

Eon Institute presents its

2024 IMPACT REPORT

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A MESSAGE FROM OUR DIRECTOR

Dear Reader,

This year has been transformative. As AI continues to redefine societies, we remain focused on addressing its most pressing challenges with a social impact lens. This first annual report marks 1.5 years of our journey as an independent think tank, where we've worked tirelessly on issues that matter most at the intersection of technology, governance, and human rights.

This report is organized around our three core missions:

- Amplifying Latin America's voice in international Al processes.
- Advancing responsible tech development and adoption.
- Boosting awareness of new tech's challenges and risks.

In 2024, we explored one of the year's most urgent global themes: Al's role in democracy, with over 70 countries holding elections. We explored how Generative Al influenced Mexico's 2024 elections—insights from a global program that will be published next year, advancing critical conversations both nationally and beyond.

We've been privileged to work with globally recognized institutions and tech companies, and being part of international AI governance and safety processes. Some of the resulting reports will be presented at the Paris 2025 AI Action Summit.

As Mexico enters a new phase under its new government, Eon Institute remains a trusted, neutral convener. By uniting cross-sector perspectives, we shape forward-thinking solutions that place human rights and societal well-being at the center of technological progress.

Thank you for believing in our mission to future-proof society. We look forward to building the next chapter with you.

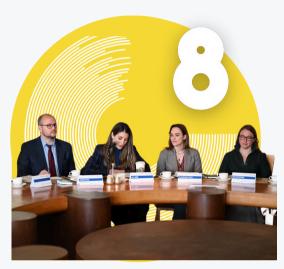
Claudia Del Pozo



KEY IMPACT FIGURES



participations in the definition of key international AI governance processes



new and ongoing responsible AI projects across the Americas



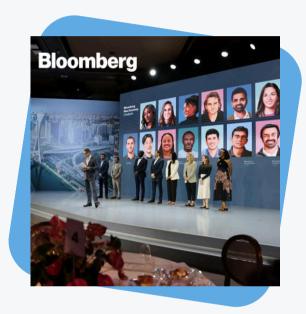
entrepreneurs and SME leaders trained on responsible AI



educational talks, workshops, podcasts, and TV appearances to educate on responsible tech



PRIZES AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS



New Economy Catalyst Prize by Bloomberg

Given Eon Institute's considerable impact on the creation of a fairer future economy, our Director Claudia Del Pozo was awarded the New Economy Catalyst award by Bloomberg and had the opportunity to present the think-tank at the B20 in Brazil.





Acknowledgement as Key Women in Al in Latin America by WIRED

Claudia and Daniela Rojas, our Senior Program Officer, were identified by WIRED magazine as part of the women who are protecting Latin America from Al risks, in recognition of their drive for the responsible development and adoption of new technologies.





INTERNATIONAL PROCESSES



Both of the following international processes that Eon Institute took part in designing aim to inform the indicated stakeholders as well as the 2025 Paris AI Action Summit.



International Al Safety Report

BY THE AI SAFETY INSTITUTE OF THE UK GOVERNMENT

Participation in the creation of the UK Government's International AI Safety Report, led by Dr. Yoshua Bengio, ensuring the perspectives and priorities of Latin America are meaningfully represented in the global discourse on responsible AI development and governance



PECC Agenda for the Adoption of General-Purpose Al

BY THE PACIFIC ECONOMIC COOPERATION COUNCIL

Participation in the drafting of suggested Al policy and regulation priorities for APEC officials, the US and French PECC committees. The gathering united Al experts, scholars, industry adopters, and policymakers to assess Al's current state and dynamics, impact, and potential future development.





Al and Digitalization Blueprint for the Mexican Government

BRITISH EMBASSY, PIT POLICY LAB, SUPPORT OF C MINDS

MEXICO

Organization of 60+ experts to create recommendations on 1) Regulation, governance, and ethics, 2) Cybersecurity and privacy, 3) Infrastructure and data-driven economy, 4) R&D, 5) Skills and education with input from local municipalities.

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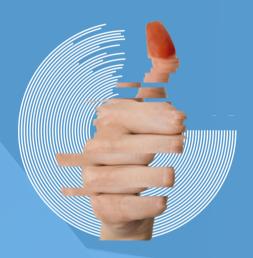
Generative AI and its Influence on Mexico's 2024 Elections

FRIEDRICH NAUMANN FOUNDATION • MEXICO



Together with thematic experts, analysis of the impact of Al on the past Mexican elections, offering recommendations to protect our democracy, as part of a global program.

