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Invisible Images Response

I felt as though I needed to be more safe and paranoid after the reading, as my security is not something I am in control. The idea that over the years, humans have designed programs on the internet to act as security for human activities such as identification has us not state the obvious. Posting a pic on facebook has facial recognition identify the people in locations taking in information at where you are at and learn more about you as a person. It is difficult to stay hidden from the internet's eyes (A.I's), programmed to be present in public spaces. The article where the time of sharing photo albums is over, is now less in our control to choose who can see photos and who we are as a person. Adam Harvey an artist who tried to hide his presence using different makeup schemes that prevented facial recognition. Just having to these masks to yourself shows the difficult task of keeping privacy hidden showing that humans have less control over the internet as tech improves. The idea that humans created these applications such as traffic cameras to catch crimes is useful but can be hacked to stalk someone and create insecurity for the victim. Google a huge network site is basically used for everything and records searches done by people showing an example of how much data can be infinitely stored for anyone or program to use.. Yes, we feel secure as humans, but these robotic human creations do

not grant us safety 100% security as people could easily hack into a facebook and learn everything they need to know about someone. A non human view from these programs, see people as meatbags that need to have their information known which in turn is the downside of always being watched. Imagine a future where we can never experience privacy ever gain which could be bad or good depending how you look at it. Not having privacy can make everyone more trusting of one another and work together better as we can be more honest with one another. The downside of not having privacy might make people freak wanting to have privacy and even go out to destroy the system that was created; causing protest and fights to break out. Either way, having created programs choose how our information should be known to the public is something that should be more debated with one another.