AIGC-5004

Project Management in Al

AI ETHICS AND

CYBER SECURITY

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AGENDA

Intro & Basics

- Course
 - Professor and Class Introduction
- Content
 - A Business Executive view on AI
 - Artificial Intelligence, Deep Learning, Machine Learning
 - Big Data's Failure and the promise of Al
 - Key Al Stakeholders





Introduction

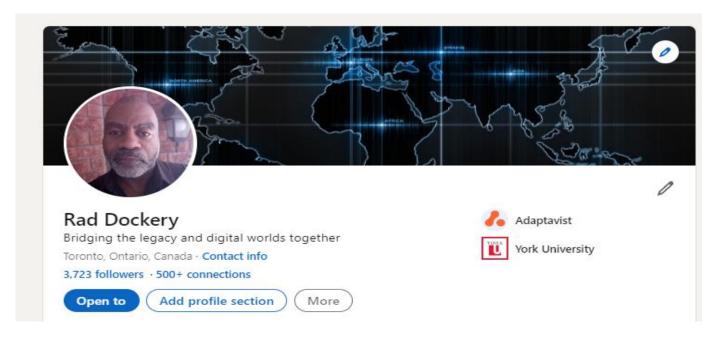
Our Weekly Plan

40 41 - 42	READING WEEK > TRANSITION TO Artificial Inte	lligence Ethics in Projects				
43	Intro & Course Overview	1	Introductions		In-Class Lecture	
14			Defining Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Deep Lear			
5			The Business Executive view of Artificial Intelligence			
6			Big Data's failure and Al bias			
7			Key Stakeholders for successful Al project implementation			
3	The Social impact of AI/Machine Biases	1,3	Discuss examples of Al Bias	Separate into groups	Lecture & Lab	
3			Al and Gender Inequality			
1			Al and Cultural Discrimination			
			Socio-Economic impact of AI Bias			
2	Industry & Business areas impacted by AI biases	1,2,3	Al biases and their impacts in the following sectors:	Separate into groups	Lecture & Lab	
3			Public Sector, Finance, Technology, Legal, Supply Chain			
5			Al Biases and their impacts in the following business areas:			
3			Human Resources, IT, Finance, Marketing, Operations			
	Approaches to addressing AI Discrimination	1,2	Reviewing your initial Project Plan for Gaps	Share Assignment Details & review possible deliverables	Lecture & Lab	ASSIGNMENT-1 (BETA
			Building a group of stakeholders			
			Obtaining Executive Buy-in			
1			Review Software packages and tools			
			Vendor Management and the PMO			
2			Effective Measurement			
3	The Challenges of Al in the era of Cyber Security	1,2,3,5	Who should care within your Project Team		Lecture & Lab	
			Most common Al based cyber security attacks			
			The role of Al discrimination in cybersecurity			
5			Cyber security and Deep Fakes			
,			Al and Cybersecurity - the new battlefield			
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3	Approaches to addressing AI Security	1,2,3,5	Review Software and Programs	Evaluation of Software and Cloud Tool. Develop other approaches.	Lecture & Lab	Quiz
)			How leading cloud providers address Al Security			
			Why a diverse helps address Al Security			
2			How the PMO can account for Al Security Risks			
			The role of managing legacy systems in Al Security			
1			The importance of a BCP, DRM plan			
5		3,4			Lecture & Lab	ASSIGNMENT-1 (DUE)
3	Al Biases and Security Use Case		Review modern day use cases:			
7			One use case focused on Industry			
В			Another use case focused on Business Function			
3			How technology leaders should communicate to Lines of Bus			
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Introduction to Me

Get to know the professor.



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Introduction



26 Years in the Information Technology Sector within the TELUS, IBM, Microsoft, Cisco, AWS, Google, HP, Salesforce.com, Kubernetes, Software AG and SnowFlake ecosystems.

- Technical Sales & Distribution
- Cloud Migrations and Management
- Legacy System Modernization
- Al and Data Analytics
- DevOps and Micro services
- Business and Technology experience in:
 - Canada
 - United States
 - Singapore
 - Hong Kong
 - United Kingdom
 - Botswana
 - Indonesia
 - Malaysia
 - Czech Republic



My Hobbies and Interests







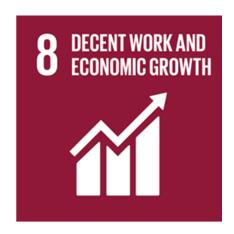




Why do I care about this topic?











