

**Finding Adam**  
**Advancing Commonsense Reasoning as a Potential Step**  
**towards Artificial General Superintelligence**

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# Introduction

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## CHAPTER II

# **History**

### 1. The History of Progress



## **2. The History of Conceptualizations of Change and Progress**

### **3. The History of Decelerationism**

#### **4. The History of Scientific Research and Progress in Artificial Intelligence**

## **5. The History of Conceptualizations of Artificial Intelligence**

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## CHAPTER III

# **What Are Intelligence and Consciousness?**

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# **Advancing Commonsense Reasoning**



## CHAPTER V

# **How Advancing Commonsense Reasoning Can Achieve Artificial General Superintelligence**





CHAPTER VI

**Ethical Matters**

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## CHAPTER VII

# **Conclusion**