Fachbereich 9 - Medienstudiengänge
Department 9 - Media Courses

Kommentar zur Lehrveranstaltung im WiSe 2022/23
Description of seminars

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Titel (dt.):
Title:

Titel (engl.):
Platform Governance Briefings
(immer angeben)

Beschreibung:
Description:

Platform governance — that is, the way social media platforms curate and regulate our communication, and how in turn they are being regulated by public authorities — has become a key topic of public and policy discussion. How shall platforms handle hate speech and misinformation? Is the blocking or downranking of hateful comments, for example, censorship? And how do platforms adapt their rules to major public crises such as the Corona pandemic or the Russian invasion in the Ukraine? Against this background, there is growing public interest in this topic and existing research and resources in this field.

In this practical seminar, we will develop and produce accessible formats to transfer research results and changing policies of social media for the public interest. Building on the Platform Governance Archive (pga.hiig.de) and other resources we will write up and illustrate findings and material in the field of platform governance. Outputs will be presented on a public website hosted by the ZeMKI.

Please note:
In module 7/C.2 attending sessions is obligatory. Students are allowed to miss two sessions unexcused, about further absences the lecturer has to be informed. This has to do with limited capacities in this module.

Literatur:
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