



# Simuvaction on AI<sup>©</sup> 2025

**April 6 to 10**

Université Laval, Québec, Canada



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## About

Simuvaction on AI is an intensive academic program bringing together university students from various fields, universities, backgrounds, and countries.

This serious game simulates a meeting of the Global Partnership on AI (GPAI), allowing participants to experience international negotiations on the ethical development of AI on a global scale.

Over eight weeks, they will take on roles as government leaders, lobbyists, and journalists through a series of conferences, training sessions, and preparatory exercises, culminating in the pivotal “D-Day”.

## Their mission

To defend the position of the represented organization and adopt concrete recommendations that reflect the interests of all parties involved.

## Program Timeline:

### Step 1: Conferences

January 20 to March 3:

- Preparatory Conferences (online)

### Step 2: Role Assignments

March 3 to April 5:

- Creation of a team identity (name, banner, logo, etc.)
- Training and preparatory research for the simulation
- Meetings with a professional in the field
- Drafting a position paper

### D-Day and in-person session at Quebec City, Canada

April 6: Arrival of international students

April 7-8: Negotiation exercises

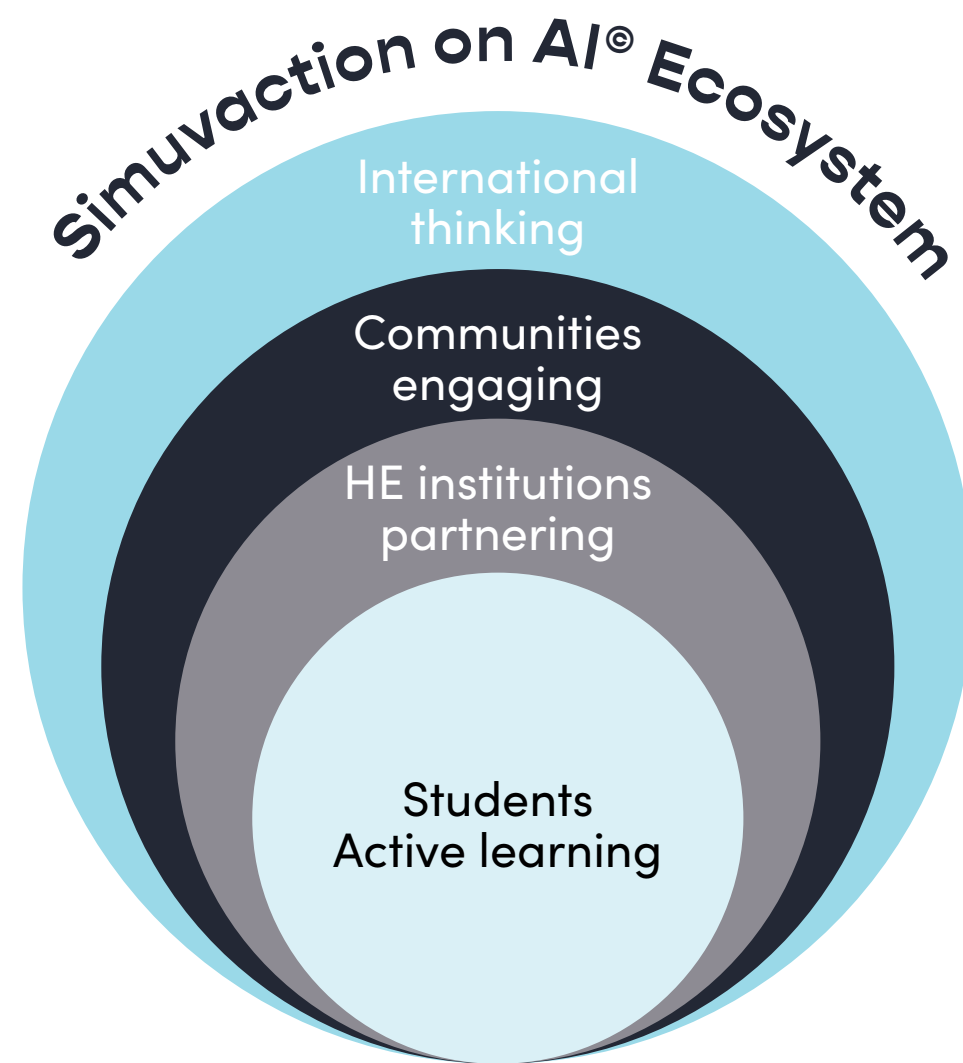
April 9: Simulation and active defense of the represented entities' positions

April 10: Symposium and networking

April 11: Departure



# Students



## A unique learning experience at the intersection of AI, Ethics, and international affairs.

Participating in Simuvaction on AI means engaging in a high-level international negotiation exercise. To join the program, it is mandatory to be selected and mentored by a faculty member affiliated with one of the following universities:

- Emory University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Université de Montréal
- University of Florence
- Leiden University
- Nantes Université
- University of Florida
- Federal University of Santa Catarina, Brazil

Your involvement in the Simuvaction on AI program will offer you numerous opportunities, including:

- An immersive professional experience in the field of AI governance and international negotiations.
- The chance to develop your skills beyond your comfort zone.
- Networking with peers and the international academic community.
- Personalized coaching from professionals and experts.
- The opportunity to win a one-month internship with a partner organization of the program, among other prizes.
- A certificate of compliance with program requirements.

To register or get more information:  
[simuvaction.com](https://simuvaction.com) or contact Dr. Anne-Elisabeth Courrier  
at [acourri@emory.edu](mailto:acourri@emory.edu)



*“Simuvaction on AI was truly a life-changing opportunity for me. It allowed me to develop invaluable interpersonal skills and leadership, meet some new friends from around the world, get some hands-on experience in international policymaking and develop my expertise on the ethical dilemmas surrounding the use of AI to address health inequities.”*

**Clara Tardif**  
Former Participant 2023-2024  
Université de Montréal

# Professors

Be the starting point of a unique and formative experience.

In collaboration with partner universities, professors play a crucial role in recruiting students and supporting them in this training exercise at the crossroads of knowledge mobilization and professional experience.

**Your involvement as a professor in the Simuvaction on AI program offers several benefits:**

- Contribute to the development of an innovative program that enhances interdisciplinary teaching and the practical application of knowledge.
- Provide students with a rewarding experience through concrete and challenging projects in AI governance and international negotiations.

- Participate in the colloquium following the simulation for in-depth discussions on the issues addressed.
- Expand your national and international network by meeting other professionals and experts in AI.

To get more information about the program for your students, contact: Dr. Anne-Elisabeth Courrier at [acourri@emory.edu](mailto:acourri@emory.edu)



*"Simuvaction is an unforgettable experience! Along with the numerous befriended connections, the challenge of innovation and empathy merged with the skills of interpersonal communication and negotiation has contributed to my professional and personal growth!"*

**Michael Curtis Jr.**  
Former Participant 2023-2024  
Emory University

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