



Al: Powering Change in Our Time

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Al Ethics

A path towards trustworthy Al

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The 4th Industrial Revolution

Physical

Autonomous vehicles, robotics, 3D printing, new materials



Biological

Genomic diagnostics, treatment, engineering



Digital

IoT, Blockchain,
Artificial Intelligence (Al)



"Artificial Intelligence heralds dramatic potential for growth for both the economy and for humans." - Mark Purdy, Accenture

"Huge value is going to come from the **new goods**, **services and innovations** Al will enable." - *David Autor*, *Professor of Economics*, *MIT*

"By 2020, Artificial Intelligence Will Create More Jobs Than It Eliminates; AI Will Create 2.3 Million Jobs in 2020, While Eliminating 1.8 Million" - Gartner

Al Driving Economic Growth

- Al will potentially add \$13 tr (16%) to current global economic output by 2030.
- 2 | Spend estimated to grow to \$77.6 bn by 2022 (\$24 bn for 2018).
- By 2021, 75% enterprise applications will use Al.

US leads, (60% of spend) followed by Europe (retail/banking) and China (industry/gov).

What's Changing?



Automation (Increased Efficiency)



Augmenting Capabilities (Increased Productivity)



New Capabilities
(Disruptive Innovation)



New Industries
(Radical Innovation)



Automation (Increased Efficiency)

What's Changing?

Examples

Automation:

- Supply Chain Automation: Ocaco
- Robot Dispensing Drugs from CarePlus Pharmacies
- Robotic Process Automation: Blue Prism & NHS Case Study

Augmented Capabilities:

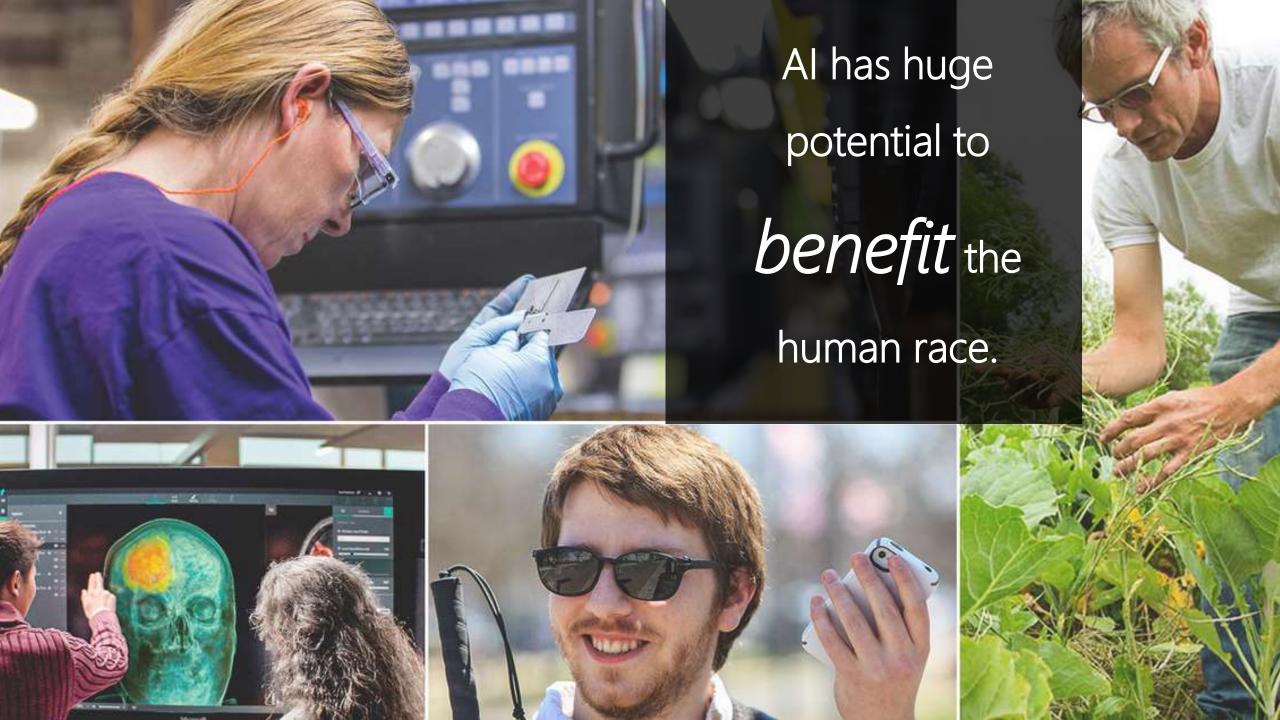
- Customer Service Chatbots: Julie, the Amtrak Chatbot
- Ellie: the AI Therapist "doing a better job than humans"
- Textio: Al improving inclusivity

