



The project *TALOS-Artificial Intelligence for Humanities and Social Sciences* (TALOS-AI4SSH) was recently funded by the European Commission (HORIZON-WIDERA-2022-ERA TALENTS-01). Its aim is to establish a Center of Excellence in Digital Humanities at the Faculty of Philosophy of the University of Crete. The activities of the new Center will be directed by Christophe Roche, Professor of Artificial Intelligence at the University of Savoie Mont-Blanc and ERA Chair Professor at the University of Crete (Department of Philology).

For more information, please visit the site <http://talos-ai4ssh.eu>

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## Launch event of the project

**TALOS-Artificial Intelligence for Humanities and Social Sciences**

**March 14, 2023**

# INVITATION

We are delighted to invite you to the launch event of the project

## TALOS-Artificial Intelligence for Humanities and Social Sciences,

which will take place on **Tuesday, March 14, 2023, at 19.30 (Greek time)**,  
at the "Pantelis Prevelakis" Hall (Odeion), in Rethymno.

Your presence will be a great honor for us.

On behalf of the research team

**Melina Tamiolaki,**

Co-ordinator

(University of Crete, Department of Philology and UCRC)

&

**Christophe Roche**

ERA Chair Professor

(University of Savoie Mont-Blanc and University of Crete, Department of Philology)

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The event will be livestreamed:

<https://video.ict.uoc.gr/live/show/449>

# PROGRAMME

19.30-20.00 **Greetings**

- Professor **Georgios Kontakis**, Rector of the University of Crete
- Emeritus Professor **Odysseas-Ioannis Zoras**, General Secretary of the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs
- Professor **Athanasios Kyriazis**, General Secretary, General Secretariat for Research and Innovation
- Professor **Michael Pavlides**, Vice-Rector of Research and Development of the University of Crete
- Professor **Georgios Kossioris**, Vice-Rector for Academic Affairs, Lifelong Learning, International Relations and Outlook, University of Crete
- Professor **Stavroula Tsinorema**, Dean of the Faculty of Philosophy, University of Crete
- Professor **Stylianos Panayotakis**, Head of the Department of Philology, University of Crete

20.00-20.10 **Presentation of the TALOS-AI4SSH Project and of the ERA Chair,**  
**Professor Christophe Roche**  
Associate Professor **Melina Tamiolaki**  
(Co-ordinator, Department of Philology & Deputy Director, UCRC)

20.10-20.30 **"Artificial Intelligence for Humanities and Social Sciences"**  
Professor **Christophe Roche**  
(ERA Chair, University of Savoie & University of Crete)

20.30-20.50 **Students Ask, Researchers Answer: Questions and Answers on AI**

Participants:

Students of the Experimental Lyceum of Rethymno:

**Marilena Kissandraki, Anastasia Kourti, Konstantinos Kostoulas, Giannis Bikakis, Kleanthi Bonataki, Vicky Sifakaki**

(Instructor: **Kassandra Beikaki**, Experimental Lyceum of Rethymno)

Researchers of the TALOS team:

**Artemis Karnava, Eleni Katsarou, Anastasia Natsina, Maria Papadopoulou, Stergios Hadjikyriakidis**

20.50-21.00 **"Addressing Ethical Challenges in the Field of AI Research:  
The Role of the European Commission"**  
**Mihalis Kritikos**  
(Policy Analyst on AI and Digital Ethics, Research Ethics and Integrity Sector,  
DG Research and Innovation, European Commission)