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# SOFTWARE QUALITY MANAGEMENT CSP 587

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#### Reading

- Artificial Intelligence Trust but Verify
- Reading
  - Blueprint for an Al Bill of Rights
- Objectives
  - Discuss the growing dependence on Al
  - Revisit reactive QA (testing) w.r.t. Al-based systems
  - Revisit proactive QA
    - Planning
    - Modeling
    - Reusing
    - Self-discipline???
  - The role of government
  - Can anything save us now?

## Week 14 Quality Assurance in an Artificially Intelligent World

### Artificial Intelligence

- Not as intelligent as real intelligence
- We lack understanding of both
- Risk exposure is driven by usage:
  - Al-based processing
  - Al-based decision making

#### Reactive Testing of Al Systems

- Need a test case for every possibility (infinity?)
- Need time to execute every test case with every set of parameters
- Need a (safe) test environment which adequately mimics the real world
- Save time by using AI-based testing tools
  - Automated test tools
  - Intelligent selection of test cases and parameters based on most likely trouble spots

#### **Proactive QA**

- Reuse what we know works
- Plan carefully
- Develop and use experience
- Constrain the system's runtime opportunities

#### Rules and Regulations

- Government regulations
  - Require testing
  - Require training
  - Require insurance
- Laws and liability
  - Who or what is at fault?
  - Can fault be proven?
  - Can the perpetrator be held accountable? (robo-jails)

#### The Point of No Return

- How much time do we have left?
- Is it OK for individual countries to set their own laws?
- What must happen to get the AI systems to follow any laws?
- In case of emergency, hit the big red button (call the humans?)