

Fachbereich 9 - Medienstudiengänge

Department 9 - Media Courses

Kommentar zur Lehrveranstaltung im WS 2020/21

Description of seminars

Veranstalter*in: Prof. Dr. Sigrid Kannengießer

Lecturer:

Titel (dt.):

Titel (engl.): Media practices of encryption

Beschreibung:

Description:

Today's datafied societies are characterized by phenomena of dataveillance (van Dijk 2014). Different actors criticize these phenomena and try to shape datafication processes (Kannengießer 2019). The practice of encryption is one way with which users of digital media technologies try to face challenges of the datafied society and protect their privacy. In this seminar, participants will reflect on the challenges of datafication and learn different encryption practices themselves, such as email encryption or the encryption of hard disks and safe internet browsing.

Literatur:

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Kannengießer, S. (2019). Reflecting and acting on datafication – CryptoParties as an example of re-active data activism. *Convergence: The International Journal of Research into New Media Technologies*, DOI: [10.1177/1354856519893357](https://doi.org/10.1177/1354856519893357).

van Dijck, J. (2014). Datafication, dataism, and dataveillance. *Surveillance & Society*, 12(2), 197-208.