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5. Meeting with Palantir (CEO Dr Alex Karp and Privacy team)

Palantir provides data analysis services for government security agencies and private companies (e.g. fraud detection in banks). Palantir expressed support for the GDPR which is an opportunity for its customers to "put their house in order" in terms of locating and managing the personal data they hold. Palantir argues that security and data privacy go hand in hand. For instance, data sharing between law enforcement authorities should be improved while ensuring access controls and logging to avoid misuse of data. Dr Karp also gave his broader political views about the threat of populism, which needs to be fought by reducing risks of job losses and terrorism, including through better data analytics.