THE CENTRE FOR CHRISTIAN LIVING PRESENTS

EMBRACE AI
AND LOSE YOUR SOUL?
HOW TO THINK ABOUT AI AS A CHRISTIAN

ROMANS 12:2

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Centre for Christian Living

Have you ever wondered whether it might be okay to lie in some circumstances? Have you ever battled with how to use social media well? Or have you ever had no idea what to say to a friend who asks your advice about IVF?

The Centre for Christian Living (CCL) exists to help Christians bring the teaching of the Bible to bear these on these sorts of questions and the many other moments of moral decision that we face day by day.

We do this through:

- our four public events each year (like the one you're at tonight);

- the library of audio, video and text resources we're building at **ccl.moore.com.au**;

- our regular "Centre for Christian Living" podcast.

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PART 1 (Akos Balogh)

Introduction: The haunting fear of AI

1. How should we respond to AI? By "double listening"

2. What is artificial intelligence?

    a. What is "intelligence"?

    b. What is "artificial intelligence"?

    c. Broad vs narrow intelligence

    d. How is AI different to other computer programs?

    e. Large language models

    f. Artificial general intelligence (AGI)

g. The opportunities of AI

h. The risks of AI

i. The future of AI

j. Busting common myths about AI

3. How should Christians think about AI?

a. Creation

b. Fall

c. Jesus

d. New creation

e. Technology shapes the user

    i. Technology is never "value-free"

    ii. Technology wears its benefits on its sleeves, but its drawbacks are buried deep within

    iii. Our task: "disciplined discernment"

f. Cultural factors pushing AI

    i. Enlightenment view of progress

    ii. "Nature is just a machine"

    iii. The human body is a limitation that must be overcome

4. Key applications of AI

a. Autonomous machines

b. AI intimacy

c. Work and AI

Conclusion: What do we choose?

Further resources:

One documentary: *Unknown: Killer Robots*: Netflix documentary on AI, focusing especially on military applications.
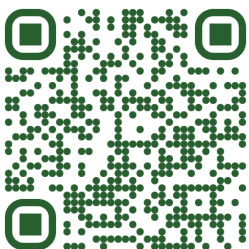
One podcast: *The Artificial Intelligence Show* (with Paul Roetzer and Mike Kaput): A weekly 1-hour podcast exploring and explaining the latest changes in the AI world, with a view to helping people understand and adopt AI.

One newsletter: www.oneusefulthing.org: A regular newsletter from Wharton Business School Professor Ethan Mollick on "Trying to understand the implications of AI for work, education, and life".

One non-Christian book: Mustafa Suleyman and Michael Bhaskar, *The Coming Wave—AI, Power and the 21st Century's Greatest Dilemma* (London: The Bodley Head, 2023). An excellent book for understanding the disruption, opportunities and challenges of AI.

One Christian book: Stephen Driscoll, *Made in our Image: God, Artificial Intelligence and You* (Matthias Media: forthcoming): A comprehensive look at AI from a Christian perspective.

One Interview: "What does the AI revolution mean for our future?" Moderated debate between Mustafa Suleyman and Yuval Noah Harari: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7JkPWHr7sTY

WE'D LOVE YOUR FEEDBACK. TELL US WHAT YOU THINK!

PART 2: Q&A

Q&A

To ask a question, use the QR code or

1. Open a web browser on your device and go to sli.do.
2. Enter the event code "irobot".
3. Type your question, add your name (we'd prefer it if you used your real name) and click or tap "Send".

Time-permitting, we will ask your question on your behalf.

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7:30-9:30pm
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Speaker:
Ed Loane

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