

# Einführung in die Künstliche Intelligenz

**Teacher**

Prof. Kristian Kersting (Artificial Intelligence  
and Machine Learning)

**Homepage**

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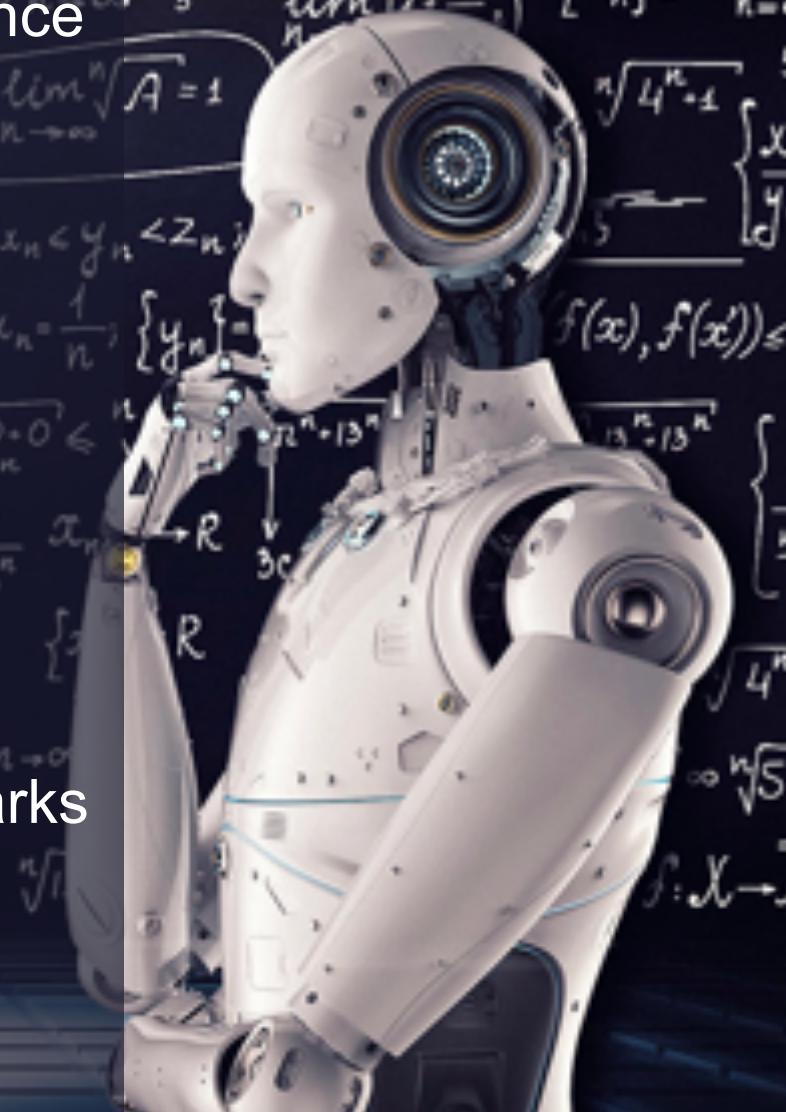
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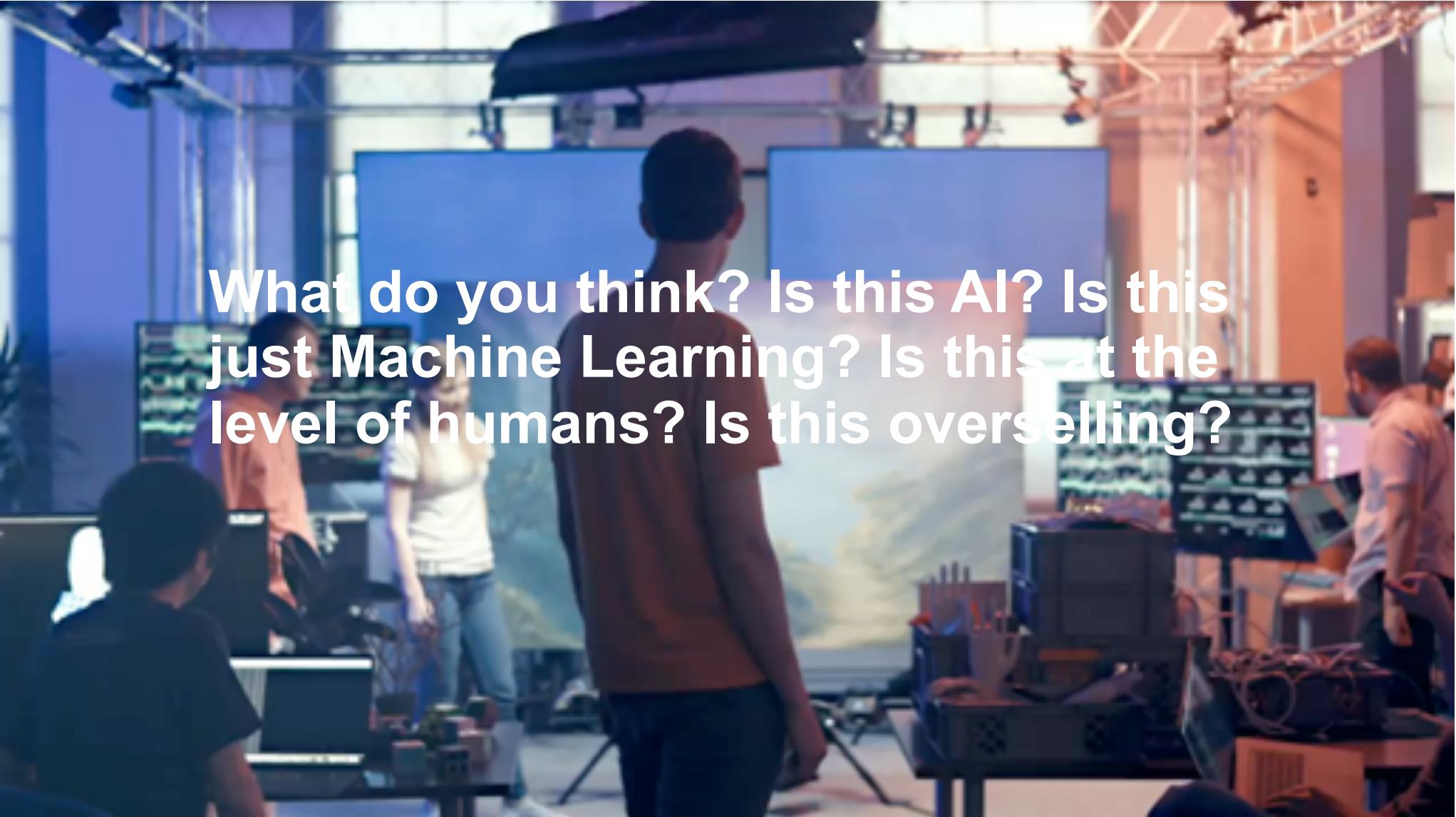
Lectures and exercises will be each 2h

