



International Colloquium
Technology and Society: Mutations, Progress and Reactions

Program

9:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Opening Session

Address of Mr. Barbar Zeghondy, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, USEK

Address of Fr. Jean Reaidy, Dean of the Faculty of Philosophy and Humanities, USEK

Address of Mrs. Hoda Nehme, Deputy President for Cultural Affairs, USEK

Address of Fr. Prof. Georges Hobeika, President of USEK

1st Round Table: Ethics and Humanities

Moderator: Mrs. Rima Mattar, Deputy President for International Affairs and Global Initiatives, USEK

Mr. James L. Vann, USA

The Ethical Governance of Artificial Intelligence: A Punctuated Equilibrium Theory Perspective

Mr. Charles Sébastien, Dean of Research and Creation, UQTR – Canada

Repenser les humanités face aux mutations technologiques contemporaines

11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

2nd Round Table: Technology, Industry, Energy and Artificial Intelligence

Moderator: Mrs. Tilda Akiki, Head of Electrical, Telecommunications and Computer Engineering Department, USEK

Mr. Georges Abdul Nour, Academy of Industrial Engineering of Texas Tech University – Canada

À l'affût des nouvelles technologies : le génie industriel et le gouvernement au service des petites et moyennes entreprises

Mr. Bechara Nehme, USEK

Technology for the Service of Energy Demand in Societies

Mrs. Sandy Rihana, Head of Biomedical Engineering Department, USEK

Where Does Artificial Intelligence (AI) Stand Today?

Mr. Oussama Khoury, Novo Advisor, Bank Audi
About Novot

2:00 p.m. – 3: 15 p.m.

3rd Round Table: Cognitive, Pedagogical and Ethical Approach for Digital Age

Moderator: Mrs. Eva El Hachem, Head of the Education Department, USEK

Mr. Bruno Devauchelle, Associate Researcher at Laboratoire Techné, Université de Poitiers
Les smartphones, objets numériques personnels connectés, au cœur de la question éducative

Mrs. Catherine Nafti-Malherbe, Vice Dean, UCO – Angers
Les représentations des métiers du numérique chez les lycéens français

Mrs. Lamis Mehanna, USEK
L'apprentissage par la robotique

3.30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

4th Round Table: Human Relations in a Digital Age

Moderator: Mrs. Karine Nasr Demerjian, Associate Dean at the Faculty of Philosophy and Humanities, USEK

Mr. Renaud Hétier, Head of the Doctoral Commission, UCO – Angers
Quelle relation humaine dans l'avenir technologique : virtualisation, distance, réification et éducation

Mr. Georges Chedid, USEK
Virtual Reality Exposure Therapy

Mrs. Dayana Majdalani, USEK
Les institutions scolaires : vers un enseignement corollaire de la technologie et des valeurs

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

5th Round Table: Work and Life in the Digital Age

Moderator: Mrs. Hoda Nehme, Deputy President for Cultural Affairs, USEK

Mrs. Christelle Stephan-Hayek, Head of the French Section at the Language Center, USEK
Les écrivains sans livre ou la littérature à l'ère du numérique

Mr. Joseph Nasr, Head of Design and Interior Architecture Department, USEK
Ville augmentée, homme instrumenté

Mr. Zaki Ghorayeb, Associate Dean for Medical Affairs, USEK
Les nouvelles technologies à la rescousse de la formation médicale