



Communication, Information Integrity, Social Justice and Democracy

21 - 23 October 2026 · World Summer School

“World Summer School Pocket Guide”, version October 17

Dear participant,
(with copy to the Coordinators and Panelists)

In this document, we present the “World Summer School Pocket Guide”, containing basic information about the panels and working groups for the activities taking place from October 21 to 23.

Each day will feature two three-hour work periods.

The first period will include two panels with invited scholars offering insights, reflections, and thought-provoking ideas regarding the topics of each debate.

Each panelist will have between 10-15 minutes for his/her talk. After the presentations, it will have time for questions and comments.

The second period will consist of Working Groups, providing an opportunity for productive dialogue between graduate students and the professors coordinating each group.

The sessions of the Working Groups count on, at least, one scholar coordinating their activities and will work simultaneously, in parallel, and we will share the links for each activity at a later time.

As we have people in different countries, activity times are listed in Coordinated Universal Time, UTC). More information about UTC at:

https://time.is/pt-br/time_zones and
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Coordinated_Universal_Time

The schedule may be subject to change depending on the guests' availability and any last-minute unforeseen circumstances.

Given the significant number of colleagues who expressed interest in coordinating the Working Groups and to develop an inclusive perspective, we will count on 71 graduate students and dividing them into 7 working groups, each coordinated by at least one academic, as detailed in this list proposed at:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/19wDE5HrHFdTfAUSbNSBJ2tVruWrzfl4IWmYAqpRy4pA/edit?gid=1228224748#gid=1228224748>

The composition of each Working Group was determined based on shared research areas, the proposals submitted by the graduate students, and the aim of having between 9 and 12 papers per group.

These papers will be presented and discussed during the 9 hours (3 hours per day, between 21-23 October, times below) allocated to the Working Groups in the schedule.

Before Wednesday, read the information regarding all the projects from your group—especially the research you will be commenting on—so that the resulting discussion can be useful for learning, exchanging experiences, and sharing contributions.

Please, on Wednesday, 10/21, Thursday, 10/22, and Friday, 10/23, access the link of the panels and of your group 10 minutes in advance and be part only of your Working Group. The intention of this is stimulating more connection and network among the participants.

If you are interested in learning more about the research of a colleague from another group, there will be time to connect after the World Summer School.

During the World Summer School, please show your support by attending the presentations of your own Working Group.

This structure allows for 20 minutes for each graduate student to present their work, followed by 5 minutes of commentary from a fellow Working Group member, and 20 minutes for questions, answers, and comments from the group coordinators.

The list of participants and their commentators is available at the link:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/19wDE5HrHFdTfAUSHNSBJ2tVruWrzfl4lWmYAqpRy4pA/edit?gid=1228224748#gid=1228224748>

The link of each Working Group is available below:

Working Group's Links

- 1 <https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf>
- 2 <https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst>
- 3 <https://meet.google.com/gyq-tcwp-wdp>
- 4 <https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes>
- 5 <https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax>
- 6 <https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei>
- 7 <https://meet.google.com/xse-hpsd-ngi>

Prior to the working group sessions, we will hold six panel discussions, according to the programme and links below. The themes for these panels also stem from the graduate students' interests and the academics' fields of expertise. Please, we need you to follow the panels and write comments and questions, using the Youtube chat during each one.

It is worth noting that...

More information about UTC at: <https://time.is>

1) First periods: Panels,
From 11:00 to 14:00 UTC

2) Second periods: Working Groups
From 16:00 to 19:00 UTC

List of Working Groups, with their coordinators and their participants (presenting and commenting) is available at:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/19wDE5HrHFdTfAUSHNSBJ2tVruWrzfl4lWmYAqpRy4pA/edit?gid=1228224748#gid=1228224748>

In other words:

- a) Each day will have two panels
- b) Each panel will have 80 minutes
- c) There will be a 20-minute break between the two panels.

- d) There will be a two-hour break between the panels and the working groups, during which time
- e) The Working Groups will have three hours each day

Links to the panels on YouTube may be shared with individuals outside of the World Summer School.