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COMPLETED PROJECTS



Data Governance and PETs: Global Overview and Challenges for LAC



Research on the state of data governance and Américan region, as well as global best practices, and creation of recommendations for policymakers in the region, in consultancy for C Minds.

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Al Governance in Key **Economic Sectors of Mexico**

WILSON CENTER • MEXICO

Deepening of our exploration of Al governance in Mexico, part of a regional program including different countries, focusing on key sectors of the Mexican economy (agriculture, health, and

Analysis of the Inclusion of AI in the USMCA



BROOKINGS • MEXICO

Preparation of an analysis on AI and technology policy for innovation and competition in North America in order to include AI collaboration in the 2026 revision of the USMCA.



ONGOING PROJECTS



Al Governance and Use Cases

MICROSOFT • MEXICO

Exploration of the current state and governance of Al in Mexico as well as use cases from the country, region, and world.





Design and Coordination of AI Specialization for **SMEs**

ISDI • MEXICO

Design and coordination of five editions of an 80-hour AI strategy specialization program as part of ISDI's Master in Digital Business, taught by 50% women.

Talks, panels, and workshops

VARIOUS • THE AMERICAS

Over the year we've given over 80 talks in Mexico, the United States, Canada, Colombia, and Brazil, sharing the importance of a responsible approach to new technologies.



ONGOING ACTIVITIES



Articles in WIRED

WIRED PHISPANIC WORLD

Over the years we've been working with WIRED to publish forwardthinking articles exploring the intersection of tech and social impact with a focus on Latin America.



MEDIA COVERAGE OUR TOP FIVE

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Bloomberg Newsweek Live Interview

As part of her nomination as 2024 Bloomberg New Economy Catalyst, Claudia was featured live on Bloomberg Newsweek to speak about Eon Institute.



Nomination as key Al Leader in Latam

>> WIRED A-PRINT **IIII** JUN 23

Claudia and Daniela were also nominated by WIRED as two of the top women protecting Latin America from Al's risks.

LATIN AMERICA ADVISOR What Is the Future of Mexico's Tech Investments?

Interview on Tech Investments

>> LATIN AMERICA ADVISOR AF PRINT OCT 24

Eon Institute was interviewed to understand the political and policy contexts, its potential development, and how it might affect Mexico's tech investments.



Raising Awareness Among Future Diplomats

>> INSTITUTO MATÍAS ROMERO A PODCAST

Daniela was interviewed on Al and bias by Mexico's Diplomatic Academy, interested in strengthening the Al knowledge of present and future diplomats.

Al and Elections

>> EL FINANCIERO ARTICLE MAR 24

The potential impact of AI in Mexico's elections was a topic broadly covered in media, where Eon Institute shared its perspective based on the local context.



EVENTS OUR TOP FIVE

Bloomberg Catalysts at B20

>>> B20 PRIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL

☐☐OCT 24



Our Founder was selected as one of the 16 Global Economy Catalysts by Bloomberg, an opportunity which flew her to the B20 to present Eon Institute in front of global business leaders.

What is digital is real: deepfakes and gender-based violence



Invited by Senator Ruth López Hernández to share perspective and work on how AI amplifies digital violence towards women, offering public policy recommendations around deepfakes.

Leaders Connect: Al in Mexico

>> GOOGLE CLOUD SUMMIT ♀CDMX 🛗 SEP 24





Participated in Google Cloud's Annual Summit to speak about Al in Mexico, from a governance to leadership and competitive perspective, as well as opportunities and challenges ahead.

10th Annual Conference to Build a Competitive US-Mx Border



Invited to speak about Al-related opportunities and challenges between the US and Mexico border, focusing on unethical Al use concerns in migration.

Al to strengthen equity and inclusion

>> TIKSO 2024 MEDELLÍN, COLOMBIA SEP 24



Joined this yearly event that focuses on social impact in order to raise awareness about the potential risks of Al-for-good applications.













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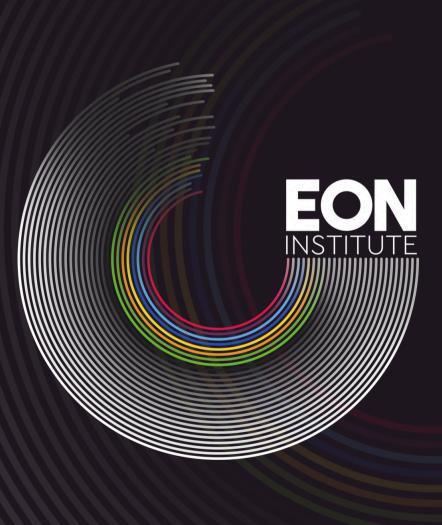












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