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## **Description**

Samantha Bradshaw is a D.Phil. candidate at the Oxford Internet Institute. She is also a Researcher on the Computational Propaganda Project at Oxford University, and a Senior Fellow at the Canadian International Council. Samantha studies the relationship between social media and democracy. In particular, her work examines government use of social media for coordinated digital disinformation campaigns. Her research has been featured by numerous media outlets, including the Washington Post, CNN, Bloomberg, the Financial Times and Mother Jones. She holds an MA in global governance from the Balsillie School of International Affairs, and a joint honors BA in political science and legal studies from the University of Waterloo.

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## **Industry Expertise**

Media - Online, Education/Learning

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## **Topics**

Politics, Human Rights Online, Computational Propaganda, Social Media and Democracy, Cyber Security, Internet Governance, Government

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## **Affiliations**

The Canadian International Council, Senior Fellow, Computational Propaganda Research Project, University of Oxford

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## **Past Talks**

### **Global Trends in Digital Disinformation**

National Democratic Institute Board Meeting

### **Troops, Trolls and Trouble Makers: A Global Inventory of Social Media Manipulation Paper**

Association of Internet Researchers Conference

### **The DNS Blackbox and Individual Privacy**

Association of Internet Researchers Conference: The Internet Rules, But How?

### **Trust and Internet Governance. Paper**

10th Annual GigaNet Conference

## **Education**

### **University of Oxford**

Ph.D. Information, Communication and Social Sciences

### **University of Waterloo**

M.A. Global Governance, Global Security

### **University of Waterloo**

B.A. Political Science and Legal Studies

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