For security reasons, links to the Working Groups on Google Meet must not be shared with others. Furthermore, in the event of a cyberattack—such as the sharing of non-academic content within a session—please immediately send a message via WhatsApp to +5561995681531 and an email to paulino@unb.br, so that we may remove the intruders from the videoconference.

Finally, should you have any questions, we kindly ask that you carefully read this document before sending any emails or WhatsApp messages.

For the World Summer School, we are coordinating with over one hundred individuals from 29 countries across 11 different time zones. This means our time to respond to inquiries—many of which can be clarified by reading the information provided in this Pocket Guide—is limited.

In short, the 2026 World Summer School brings together 118 participants—including students, researchers, coordinators, speakers, and moderators—representing at least 29 countries across the six inhabited continents. The event fosters an international exchange of research and experiences concerning communication, information integrity, social justice, and democracy.

We are doing our utmost to ensure that everyone participating in the WSS has an excellent experience. We apologize in advance for any potential shortcomings or inconveniences.

Thank you very much for your participation!

Schedule (subject to confirmation or change depending on the guests' schedules)

October 21

From 11:00 to 12:20 UTC

Panel # 1: Communication, Social Justice, Democracy and Information Integrity

Vaia Doudaki, Tania Rosas-Moreno, Kaarle Nordenstreng, and Fernando Oliveira Paulino (Moderator)

Link: <https://youtube.com/live/bSp0i9eOHg0>

October 21

From 12:40 to 14:00 UTC

Panel # 2: Communication, Social Change and Global South

Eloína Castro Lara, Adilson Cabral, Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed, and Luisa Ochoa (Moderator)

Link: <https://youtube.com/live/BkH4D7UB5y0>

From 14:00 to 16:00 UTC

Break time

From 16:00 to 19:00 UTC

Working Groups

October 22

From 11:00 to 12:20 UTC

Panel # 3: Communication, Social Change, Democracy and the Digital

Valentina Baú, Deqiang Ji, Nicholas Thomas, and Tanius Karam (Moderator)

Link: <https://youtube.com/live/4-OLRz7chn4>

October 22

From 12:40 to 14:00 UTC

Panel # 4: Special panel Communication, Arts and Democracy "AGON: Constructions of Democracy", Film screening followed by discussion with:

Nico Carpentier, Liziane Guazina, Laura Martínez, and Daniela Monje (Moderator)

Link: <https://youtube.com/live/yFPhBQy1Dig>

From 14:00 to 16:00 UTC

Break time

From 16:00 to 19:00 UTC

Working Groups

October 23

From 11:00 to 12:20 UTC

Panel # 5: Communication, Democracy and Journalism

Renne Barnes, Nico Drok, Muhammad Yousaf and Danilo Rothberg
(Moderator)

Link: <https://youtube.com/live/li8MhMZtypQ>

October 23

From 12:40 to 14:00 UTC

Panel # 6: Communication, Public Media Service and Community Communication

Ramon Tuazon, Dominik Speck, Andrea Medrado, and Lenin Martell
(Moderator)

Link: <https://youtube.com/live/2DQqGctSzc0>

From 14:00 to 16:00 UTC

Break time

From 16:00 to 19:00 UTC

Working Groups

WG	Link	Day	Coordinator/s of the session	Graduate Full name	Graduate student responsible for providing commentary
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 21	Vaia Doudaki	Özgür Yılmaz	Alex Kelly
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 21	Vaia Doudaki	LORENA PAZ ESPINOZA AREVALO	Özgür Yılmaz
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 21	Vaia Doudaki	Alex Kelly	LORENA PAZ ESPINOZA AREVALO
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 22	Tania Rosas-Moreno, Santiago Gómez Mejía	Samrath Msuya	Yara El Turk
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 22	Tania Rosas-Moreno, Santiago Gómez Mejía	Leida Ruvina	Samrath Msuya
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 22	Tania Rosas-Moreno, Santiago Gómez Mejía	Yara El Turk	Leida Ruvina
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 23	Muhammad Yousaf, and Nicholas Thomas	María Rocío Espínola	Larissa Placca Amurim

