

Internet Day 2023

"Wit or Hype?"

Summary

The idea

Internet Day brought together the Estonian Internet community for the **8th time** in a hybrid form. The aim of the event is to contribute to the development of the Estonian Internet.

The event took place on **June 6th** with the motto "**Wit or Hype?**". The topics of discussion were the price of the Estonian internet, pains and gains of AI and digital defamation.

The event took place at the **Tallinn University** and was moderated by the Estonian tech journalist **Henrik Roonemaa**.

Is AI already too dangerous?

AI came like a blessing to us and for a moment, the future looked bright. However, there were also many who saw the unprecedented trouble and potential danger of AI to humanity. Especially when the ChatGTP brought AI to the masses. One of them was the creator of OpenAI.

Is there a need for licencing of AI and its' release to use? How will be moving forward regarding the regulation of it and how should we treat it in Estonia?

Kristjan Port, professor at Tallinn University

Tanel Tammet, professor at Tallinn University of Technology

Meelis Kitsing, rector at Estonian Business School

Digital defamation as a shortcut to court

With the freedom of speech comes also the responsibility of your words. What are the rules for freedom of speech on the internet and is there a limit to defamation? Is freedom of speech at risk and what are its suppression actions? What are SLAPP suits and are they limiting the freedom of speech?

Robert Sarv, lawyer at Emerald Legal

Karmen Turk, solicitor and partner at Triniti

Ivo Kruusamägi, Wikipedia Estonia

Mirror, mirror on the wall, who has the most expensive Internet of them all?

Every now and then the topic of the cost of the internet in Estonia arises. Is it more expensive than in our neighbouring countries and what is the reason for it? How much does the service design play a role in all of this and how can it be changed?

Oliver Gailan, Consumer Protection and Technical Regulatory Authority

Taivo Kendla, board member of Tele2 Estonia

Andre Visse, CTO of Telia Estonia

Event in retrospective

Internet Day was broadcasted via Estonian Internet Foundation YouTube channel and through the news outlet **Postimees**.

Live audience of the event also had the opportunity to ask questions from the panelist and make remarks.

All together, the number of views of the event is 270.

Pictures and video recording of the event is available **[HERE!](#)**



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