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Isabel Hou

- Secretary-General,
Taiwan Artificial Intelligence
Academy Foundation
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EDUCATION

LL.B., National Taiwan University

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2023 - present Member of the Research and Development Results Management Committee, Academia Sinica
- 2023 - present Decision-making committee member of the Google Taiwan New Digital Co-Prosperity Fund
- 2019 - 2022 External member of the Open Parliament Committee, Legislative Yuan
- 2017 - 2020 Supervisor, Taiwan Artificial Intelligence Academy Foundation
- 2015 - present Legal advisor, Open Culture Foundation
- 2015 - present Legal advisor, The Reporter Cultural Foundation
- 2012 - present Participant of g0v.tw

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Laws of cyberspace, Open Source mechanism and authorization, impact of Artificial Intelligence Laws, open data governance.

BIOGRAPHY

Isabel Hou is a lawyer devoted to digital governance issues and laws including innovative technology, open data, and open government. Since her participation in the civil technology community g0v.tw in 2012, she has learned to work with others to overcome challenges together, and that is, to drive social innovation through multilateral collaboration.

In 2017, Hou helped to establish Taiwan Artificial Intelligence Academy Foundation, and became the Secretary-General in 2021 to facilitate course transformation and the Hot Wheel Project of the Foundation's Open AI platform.

From 2020 to 2022, Hou was the external member of the Legislative Yuan's Open Parliament Committee, during which she pushed for the completion of the first Open Parliament Action Plan in Taiwan's Legislative Yuan. Currently she works with partners from a civil community to implement the Digital Civil Literacy Action Plan. The action plan serves as a new generation of Taiwan's social infrastructure.