Introduction

Contacting the professor.

Two methods:





Source: The Matrix (1999)



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Introduction

My Principles & Expectations:

Principles

- We are always learning
- Debate and disagreement is never personal
- The world moves fast, don't be a rush a keep up
- Humanity first,

Expectations

- <u>Believe</u> that <u>you</u> will lead AI projects that will bring a +ve change**
- Empower each other if any of you are struggling
- Ask questions of any kind, no question is "stupid"
- Show respect to everyone & be kind (to fellow learners & prof!)
- Assume responsibility of your actions and follow-up
- Communicate any delays or late submissions in advance!
- Check <u>Blackboard</u> & <u>MS Teams Channel</u> every week



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Al from the Executive Level

- Business Leaders are focused on the bottom and top line.
 - Increasing Revenues and/or Reducing Costs = PROFIT
- Al is often viewed a way to reduce costs or improve customer/stakeholder experience.
- Al needs to help transform data into information
- Al Projects have to be approved and paid for by business leaders, thus
 you <u>MUST BE ABLE TO COMMUNICATE THE VALUE OF ANY AI</u>
 PROJECT IN CLEAR, CONCISE BUSINESS LANGUAGE

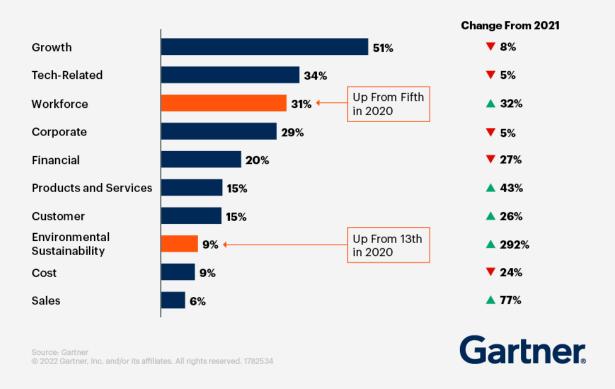




Top Challenges facing CEOs

CEOs' Top 10 Strategic Business Priority Areas for 2022-2023

Summary Top Three Mentions, Coded Responses



Al must mean Business

As discussed in first half of this course. Projects have the following outline.

Goal:

Desired outcome of project

Timeline:

Start and end date for project, key milestones

Budget:

Money allocated for project, how it will be spent

Stakeholders:

Parties interested or affected by project

Project manager:

Responsible for planning, executing, & completing project

Real Life Use Case



Challenge

- Insurer running core applications on Legacy Systems
- Currently unable to integrate new core systems into new mobile applications for broker network.
- Unable to provide real time integration and information to brokers, clients and staff.
- Over 80% of Web Traffic is driven by Mobile in their market.

Technology team suggests an AI Tool to help capture more information about customers, to ensure more growth.

Can you guess what the problems with this approach were?



Al Must Make Dollars and Sense

- Align AI or any technology initiative with the needs to your business.
- Take the time to understand any business process, technology, operational and cultural barriers within the organization.
- Read press reports, pay attention to the what Business Leaders are discussing both internally and externally.
- Translate technical into Dollars and "Sense"



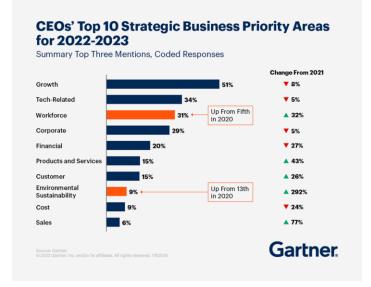


Real Life Use Case – The Answer

Provided a solution enabled an interface between Web and the legacy system that improved broker face time with **clients by up 45%**.

Staff productivity increased by **15**% since Brokers can now see ALL OF THE DATA vs. just some of the data.

Client estimates savings of up to \$2.5M annually by reducing cost of software, labour and administration.