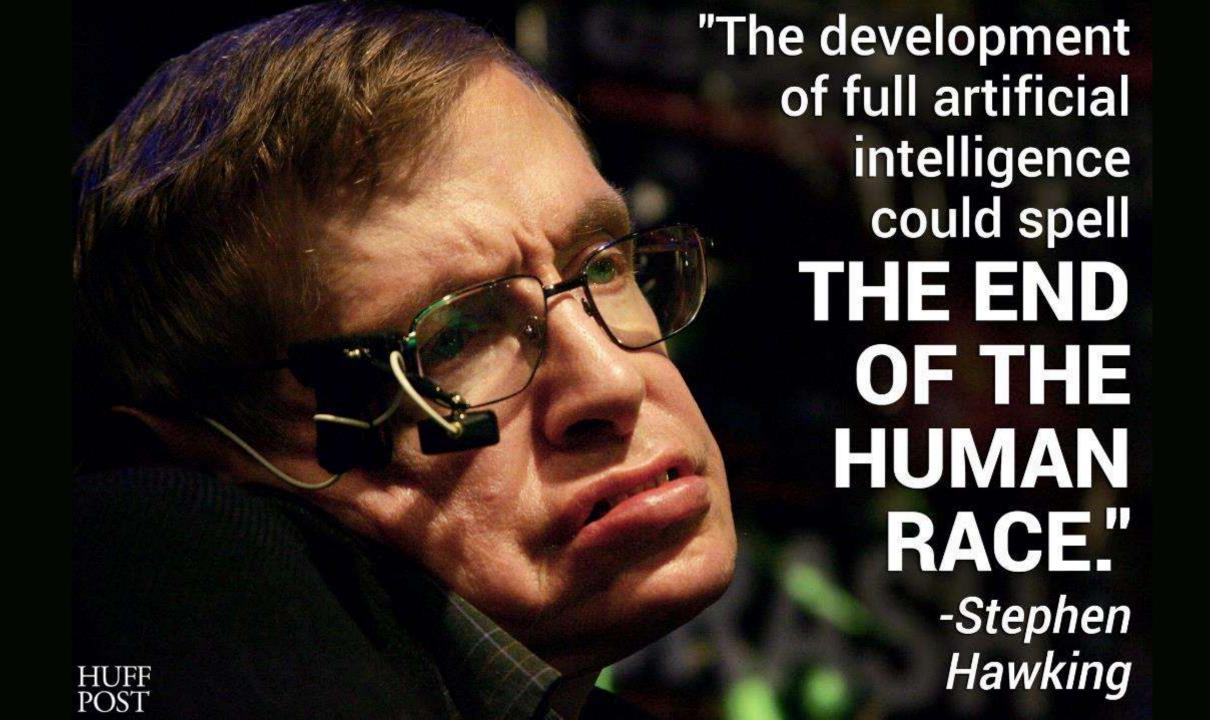
New Capabilities:

IDX-DR: FDA Approved Diagnostic Tool

New Industries:

