

# PHD SUMMER SCHOOL ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND LAW 2026

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22 – 26 June 2026  
University of Tübingen

Apply by  
April 06



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## ABOUT THE SUMMER SCHOOL

The Chair for Law and Artificial Intelligence at the University of Tübingen is hosting its third International PhD Summer School in Artificial Intelligence and Law from 22 – 26 June 2026. The Summer School provides a platform for PhD candidates to engage in dynamic discussions and showcase their research. It will take place at Tübingen castle and will feature expert lectures from leading scholars, participant presentations, and social events in view of fostering in-depth discussions amongst participants.

The event will be embedded in the lively law and AI communities in Tübingen. Tübingen is home to excellent computer science and law faculties, the CZS Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Law as well as the Cluster of Excellence "Machine Learning – New Perspectives for Science," the Tübingen AI Center, the first Chair for Law and Artificial Intelligence in Germany, and the Max Planck Institute for Intelligent Systems, among others.

Travel and accommodation expenses will be covered for all participants.



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## CONFIRMED SPEAKERS

The 3rd International PhD Summer School in Artificial Intelligence and Law will feature keynotes from:

- **Catalina Goanta** (Utrecht University)
- **Eliza Mik** (The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
- **Orla Lynskey** (University College London)
- **Sangchul Park** (Seoul National University)
- **Tori Ekstrand** (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill)

## APPLICATION PROCESS

The deadline for applications is 06 April 2026.

Applicants are asked to provide a single PDF file that includes a cover letter (max. 500 words) explaining their motivation, a CV, and an overview of their doctoral dissertation. The cover letter should also mention the specific research project (typically a chapter of their thesis or a related article) that they would share with the other participants and present at the summer school. Accepted participants are required to submit the mentioned chapter or article by 31 May 2026, as it will be distributed to other participants in advance for preparation and discussion during the summer school.

Applications should be sent to [vittorio.franzese@uni-tuebingen.de](mailto:vittorio.franzese@uni-tuebingen.de)

