Contents

	Preface Acknowledgements	page vii x
1	The Internet, Warts and All 1.1 Warts and All 1.2 Perspectives on the Internet 1.3 The Internet and Law 1.4 An Unruly Internet	1 5 20 24
2	Illusions of Permanence 2.1 Permanence 2.2 Conservative Party Speeches 2.3 Why Does the Right to Be Forgotten Matter? 2.4 Pragmatic Warts-and-All Solutions	28 28 31 44 48
3	Confusion over Perfection 3.1 An Imperfect Archive 3.2 An Unreliable Archive? 3.3 Wikipedia as a Model? 3.4 Embracing Imperfection	51 51 54 57 67
4	The Neutrality Myth 4.1 Neutrality 4.2 Wikipedia and Human 'Neutrality' 4.3 Google and Algorithmic Neutrality? 4.4 Facebook: The Worst of Both Worlds? 4.5 Corporate Neutrality?	71 71 73 81 87 95
5	Free Speech Fantasies 5.1 Free Speech and the Internet 5.2 Copyright and Freedom of Speech 5.3 Search Engines: Champions of Free Speech? 5.4 Social Media Platforms: Champions of Free Speech? 5.5 From Pornography to Extremism	102 102 112 119 124 128
	5.6 Critical Chills 5.7 Restricting Free Speech to Support Freedom of Speech 5.8 Free Speech and Power	133 136 139

	^
V1	Contents

6	Misunderstanding Privacy	142
	6.1 Privacy on the Internet	142
	6.2 Samaritans Radar	145
	6.3 Not the Exception	161
	6.4 The Broader Lessons	163
7	Seven Myths of Surveillance	168
	7.1 Privacy and Surveillance	168
	7.2 Seven Myths	169
	7.3 Underlying Issues	185
	7.4 Rethinking Surveillance	190
8	Troubles with Trolls	196
	8.1 What Is a Troll?	196
	8.2 Trolling in Practice	199
	8.3 Solutions through Law?	213
	8.4 Blame the Social Media Platforms	217
	8.5 The Inevitability of Trolling	225
9	Fighting Fakery	228
	9.1 Fighting Fakery	228
	9.2 Fake News and Fake Narratives	234
	9.3 Fake News Works	239
	9.4 Conclusions and Solutions?	248
10	Warts and All	251
	10.1 It's Always Been the End of the Internet	251
	10.2 Ten Rules of Thumb	255
	10.3 Finding Solutions	264
	10.4 The Internet, Warts and All	273
	Dibliography	276
	Bibliography	285
	Index	280