- Autonomous Vehicles
- Jewelry by Eva Nowak: shield against facial recognition



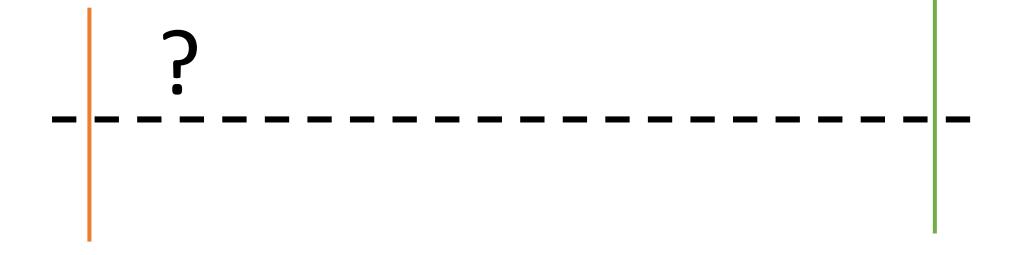


Building AI ART

Accountability Responsibility Transparency

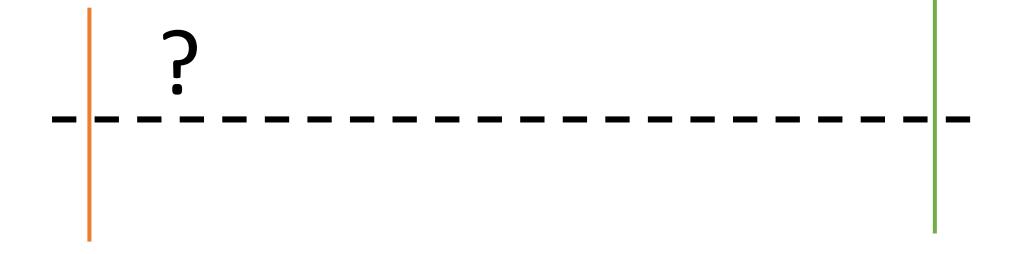


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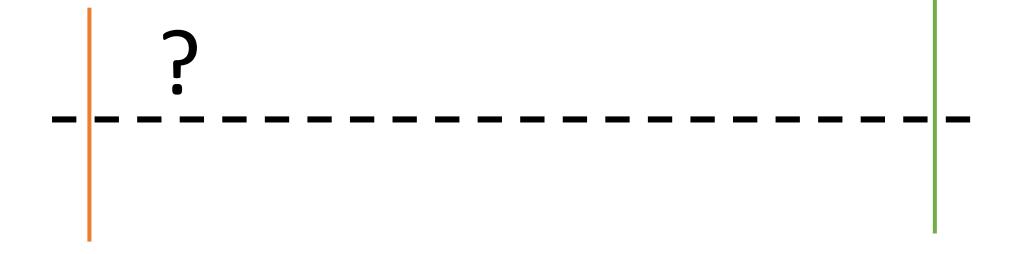
AI & GDPR

Individuals "shall have the right not to be subject to a decision based solely on automated processing, including profiling, which produces legal effects concerning him or her or similarly significantly affects him or her".

Data controllers must notify consumers how their data will be used, including "the existence of automated decision-making,"

and, at least in those cases, meaningful information about the logic involved, as well as the significance and the envisaged consequences of such processing for the data subject."

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Trustworthy Al Requirements



Source: European Commission Ethics Guidelines for Trustworthy Al

When Al Goes Bad...









Al is not right for every scenario!



Unintended uses of Al!



Historical Datasets can be biased!



Training datasets may be incomplete!



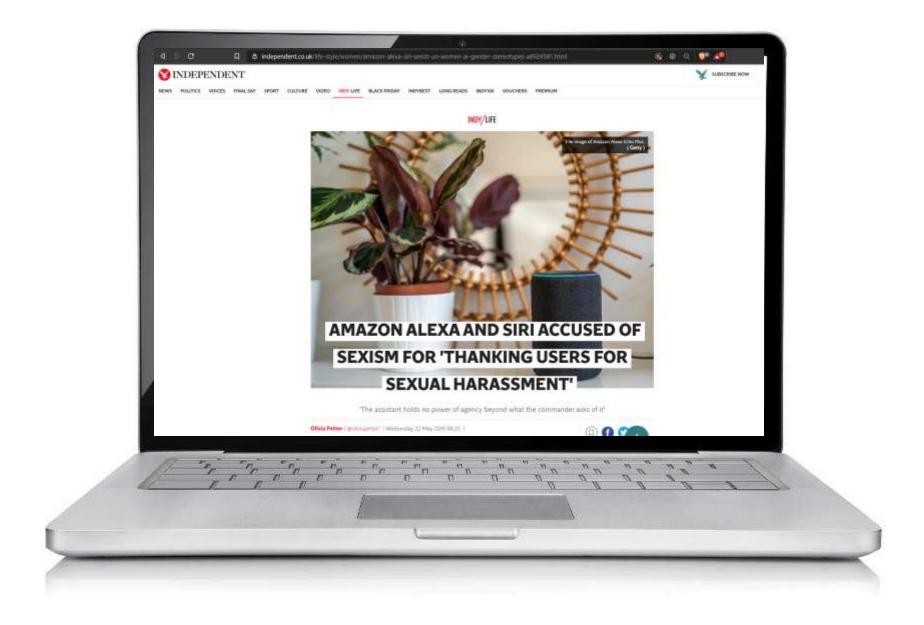
Harmful even when it works!



Failing to prevent malicious use!



Encouraging Offensive Behaviours!



Al deception!



Impact on Environment!



