

“AI SUN YANZI” DOING COVERS: COPYRIGHT INFRINGEMENT OR DATA LAW VIOLATION IN CHINA?

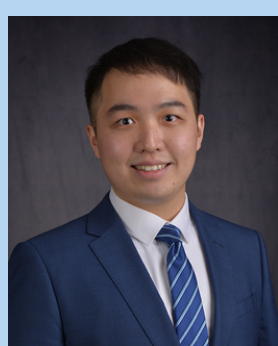


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Kui Cai is an assistant professor of law at Shanghai University School of Law and School of Intellectual Property. Kui earned her J.S.D. doctoral degree at Washington University in St. Louis. Kui's academic interests include intellectual property law, data protection and privacy. Her publications appeared in *Computer Law & Security Review* (SSCI, Q1, 2021 IF2.98) and other high-level journals. She served as a teaching assistant to Professor Kevin E. Collins for international students in WashU and taught two courses in English, Copyright Law and Trademark and Unfair Competition Law, which were well-received among JD and LLM students. She has been awarded distinguished honors and fellowships such as “Dean's Leadership Award” as the only Chinese, “2021 Chinese Government Award for Outstanding Self-finance students Abroad”, “CALI Excellence Award for highest grade in Patent Research & Strategy” for her scholarship as well as for her contribution to the community.

“AI Sun Yanzi” has become the new top in China's music scene. “AI Sun Yanzi” uses the voice of Sun Yanzi, a famous Singaporean singer, to train a generative AI model so that anyone can use Sun Yanzi's voice to cover the songs they want to hear. Although Sun Yanzi accepted the recent explosion of popularity of an AI version of herself and decided not to sue, discussion kicked in over copyright infringement and training data violation issues. The seminar will talk about the likelihood of copyright infringement and data law violation in China by examining and comparing current legislation and cases in different countries.



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Time: 16:00 - 17:00

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