**Übungen (Tutor: Karl Stelzner)**

Just presentation of solutions, no (re)marks



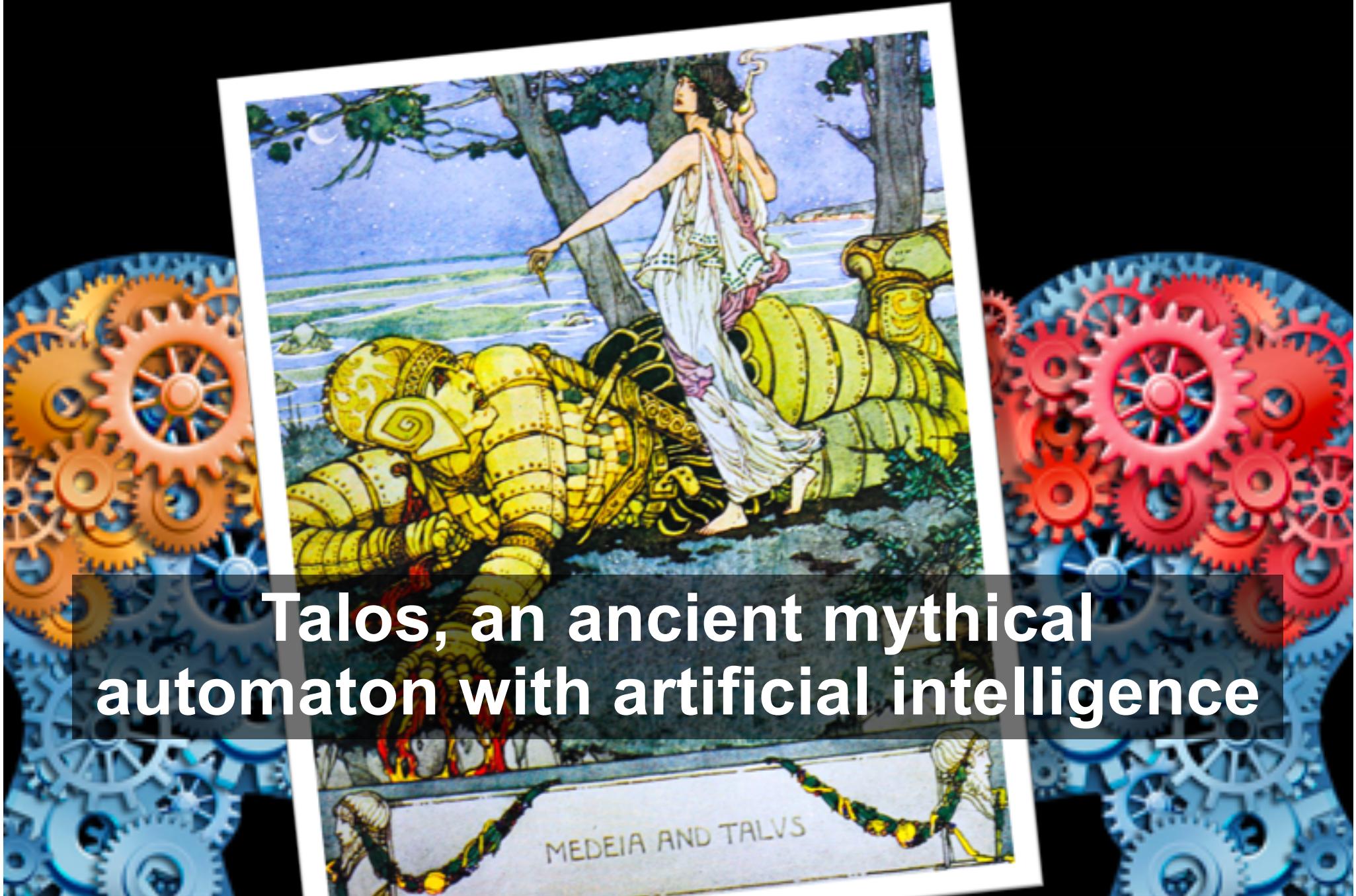
# Solving Rubik's Cube?



**What do you think? Is this AI? Is this just Machine Learning? Is this at the level of humans? Is this overselling?**

OpenAI: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x4O8pojMF0w>

# The dream of AI is not new



# The dream of an artificially intelligent entity is not new

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# AI today

the INQUIRER

Artificial intelligence will create the next industrial revolution, experts claim

We won't waste time on treatments that won't work, so the patient should get

Jane Kirby | 23 hours ago | 0 comments

Telegraph

Lifestyle > Cars > News

Self-driving Tesla 'saved' by steering him to hospital



V/S

Elon Musk @elonmusk

I've talked to Mark about this. His understanding of the subject is limited.

