



InterPARES Trust AI

Public Symposium

Artificial Intelligence to Benefit the Management of Public Records

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Università di Macerata, Polo Pantaleoni, Aula Verde, vicolo della Pescheria vecchia

- 09:00 **John Mc Court**, rector of **UniMC**, **Luciana Duranti**, **UBC**
Welcome
- 09:30 **Muhammad Abdul Mageed**, **University of British Columbia**
InterPARES Tools
- 10:10 **Victoria Lemieux**, **University of British Columbia**
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- 10:50 **Jim Suderman**
Knowledge Graphs and Privacy in Context
- 11:30 **Jessica Bushey**, **San José State University**
Trust through Transparency in the Generative AI Era
- 12:10 **Eng Sengsavang**, **UNESCO**
The UNESCO Radio Archives
- 12:40 *Break for lunch*
- 14:00 **Tracey Lauriault**, **Carleton University**
Digital Twins: Preserving the parts and not the whole
- 14:40 **Scott Cameron**, **Bank of Canada**
Paradata
- 15:20 **Maria Guercio**, **ANAI**
AI and Classification: Case-study and paradata framework
- 16:00 **Pierluigi Feliciati**, **University of Macerata**
Access to Archival Holdings as a Process in the Age of AI
- 16:40 **Richard Arias-Hernandez**, **University of British Columbia**
Developing Teachable AI Materials for Archival Education and Professional Development
- 17:10 *Adjourn*

Speaker Bios



**Luciana Duranti – University of British Columbia Canada
InterPARES Trust AI Principal Investigator and Co-Director**

Dr. Luciana Duranti since 1987 is Professor of archival theory, diplomatics, and digital records in the master's and doctoral archival programs of the School of Information of the UBC, in Vancouver, and, since 2011, is Affiliate Professor at the University of Washington at Seattle, U.S. Professor Duranti is Director of the UBC Centre for the International Study of Contemporary Records and Archives, and, since 1998, the Principal Investigator of the InterPARES research project. She has published extensively on archival and diplomatics theory and on the use of their concepts for understanding the products of new technologies. Since 2015, she is the Chair of the Canadian Government Standards Board committee for Electronic Records as Documentary Evidence.



**Muhammad Abdul-Mageed – University of British Columbia, Canada
InterPARES Trust AI Co-Director**

Dr. Muhammad Abdul-Mageed is Canada Research Chair in Natural Language Processing and Machine Learning, and Associate Professor in the School of Information and Department of Linguistics (Joint Appointment), and Computer Science (Associate Member), at The UBC. His research is in deep learning and natural language processing, focusing on deep representation learning and natural language socio-pragmatics, with a goal to innovate more equitable, efficient, and 'social' machines for improved human health, safer social networking, and reduced information overload. Applications of his work currently span a wide range of speech and language understanding and generation tasks. He is director of the [UBC Deep Learning & NLP Group](#), co-director of the SSHRC-funded [Trust Artificial Intelligence](#), and co-lead the SSHRC [Ensuring Full Literacy](#) Partnership Grant. He is a founding member of the [Center for Artificial Intelligence Decision making and Action](#) and a member of the [Institute for Computing, Information, and Cognitive Systems](#).



Richard Arias Hernandez, University of British Columbia, Canada

Dr. Richard Arias is an Associate Professor of Teaching at the School of Information at UBC, focusing on digital libraries, digital collections, information systems, information visualization, data management, analytics, and visualization at the iSchool graduate programs and in the Bachelor of Media Studies (BMS). His current research focuses on curriculum design for archival studies programs to leverage and incorporate artificial intelligence and machine learning into archival and records management practices.



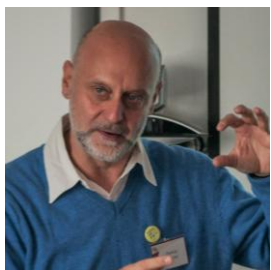
Jessica Bushey - San José State University, U.S.A.

Dr. Jessica Bushey is an Assistant Professor in the School of Information at San José State University in California, where she teaches courses on Reference and Information Services in Archives, and Preservation Management in Archival Repositories. Prior to joining SJSU, Bushey worked with municipal archives, university museums and archives, and international organizations to develop policies and procedures for managing and preserving digital images and audiovisual collections.



Scott Cameron, Bank of Canada, Canada

Scott Cameron is an Archivist and Librarian. He has contributed to the InterPARES research group on paradata since 2022, and presently works in research data management at the Bank of Canada. Responsibility for the views expressed should not be attributed to his employer.



Pierluigi Feliciati – University of Macerata, Italy

Dr. Feliciati was an Archivist in the Italian National Archives from 1986 to 2007. He coordinated the Information Systems of the Italian State Archives network and their first Web portal. He is Associate Professor of Archival and Information Science at the University of Macerata, where is the pro-rector for digital archives. In 2019 he was a visiting Professor at the Information School of the University of British Columbia (Canada). He leads the UniMC research group of InterPARES Trust AI. He is the co-editor of the JLIS.it journal.

Maria Guercio



Tracey P. Lauriault – Carleton University, Canada

Dr. Tracey P. Lauriault is Associate Professor, Critical Media and Big Data, [School of Journalism and Communications](#), cross appointed to the MA in [Digital Humanities](#), and on the board for [Institute for Data Science at Carleton University](#) in Ottawa. She is one of the founders of critical data studies; open data and of Open Smart Cities. Her research involves data preservation, digital twins, smart cities, data brokers and indigenous data governance. She mobilizes her research into data and technology policy and aims to make data and technological systems more just, inclusive, equitable and sustainable.



Dr. Victoria Lemieux – University of British Columbia, Canada

Dr. Victoria Lemieux is an experienced and multidimensional academic, technology leader, and innovator. She is Professor of Archival Science at the UBC's School of Information, affiliated faculty in UBC's Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Faculty of Applied Science, and is member of UBC's Institute for Computing, Information and Cognitive Systems. She is also founder and co-lead of Blockchain@UBC, the multidisciplinary blockchain research cluster. Her academic research focuses on risk to the availability of trustworthy records and how these risks impact upon transparency, financial stability, public accountability, and human rights.

Eng Sengsavang



Jim Suderman - City of Toronto, Canada

Jim Suderman recently retired from the position of Director of Information Access at the City of Toronto, where he oversaw the operations of the City's records management, archives, and information and privacy protection programs. Prior to that he was a Senior Archivist and the Coordinator of the Electronic Records Program at the Archives of Ontario. He has been a researcher in InterPARES 2 and 4, and is currently a co-investigator in InterPARES Trust AI.