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An End to Gerrymandering: A Methodology for Neutral Redistricting

Time: 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Location: S240A

In 2017 and 2018 a group of lawyers, engineers, and mathematicians developed a method of neutral redistricting which influenced the PA Congressional map adopted by the PA Supreme Court. This methodology could end gerrymandering as we know it. Come hear from one of the litigators and a computational scientist about how gerrymandering works and how to end its use with rules to ensure fairness in redistricting, a neutral process, open data, and forbidding the use of partisan data. The team will also comment on the general election in November and how the new Congressional map affected the partisan makeup, democracy, and access to elected officials.

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