



## Selected speeches, panels & interviews

June 2024. "Is the metaverse the future of Urbanity?", Urban Future Conference, Ahoy, Rotterdam.

April 2024, "Citizens – To engage or not to engage? 'Why' is the question ...!", Eurocities Digital Forum, Het Bibliotheektheater, Rotterdam.

November 2023, "Beyond immersive tech – Will the metaverse transform urban life", Immersive Tech Week, De Doelen, Rotterdam.

December 2022, "Peril on the road to Utopia? Personal data and the smart city", IEEE Smart City Futures Summit, online.

October 2020, Panel Member, Digital services for Sustainable and Smart cities, 18<sup>th</sup> European week of regions and cities, European Union conference ([link](#))

November 2019, Panel Member, Ruggedised Conference Designing smart, resilient cities for all, Ahoy, Rotterdam

July 2017, "The Blockchain (R)evolution. About trust and uncertainty in interactions among humans and things", RSM MBA lecture (invitation), Rotterdam

November 2016, "The business model of trust. The societal value of personal data and the logic of trust", EuroForum Fintech Conference, Amsterdam

June 2016, "Engaging Citizens in the Smart City, The future energy company as my smart data platform?", PowerGen Europe, Milan

November 2013, "Smarter Lighting for Smarter Cities: How the confluence of ICT and LED creates new services opportunities", FORUM LED Smarter Lighting Conference, Paris

June 2012, Euroforum Smarter Cities Conference, "Let's build a Smarter Planet", Plenary Speaker, Amsterdam

Feb. 2012, Knack Magazine, Interview Smarter Cities, "ICT: minder obesitas, minder CO2", Belgium

May 2010, World Congress on IT, "Smarter Cities: Embracing Change", Amsterdam

2010, BNR Nieuws Radio, Interview on Smarter Cities Survey, The Netherlands

November 2008, Speech to European Broadcast Community on Diversity, Hilversum  
<https://www.scribd.com/document/14822663/SPEECH-6-Nov-2008-Diversity-NPS>

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