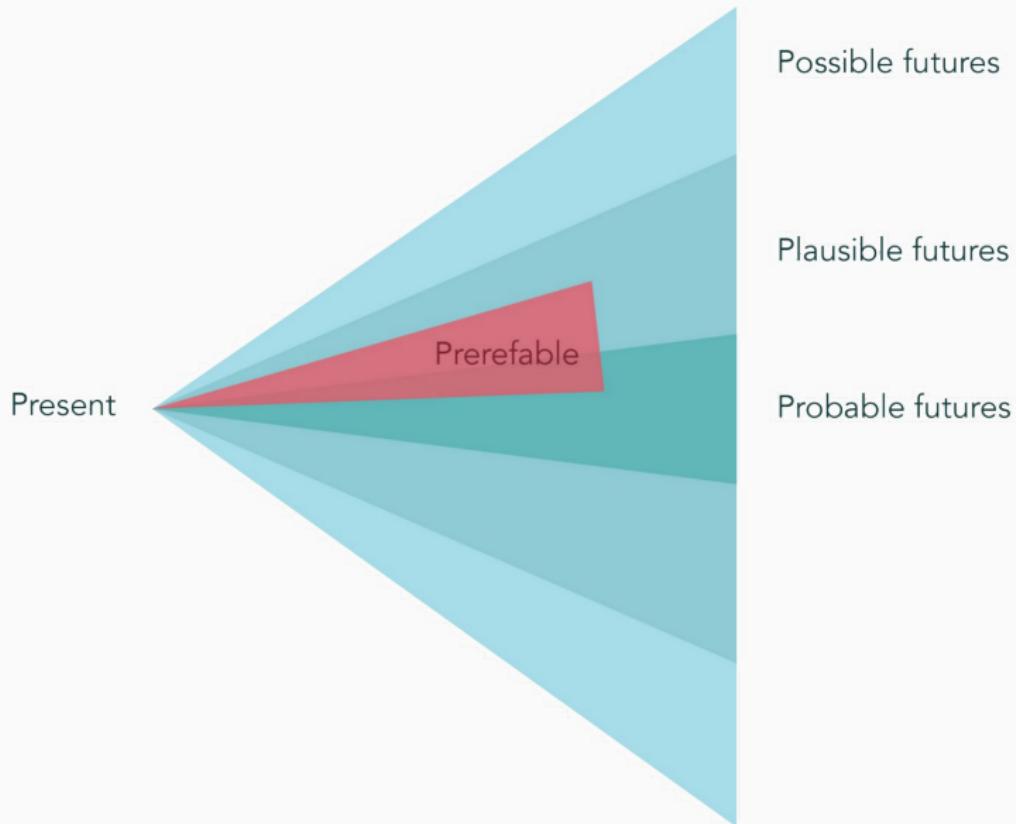
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SPECULATIVE DESIGN



SOME “PROVOCATIONS”

a quick caveat about “provocations”

SOME “PROVOCATIONS”

What are the risks of allowing the private sector to gather so much sensitive data?

Does anyone else feel uncomfortable about statements about suicide prevention efforts using phrases like “piloting a tailored solution” and “evaluating data trends?”

What would it look like if all of

When do we know that an issue having to do with privacy and surveillance has been adequately addressed?

At what point do the negatives of a technology that gathers data outweigh the positives? Likewise, when do the positives outweigh the