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jtkoch@pbs.org pbsinternational.org In this 5-part series, Harvard Professor Michael Sandel challenges participants with difficult moral dilemmas, asking: What's the right thing to do? Participants are made to think about subjects including immigration, robotization, discrimination, income inequality and privacy. Will they stick to their convictions or do they possess the capability to reconsider them?

Episode 1: Immigration

Immigration is a problematic topic on a global scale. Are wealthy countries morally bound to welcome refugees with open arms? To what extent does the place you were born determine your identity and your rights? Professor Sandel goes in search of answers along with Carolien Borgers, Philip Huff and Hajar Alariachi.

Episode 2: Robotization

Can machines and robots take over the work of humans? And how can you program a self-driving car to react when dealing with traffic situations in which victims are inevitable? The participants, including Philip Huff and Carolien Borgers, discuss the moral boundaries of robotization and artificial intelligence.

Episode 3: Discrimination

Is discrimination always unjustified? Danny Ghosen, Hajar Alariachi and others go in search of an answer to the question: To what extent can and must you treat people equally?

Episode 4: Inequality

Is it justified that professional athletes earn exponentially more than elementary school teachers? Professor Sandel conducts a discussion with the participants, including Jeroen Woe and Philip Huff, about the ever-increasing gap between the poor and rich.

Episode 5: Privacy

Virtually no other subject has gained more attention in recent years than privacy. What constitutes a violation of privacy? And what does privacy really mean?

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