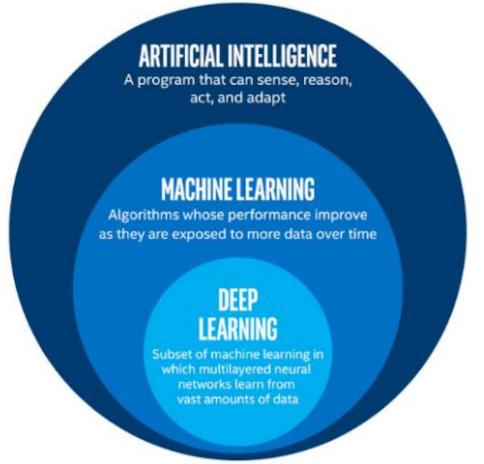


Now, they using the data to build Machine
Learning models to create automated offers for

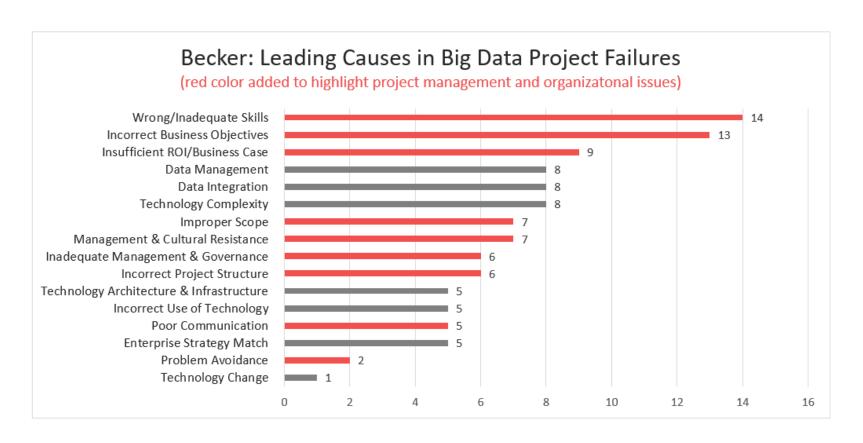
<u>clients to improve retention</u>.



Explaining the realms for AI to Non Technical Leaders



The Failure of Big Data



https://www.semanticscholar.org/paper/Predicting-outcomes-for-big-data-projects%3A-Big-Data-Becker/549c6a8b81594ee77ae88b406a1945e0f1fba711

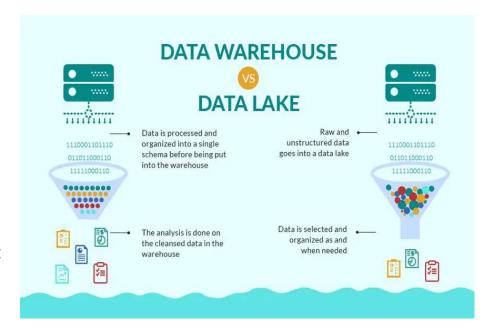


Data Warehouses and Lakes yet...

85% of big data projects fail (Gartner, 2017)

87% of data science projects never make it to production (<u>VentureBeat</u>, 2019)

"Through 2022, only 20% of analytic insights will deliver business outcomes" (Gartner, 2019)





Key Reasons for this failure

- Not having the Right Data
- Not having the Right Talent
- Solving the Wrong Problem
- Forgetting Ethics
- Overlooking Culture



Al can fix these issues HOWEVER...

We have to account for biases, discrimination and the absence of key datasets.

We must align AI with the needs of the business.

We must understand that technology is only one part of the solution



Key Stakeholders for Al Projects

Technology teams

- Infrastructure
- Software, Middleware
- Developers, Programmers
- Security & Network Administrators

Business Operations

- Legal
- Compliance and Industry
- Finance
- Customer Service/Sales
- Marketing



"Non-Traditional Stakeholders"

Human Resources

- Talent Management
- Compensation and Payroll
- Strategic Planning

Front Line Staff

- Varies by Industry
- Health: Nurses, Office Managers
- Construction: Unions, Skilled Trades
- Manufacturing: Plant Workers

Cultural and Language Diversity groups



We now have the basis for the rest of the course

- When we understand what matters to the business, we understand how to link technology as an enabler vs. a cost
- To obtain maximum benefit to the business, we must look at how datasets, and AI itself can accelerate discrimination, bias and threaten security.
- The Project Management Office can we viewed as the key enabler to bridge these areas.



Next Week

Al Bias and its impact on Projects, Business Results

Al's role in Gender and Cultural Discrimination.

The Social and Economic Impact of Bias



