

The image features a highly decorative Art Nouveau border in shades of blue and gold. At the top left is a profile of Athena wearing a helmet. At the top center is a classical column. At the top right is an olive tree. The bottom left contains a Wi-Fi symbol, the bottom center a network diagram, and the bottom right a stylized brain. The background is a mosaic of the Parthenon on the Acropolis, with a cityscape below and a digital grid overlay.

WIP AI Athens

Annual Meeting of the World Internet Project - Athens June 2026



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**Opening Event of the Annual Meeting of the World Internet Project
(WIP)**

The Future Was Here: The Disruptions of Artificial Intelligence

Argyriadis Amphitheatre, NKUA Central Building

DATE	TIME	ARRIVAL
Friday, 12 June 2026	18:00-21:00	17:30

Programme

17:30

Arrival

18:00-18:15

Opening Address

Professor Nicolas Demertzis (WIP Representative in Greece & Cyprus)

18:15-18:30

Welcome Remarks

Dimitrios Terzis (Secretary General for Research and Innovation)

Yannis Mastrogeorgiou (Special Secretary for Strategic Foresight)

Dimitrios Kirmikiroglou (Secretary General of Communication and Media)

Vassiliki Georgiadou (President EKKE)

Efstathios Efstathopoulos (Vice-Rector NKUA)

Costas Mourlas (Deputy Chair, Dept. of Communication & Media Studies, NKUA)

18:30-19:00

WIP International Report on AI

Professor Jeff Cole (WIP Director)

19:00-19:15

Discussion

19:15-19:30

Break

19:30-21:00

Round Table: Discussing AI Futures

Moderator: Marina Rigou (University of Athens)

Participants:

- **Konstantinos Komaitis** (Atlantic Council)
- **Fereniki Panagopoulou** (Panteion University)
- **Stylios Papathanassopoulos** (University of Athens)
- **Tilemachos Moraitis** (Microsoft Greece)
- **Kostas Mourlas** (University of Athens)

Discussants:

- **Charalambos Tsekeris** (Greek National Commission for Bioethics & Technoethics)
- **Kyriacos Sabatakakis** (Country Managing Director, Accenture)

Simultaneous English–Greek/Greek-English interpretation will be provided for the event

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