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IDS 403 Technology and Society

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“What new technology does is create new opportunities to do a job that customers want done” (Tim O’Reilly). As Tim O’ Relly states, technology has helped us as a society to develop efficient ways to create products or finish tasks and maximize our time management so we can focus on other tasks or our life. In our world, most of the population has adapted to the newest technologies, it’s common to see in various parts of the world people using smartphones and a variety of ages from children to older generations using the new technologies. The world has open when technology started to advance, a couple of decades ago people will never think that they would be able to talk or even meet people from different countries if it wasn’t traveling, or that you could carry MP3, a camera, laptop, and phone in one device which is the smartphone. Technology has opened our view in many ways and facilitates our tasks.

But unfortunately, all good innovations come with problems, as technology increases a lot of people have become more isolated and dependent on technology, examples like it’s hard for people to remember telephone numbers since they have all recorded on the phone, or the ability of navigations has become obsolete since application like Google Maps provides the whole navigation for us. Also, fast entertainment has become popular, videos of 30 seconds or less produce more attention than full videos well detail, which decreases the capability of concentration if the task is too big or long.

Technology would always be a field of interest, since almost everything in our world has use technology direct or indirect, for example, materials like wood, lithium, or carbon are natural materials that have been extracted with the use of technology and the process to sell using technology. Understanding technology has opened my eye to view new inventions and innovations in different ways and creates critical thinking about how they can benefit me and the world. Also, studying technology produces the sensation of a challenge to create an innovation depending on the field’s desire.

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