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EPIC Announces New Advisory Board Members

Distinguished Experts in Law, Technology, and Public Policy
Join Leading Privacy Organization

WASHINGTON, DC – The Electronic Privacy Information Center (EPIC), a leading privacy organization, announced today the new members of the EPIC Advisory Board.

The incoming members of the EPIC Advisory Board are:

Danielle Citron, Professor, University of Maryland Francis King Carey School of Law

Edward Felten, Robert E. Kahn Professor of Computer Science and Public Affairs, Princeton University; Director, Center For Information Technology Policy

Harry R. Lewis, Gordon McKay Professor of Computer Science; Director, Undergraduate Studies in Computer Science, Harvard University

Anna Lysyanskaya, Professor, Computer Science, Brown University

Alice E. Marwick, Assistant Professor, Department of Communication and Media Studies, Fordham University

Aleecia M. McDonald, Director of Privacy, Stanford Center for Internet & Society

Eben Moglen, Executive Director, Software Freedom Law Center; Professor of Law and Legal History, Columbia University Law School

David Vladeck, Professor, Georgetown University Law Center and Co-director, Institute for Public Representation

The EPIC Advisory Board is a distinguished group of experts that include leading innovators, scholars, and technologists. Among other activities, members of the EPIC Advisory Board often add their insights to "friend of the court" briefs that EPIC prepares for federal and state courts on emerging privacy and civil liberties issues.

EPIC Board Chair Deborah Hurley said, "We are very pleased to welcome our new members to the EPIC Advisory Board. This is an extraordinary group of individuals who will bring much to our work."

Danielle Citron explores the intersection of information privacy and civil rights. Her new book *Hate Crimes in Cyberspace* will be published by Harvard University Press later this year.

Ed Felten was the first Chief Technologist for the Federal Trade Commission. His research interests include computer security and privacy, and public policy issues relating to information technology. Ed often blogs about technology and policy at *Freedom to Tinker.*

Harry Lewis is a leading educator in computer science, who has authored several books on theoretical computer science and on higher education, and is co-author of *Blown to Bits: Your Life, Liberty, and Happiness After the Digital Explosion.*

Anna Lysyanskaya's research interests are in cryptography, theoretical computer science, and computer security. A theme of her research is promoting privacy and accountability, and specifically allowing users to prove that they are authorized even while not revealing any additional information about themselves.

Alice E. Marwick investigates online identity and consumer culture. Her first book *Status Update: Celebrity and Attention in Web 2.0* (Yale University Press 2013) is based on a multi-year ethnography of the San Francisco tech industry.

Aleecia M. McDonald's research focuses on the public policy issues of Internet privacy, and includes user expectations for Do Not Track, behavioral economics and mental models of privacy, and the efficacy of industry self regulation.

Eben Moglen is a computer programmer turned law school professor who has worked to promote free software and defend the freedom to use cryptography.

David Vladeck in a leading expert in Administrative Law and the former director of the Federal Trade Commission's Bureau of Consumer Protection.

EPIC is a public interest research center based in Washington, D.C. EPIC focuses public attention on emerging privacy and civil liberties issues, frequently testifies in Congress, and files amicus briefs in federal and state courts. EPIC also maintains two of the world's most popular sites on privacy – EPIC.ORG and PRIVACY.ORG.

More information about the EPIC Advisory Board, including biographical information, is available at: http://epic.org/epic/advisory_board.html

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