

In Q&A sessions, IBM gathered the opinions of AI visionaries to consider what the future might hold for AI.

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[Kevin Kelly, Tech Author and co-founder of Wired](#)

Kevin is optimistic about the effect of AI on jobs, and believes that a key role of AI will be to transform big data into something businesses can use.

[Mark Sagar, Oscar-winning AI engineer](#)

Mark combines his knowledge of computer graphics, human physiology and artificial intelligence to develop emotionally responsive avatars for businesses.

[Chieko Asakawa, Accessibility research pioneer & IBM Fellow](#)

One of the world's premier accessibility researchers, Chieko is excited about the progress of AI in helping blind people experience and explore the world.

[Yoshua Bengio, Preeminent deep learning researcher](#)

Describe as a founding father of deep learning, Yoshua sees unsupervised learning and natural language processing as being the areas in which AI will develop very quickly.

[Margaret Boden, Veteran AI & cognitive scientist](#)

Margaret is interested in how AI will help us understand human creativity, and champions a multidisciplinary approach to AI.