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## Abstract

In this paper, we analyze some controversial aspects of blogging from the perspective of privacy. In particular, we focus on He of privacy as “contextual integrity” and apply it to personal blogs. The case of the “Washingtonienne” blogger, in particular. We examine whether personal blogs that are not password protected can be considered “private contexts” according to Nissenbaum’s principles of privacy. We conclude that they cannot. Using Nissenbaum’s original model, we conclude that those who disclose personal information in such blogs are unacceptably violating privacy. We then apply Nissenbaum’s expanded theory (see Nissenbaum, 2010) to the contemporary debate about privacy and blogging in a wide variety of technological contexts, in addition to personal blogs, and we conclude that the expanded theory is more applicable to these contexts.



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