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## Future Predictions

### Watch the video and create a profile of the trajectory of future technological trends

What past predictions of future technology got right

- What kinds of technological predictions did the videos show that people predicted correctly?

They predicted faster, safer, and more aerodynamic vehicles, 3 wheel cars, self-driving cars, phones on us all the time, "robots", online education, online shopping, desktops, online records.

- What sort of predictions were clearly far fetched? (Please ignore the obvious gender stereotyping that was clearly not correct.)

They were wrong about flying cars, "plane" cars, phones strapped to us, human interaction when online shopping.

Your goal is to create your own future predictions about the trajectory of technology in specific areas.

Area	5 years	10 years	20 years
Transportation	self-driving cars	faster phones <sup>for comm.</sup>	Self driving cars norm
Entertainment	no more movie theaters	1 big online streaming <sup>service</sup>	different style "monopolies" disney, espn...
Household trends	more political (most)	political change (big)	earth friendly norm
Clothing	more earth friendly	all recycled	more style based <sup>joint style</sup> business + casual
Communication	faster overall	no more voice calls	email - text merge No more email
Medical	cures for diseases that mutate	cure for certain cancers	robot doctors w/ (little human roles)
Industry	more earth friendly	all recycled	more autonomous
<del>With Class</del> Education	all online work	online college	new career field