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Nita Farahany

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The Battle for Your Brain: Defending the Right to Think Freely in the Age of Neurotechnology

About the Webinar:

Jennifer Wagner, Assistant Professor of Law, Policy, and Engineering, will host Duke University law scholar and author Nita A. Farahany for a webinar discussing her new book, *"The Battle for Your Brain: Defending the Right to Think Freely in the Age of Neurotechnology."* RSVP for the webinar with this QR Code:



April 11, 2023
10:00am – 11:00am
Zoom Webinar

About the Book:

At the intersection of neuroscience and artificial intelligence lies a wealth of opportunity for business, labor, and society at large. Yet along with progress comes a host of legal and ethical dilemmas. Legal scholar, ethicist and futurist Professor Nita Farahany considers what our neurological information is worth, and the implications of making it available to corporations, work places and government.

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About the Speaker:

Nita A. Farahany is the Robinson O. Everett Distinguished Professor of Law & Philosophy at Duke University and Founding Director of the Duke Initiative for Science & Society. She is a frequent commentator for national media and radio and keynote speaker at events including TED, the Aspen Ideas Festival, the World Economic Forum, and judicial conferences worldwide. From 2010-2017, she served as a Commissioner on the U.S. Presidential Commission for the Study of Bioethical Issues. She is also co-editor-in-chief of the Journal of Law and the Biosciences and on the Board of Advisors for Scientific American. Farahany holds an AB (Genetics) from Dartmouth College, an ALM (Biology) from Harvard University, and a JD, MA, and Ph.D. (Philosophy) from Duke University.

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