CODING KIDS: BIG TECH'S BATTLE TO REMAKE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

FEATURING NY TIMES REPORTER NATASHA SINGER



Do not miss this opportunity to hear NY Times reporter Natasha Singer discuss her powerful new book, *Coding Kids: Big Tech's Battle to Remake Public Schools*. Taking us behind-the-scenes on how companies like Google and Microsoft market and embed their products throughout every aspect of schooling, *Coding Kids* shines a bright light on those who aren't buying the rosy story of "it's all for the kids."

How can we prepare young people to understand and think critically about tech, AI, and civics? What should we make of the wild swings between championing and banning AI in the classroom, and of the nationwide movements challenging the status quo? What kind of future is Big Tech creating, and what kind of future do we want?

Joining Natasha Singer in conversation for this special event are leaders in tech and education, UCLA faculty members **Jane Margolis, Safiya U. Noble, Fanna Gamal,** and **Julia Powles.**

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5:00–5:30PM Registration
5:30–7:00PM Main event

UCLA School of Law,
Room 1347

For more information and to RSVP:

This event is co-supported by **UCLA School of Education & Information Studies, Institute for Technology, Law & Policy, Department of Public Policy, Livescu Initiative on Neuro, Narrative & AI**, and the **UCLA Computer Science Equity Project** and is led by Julia Powles, Ozan Jaquette, and Jane Margolis.