1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 23	Muhammad Yousaf, and Nicholas Thomas	Rafael Garcia Peixoto	María Rocío Espínola
1	https://meet.google.com/wuj-ynrs-kuf	October 23	Muhammad Yousaf, and Nicholas Thomas	Larissa Placca Amurim	Rafael Garcia Peixoto
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2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 21	Luisa Ochoa, and Katherine Reilly	Diego Mauricio Loaiza Parra	Laís Emanuelle Borba de Brito
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 21	Luisa Ochoa, and Katherine Reilly	Heitor Claro da Silva	Diego Mauricio Loaiza Parra
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 21	Luisa Ochoa, and Katherine Reilly	Sarah Davison	Heitor Claro da Silva
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 21	Luisa Ochoa, and Katherine Reilly	Laís Emanuelle Borba de Brito	Sarah Davison
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 22	Katherine Reilly, and Juliano Domingues da Silva	Aazadi Fateh Muhammad	AYUK CHIARA OJONG
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 22	Katherine Reilly, and Juliano Domingues da Silva	Estefanía Díaz	Aazadi Fateh Muhammad
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 22	Katherine Reilly, and Juliano Domingues da Silva	AYUK CHIARA OJONG	Estefanía Díaz
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 23	Cristiane Parente, and Liziane Guazina	Gabriela Ramirez Galindo	Lillian Namusoke Magezi
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 23	Cristiane Parente, and Liziane Guazina	Wendy Reyes Chiriboga	Gabriela Ramirez Galindo
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 23	Cristiane Parente, and Liziane Guazina	Nafisa Khan Lodi	Wendy Reyes Chiriboga
2	https://meet.google.com/yzz-ikty-zst	October 23	Cristiane Parente, and Liziane Guazina	Lillian Namusoke Magezi	Nafisa Khan Lodi
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3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 21	Jonas Valente, and Malvina Rodríguez	Hina Habib	Gabrielle Juliatt Barriga
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 21	Jonas Valente, and Malvina Rodríguez	Mihaela Lupu	Hina Habib
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 21	Jonas Valente, and Malvina Rodríguez	Sarra Mallekh	Mihaela Lupu
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 21	Jonas Valente, and Malvina Rodríguez	Gabrielle Juliatt Barriga	Sarra Mallekh
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 22	Janara Nicoletti, and Pablo Escandón	Sanya Jarvis	Raquel Batista
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 22	Janara Nicoletti, and Pablo Escandón	Vamsi Krishna Pothuru	Sanya Jarvis
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 22	Janara Nicoletti, and Pablo Escandón	Raquel Batista	Vamsi Krishna Pothuru
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 23	Jonas Valente	Iván Miguel García López	Melanie Steigleder
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 23	Jonas Valente	Ayse Yavuz	Iván Miguel García López
3	https://meet.google.com/gvq-tc-wp-wdp	October 23	Jonas Valente	Melanie Steigleder	Ayse Yavuz
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4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 21	Madalena Oliveira, Tanius Karam	Aparna Baiju E	Carla Gavilan Carvalho Nantes
4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 21	Madalena Oliveira, Tanius Karam	Nina Weingrill	Aparna Baiju E
4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 21	Madalena Oliveira, Tanius Karam	Carla Gavilan Carvalho Nantes	Nina Weingrill