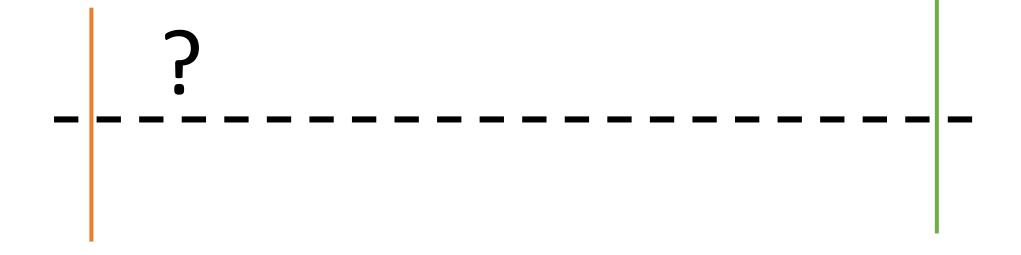
Tips for Ethical Al...



Decide where you are on the Ethical Continuum.

Tips for Planning!

The Ethical Continuum



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2 Connect Al implementation to valid business case.

Ethics Canvas

www.ethicscanvas.org

Ethics Canvas v1.8 - ethicscanvas.org @ ADAPT Centre & Trinity College Dublin & Dublin City University, 2017

Individuals affected

Identify the types or categories of Individuals affected by the product. or service, such as men/women, user/non- user, age-category, etc.

Behaviour

Discuss problematic changes to individual behaviour that may be prompted by the application e.g. differences in habits, time-schedules, choice of activities, people behaving more individualistic or collectivist, people behaving more or less materialistic.

What can we do?

Select the four most important Ethical impacts you discussed. Identify ways of solving these Impacts by changing your project's product/service design, organisation.Or by providing recommendations for its use or spelling out more clearly to users the values driving the design

Worldviews

Discuss how the general perception of somebody's role in society can be affected by the project,

Groups affected

Identify the collectives or communities, e.g. groups or organisations, that can be affected by your product or service, such as environmental and religious groups, unions, professional bodies, competing companies and government agencies, considering any interest they might have in the effects of the product or service.



Relations

Discuss problematic differences in individual behaviour such as differences in habits, time-schedules, choice of activities, etc.



Group Conflicts

Discuss the impact on the relationships between the groups identified, e.g. employers and unions



















Product or Service Failure

Discuss the potential negative impact of your product or service failing to operate as intended, eg technical or human error, financial failure/ receivership/acquisition, security breach, data loss, etc.



Problematic Use of Resources

Discuss possible negative impacts of the consumption of resources of your project, e.g. climate impacts, privacy impacts, employment impacts etc.





Assessment List for Trustworthy Al

Source: European Commission Ethics Guidelines for Trustworthy Al

TRUSTWORTHY AI ASSESSMENT LIST (PILOT VERSION)

1. Human agency and oversight

Fundamental rights:

- ✓ Did you carry out a fundamental rights impact assessment where there could be a negative impact on fundamental rights? Did you identify and document potential trade-offs made between the different principles and rights?
- ✓ Does the AI system interact with decisions by human (end) users (e.g. recommended actions or decisions to take, presenting of options)?
 - Could the AI system affect human autonomy by interfering with the (end) user's decision-making process in an unintended way?
 - Did you consider whether the Al system should communicate to (end) users that a decision, content, advice or outcome is the result of an algorithmic decision?
 - In case of a chat bot or other conversational system, are the human end users made aware that they are interacting with a non-human agent?

Human agency:

- ✓ Is the AI system implemented in work and labour process? If so, did you consider the task allocation between the AI system and humans for meaningful interactions and appropriate human oversight and control?
 - Does the AI system enhance or augment human capabilities?
 - Did you take safeguards to prevent overconfidence in or overreliance on the AI system for work processes?

Human oversight:

- ✓ Did you consider the appropriate level of human control for the particular AI system and use case?
 - Can you describe the level of human control or involvement?
 - Who is the "human in control" and what are the moments or tools for human intervention?
 - Did you put in place mechanisms and measures to ensure human control or oversight?
 - Did you take any measures to enable audit and to remedy issues related to governing Al autonomy?

Tips for Planning!

- 1 Decide where you are on the Ethical Continuum.
- 2 Connect Al implementation to valid business case.
- 3 Determine measures of success and failure.
- Determine the need for Open or Explainable AI (XAI)

Tips for Getting Started!

5 Hire a diverse team.

6 Educate, educate, educate.

7 Build a risk mitigation plan.

8 Track datasets.

Tips for Building!

Test, test, test.

Tips for After Launch!

10 Keep testing.

11 Monitor Usage Scenarios.

12 Be transparent.

Let's Build Al ART!

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