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Fearing the Inevitable is a Waste of Time

With a world population of roughly 8 billion people, there is bound to be a plethora of geniuses making constant advancements in the realm of technology. The growth in technological advancements is never-ending and will continue to push forward until the end of the human race, or maybe even further. With this comes the progress of Artificial Intelligence, which, to many, is both exciting and terrifying.

Although many are feeling wary and even fearful of its impact on our lives and the future, it's important to understand that fear of AI is not well-founded and that, in fact, AI has the potential to be a force for good in the world. Artificial Intelligence has proven its worth countless times, from its vast uses in criminal justice, economic development, education, public health, energy, and environmental science. With the blow-up of OpenAI's chatGPT, the excitement and concerns have grown immensely. ChatGPT's ability to accurately perform high level tasks with an inhuman efficiency has caused many to fear for their jobs. But, will AI truly take over our occupations? While it's true that some jobs may be automated in the future, it's important to remember that technology has always created new jobs to replace those that were lost. Furthermore, AI can also help people to be more productive in their jobs, and to take on more challenging and fulfilling work. Additionally, AI can help to create new industries and forms of work that are yet to be imagined.

But, regardless of our distress, technology will continue to advance. All that we can truly do is enforce laws, regulations, and employ professional observation of said

technology. No matter how much we educate and voice concerns, no one can truly enforce the discontinuation of AI research and utilization. So, instead of wasting our time waddling in fear, we should ensure the open education of such topics and push for continuously updated regulations on artificial intelligence.