

PANELFIT

PARTICIPATORY APPROACHES TO A NEW ETHICAL AND LEGAL FRAMEWORK FOR ICT

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CONNECTING FOR KNOWLEDGE

One of the values that has come out most strongly in recent times has been the sharing of knowledge. At all levels, we have seen that the best way to contribute has been through generosity, promulgating a basic premise such as the fact of collaborating.

The Sienna Project, fellow to PANELFIT, has come to an end after three and a half years of work, leaving a valuable legacy that serves to build a future in which people remain at the centre of technological development.

In the same spirit, the Mutual Learning Encounters, which start this month, will accentuate the sharing of experiences and wisdom to reap the fruits of mutual learning.

PANELFIT continues its activities as it faces its last stretch, inspired by all those who have been along the way, with an enriched background thanks to those who have been sowing the seed of collective knowledge and the conviction of contributing to a better society.

To keep up to date with all the advances and news of the project, I recommend checking our [website](#) as well as PANELFIT's [social media accounts](#).

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STOA event on Policy options for the ethical governance of disruptive technologies

The online workshop organised by the H2020 projects [SHERPA](#), [SIENNA](#) and [PANELFIT](#) together with **STOA** took place on 23 March, with a panel discussion of experts addressing the issues and challenges related to emerging technologies and their **ethical** aspects.

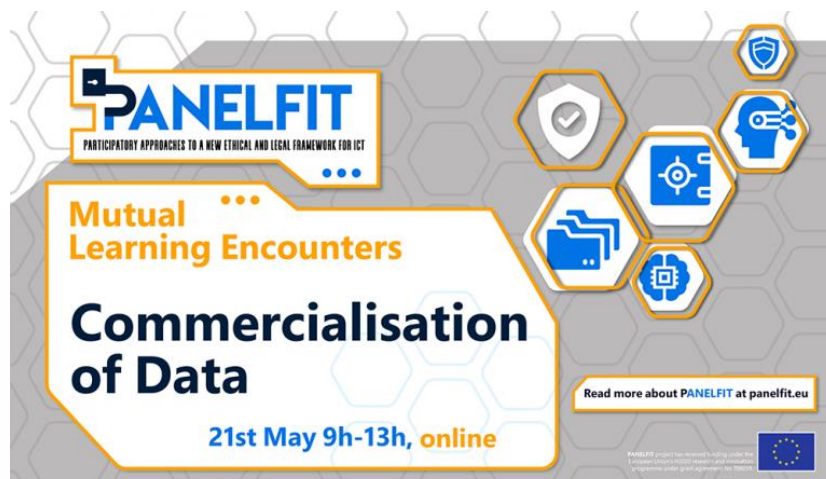
The video of the session [is available here](#):



Starting the Mutual Learning Encounters

PANELFIT will organise 14 Mutual Learning Encounters dedicated to different sections of the Guidelines and other project research outputs, in order to get feedback on both their content and form. The first sessions of Panelfit MLE were focused on [AI](#), and the [Code of Conduct on Data Protection for Responsible Research and Innovation](#).

Participation is now open for a session on the 21st of May, about **Commercialisation of Data**, with the aim of analysing the best training for data users taking into account the GDPR framework. Registration and further information [at the official site of PANELFIT](#).



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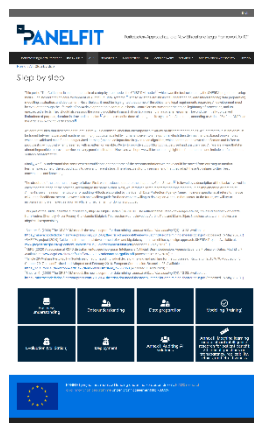
Workshop on Data Users & GDPR

PANELFIT presents the workshop “**Debate on Data Management – Insights from data users**”, which will take place online on 1st of June, in which representatives from industry and public administration, will have the opportunity to exchange first-hand **experiences on GDPR application** and hear how their peers had handled common issues in this field. All the information and the registration to participate will be updated [on this link](#).



PANELFIT Consortium Meeting and General Assembly

On 22 April, the PANELFIT **General Assembly** and **Consortium Meeting** was held in an online format, reporting on the amendment derived for the pandemic, and reviewing the work packages and other project activities. One of the issues discussed was the **online version of the Guidelines**, which will focus on 5 technologies and incorporate at least 30 videos to introduce and develop each of the materials.



PANELFIT MOOC 8th edition

The **Free Online Course** “Ethical and Legal Issues Regarding ICT Data Protection” is open for enrollment until 24th of May 2021. More information and [registration here](#).

Workshop for journalists and the Data Protection's Handbook

On 2 March we held the first of six webinars addressed to journalists on the handling of personal. It was the first occasion in which we presented the working version of the **Practical Handbook for Journalists on Data Protection**, which is now publicly accessible [on this page](#). This tool will be enriched over the coming months with the input and suggestions of journalists themselves. In a spirit of participatory development, the webinar included an open space for questions, from which we will take inspiration to expand the Handbook.

The event was led by **Iñigo De Miguel Beriain**, senior researcher at the University of the Basque Country, and moderated by **Federico Caruso**, a collaborator of OBC Transeuropa.

The recording of the webinar is available on [our YouTube channel](#).

The dates of the upcoming webinars will be announced soon.

PANELFIT Monthly Chats

The 16th episode of our monthly chat took place on 21 April and will soon be available in the [dedicated playlist](#) of our Youtube channel. In the latest episode we hosted **Sophie Kwasny**, Head of the Data Protection Unit of the Council of Europe and responsible for standard-setting (notably the long awaited modernisation exercise of Convention 108) and policy on data protection and privacy.

The next episode will be held on 12 May at 10,30 am CET and will feature another representative from the Council of Europe, **Patrick Penninckx**, who is heading the Information Society Department under the Directorate General Human Rights and the Rule of Law at the Council of Europe. He coordinates standard-setting and cooperation activities in the fields of media, internet governance, data protection and cybercrime.

[Click here to add it to your Google Calendar](#).

SIENNA project ended on 31 March

SIENNA was a fellow project of PANELFIT and came to an end on 31 March 2021. The results of this 3,5-year project were presented at a 3 day conference, and also in reports, policy briefs & publications in scientific journals. Don't miss the [SIENNA Legacy at its website](#).

EVENTS/FURTHER STEPS

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, agenda and next events are pending date and confirmation. We will complete the section with reliable data in future newsletters.

Mutual Learning Encounters:

- 3 May 2021: Governance Report
- 12 May 2021: IoT
- 21 May 2021: Commercialisation of Data

WS Data users & GDPR

1st June 2021

PANELFIT Monthly Chat

12 May 2021

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