4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 22	Rodrigo Cetina, and Fernando Gutiérrez Atala	Alan Daniel Mosqueda Cruz	Nure Maliha
4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 22	Rodrigo Cetina, and Fernando Gutiérrez Atala	Renata de Oliveira Miranda Gomes	Alan Daniel Mosqueda Cruz
4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 22	Adilson Cabral	Nure Maliha	Renata de Oliveira Miranda Gomes
4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 23	Vinicius Pedreira, and Gabriel Kaplún	Juan Enrique Ortega Fuentes	Ershad Komal Khan
4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 23	Vinicius Pedreira, and Gabriel Kaplún	Gustavo Almeida Camargo	Juan Enrique Ortega Fuentes
4	https://meet.google.com/njt-crnv-oes	October 23	Vinicius Pedreira	Ershad Komal Khan	Gustavo Almeida Camargo
WG	Link	Day of the presentation	Coordinator/s of the session	Graduate Full name	Graduate student responsible for providing commentary
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 21	Eliseo Colón, and Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed	LHWANZU Kitooke	Kajal Shaw
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 21	Eliseo Colón, and Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed	Oluwasemilore Faith Adeyemi	LHWANZU Kitooke
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 21	Eliseo Colón, and Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed	Kajal Shaw	Oluwasemilore Faith Adeyemi
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 22	Lenin Martell, and Margarita Quintero León	Candelaria Ferrara	Adisa Aminat Omolola
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 22	Lenin Martell, and Margarita Quintero León	Gina Joseph	Candelaria Ferrara
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 22	Lenin Martell, and Margarita Quintero León	Adisa Aminat Omolola	Gina Joseph
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 23	Deqiang Ji, and Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed	Myriam Patricia Jara Peña	Sana Zainab
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 23	Deqiang Ji, and Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed	PHILIP STEPHEN OJONUGWA	Myriam Patricia Jara Peña

5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 23	Deqiang Ji, and Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed	Muskan Raj	PHILIP STEPHEN OJONUGWA
5	https://meet.google.com/ynw-pvsa-bax	October 23	Deqiang Ji, and Fatma Elzahraa Elsayed	Sana Zainab	Muskan Raj
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6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 21	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Janvi Singh	ALINE VIRIDIANA HUERTA HERNÁNDEZ
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 21	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Marco Britto	Janvi Singh
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 21	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Renata Monteiro Soares	Marco Britto
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 21	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	ALINE VIRIDIANA HUERTA HERNÁNDEZ	Renata Monteiro Soares
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 22	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Sabri Derinöz	Pedro Henryque Paes Loureiro de Bragança
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 22	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Gisela de Castro	Sabri Derinöz
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 22	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Pedro Henryque Paes Loureiro de Bragança	Gisela de Castro
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 23	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	David Kyuwook Oh	Ilupeju Oluwafisayo Ayanbimpe
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 23	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Dara Carolina Ferreira Russo	David Kyuwook Oh
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 23	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Kariane Costa silva	Dara Carolina Ferreira Russo
6	https://meet.google.com/ktm-fsay-sei	October 23	Danilo Rothberg, and Nico Drok	Ilupeju Oluwafisayo Ayanbimpe	Kariane Costa silva

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7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 21	Diogo Lopes de Oliveira, and Luis Santos	Alinafe Jonas	Vera Gailis
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 21	Diogo Lopes de Oliveira, and Luis Santos	ROSA MANUELA HERNANDEZ GARCIA	Alinafe Jonas
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 21	Diogo Lopes de Oliveira, and Luis Santos	Thayse Duarte Alcantara	ROSA MANUELA HERNANDEZ GARCIA
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 21	Diogo Lopes de Oliveira, and Luis Santos	Vera Gailis	Thayse Duarte Alcantara
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 22	Diogo Lopes de Oliveira, and Gustavo Ferreira	Prakash Acharya	LOLADE PETER OLADOKUN
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 22	Diogo Lopes de Oliveira, and Gustavo Ferreira	Tuğba Görgülü	Prakash Acharya
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 22	Diogo Lopes de Oliveira, and Gustavo Ferreira	LOLADE PETER OLADOKUN	Tuğba Görgülü
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 23	Helena Martins, and Dominik Speck	Marcelle chagas do monte	Juliana de Amorim Rosas
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 23	Helena Martins, and Dominik Speck	Francis MWIHAVA GOODLUCK	Marcelle chagas do monte
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 23	Helena Martins, and Dominik Speck	Gabriel Filgueira Marinho	Francis MWIHAVA GOODLUCK
7	https://meet.google.com/xse-hp-sd-ngi	October 23	Helena Martins, and Dominik Speck	Juliana de Amorim Rosas	Gabriel Filgueira Marinho