Artificial intelligence better than scientists at choosing successful embryos

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BBC NEWS

Technology

Stephen Hawking warns artificial intelligence could end mankind

Humans, who are limited by slow biological evolution, couldn't compete and would be

SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN DECEMBER 2016

## Computers Now Recognize Patterns Better Than Humans Can

An approach to artificial intelligence that enables computers to recognize visual patterns better than humans are able to do

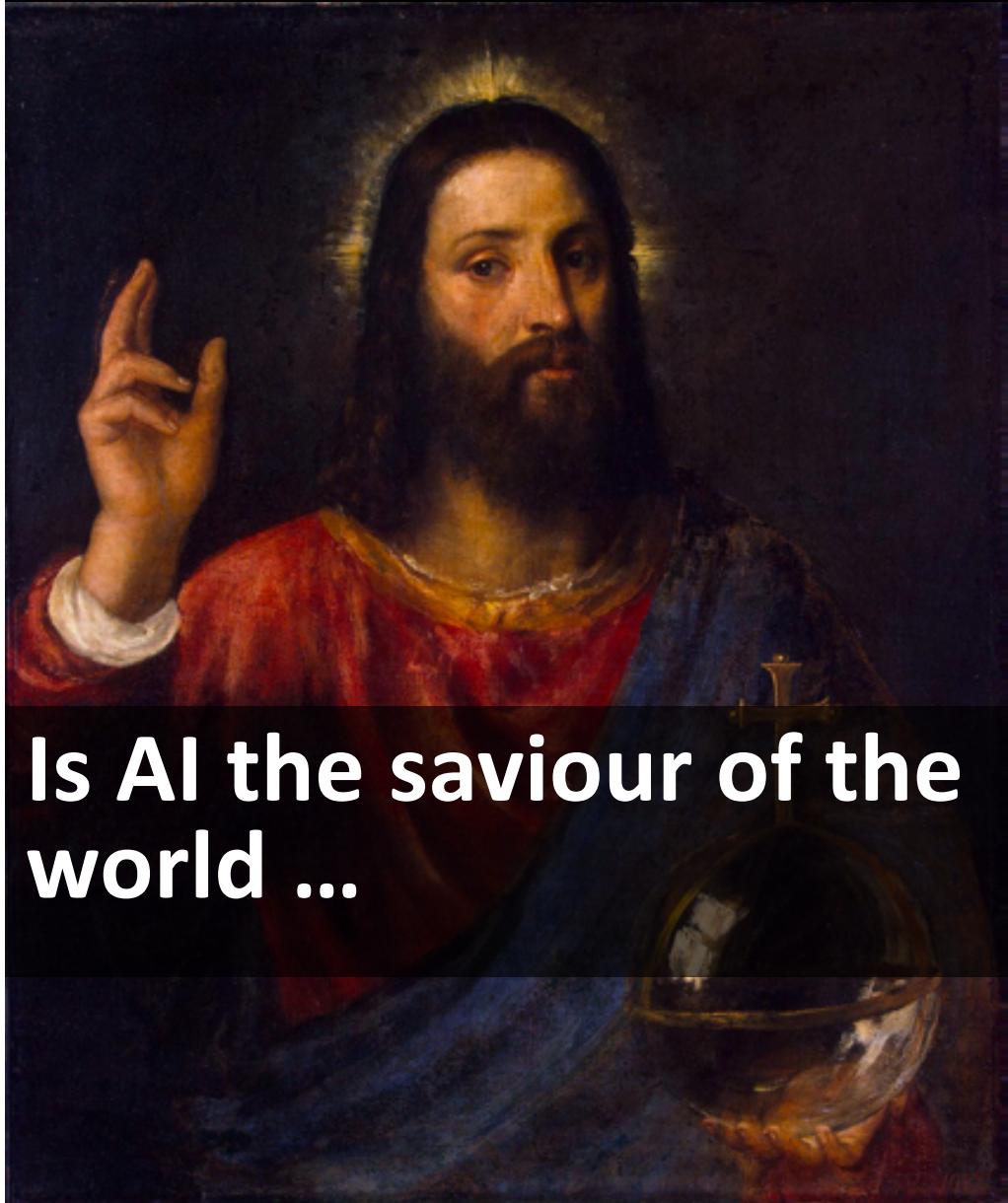
# AI today

## THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE



Source: PwC

# So, AI has many faces



Is AI the saviour of the world ...

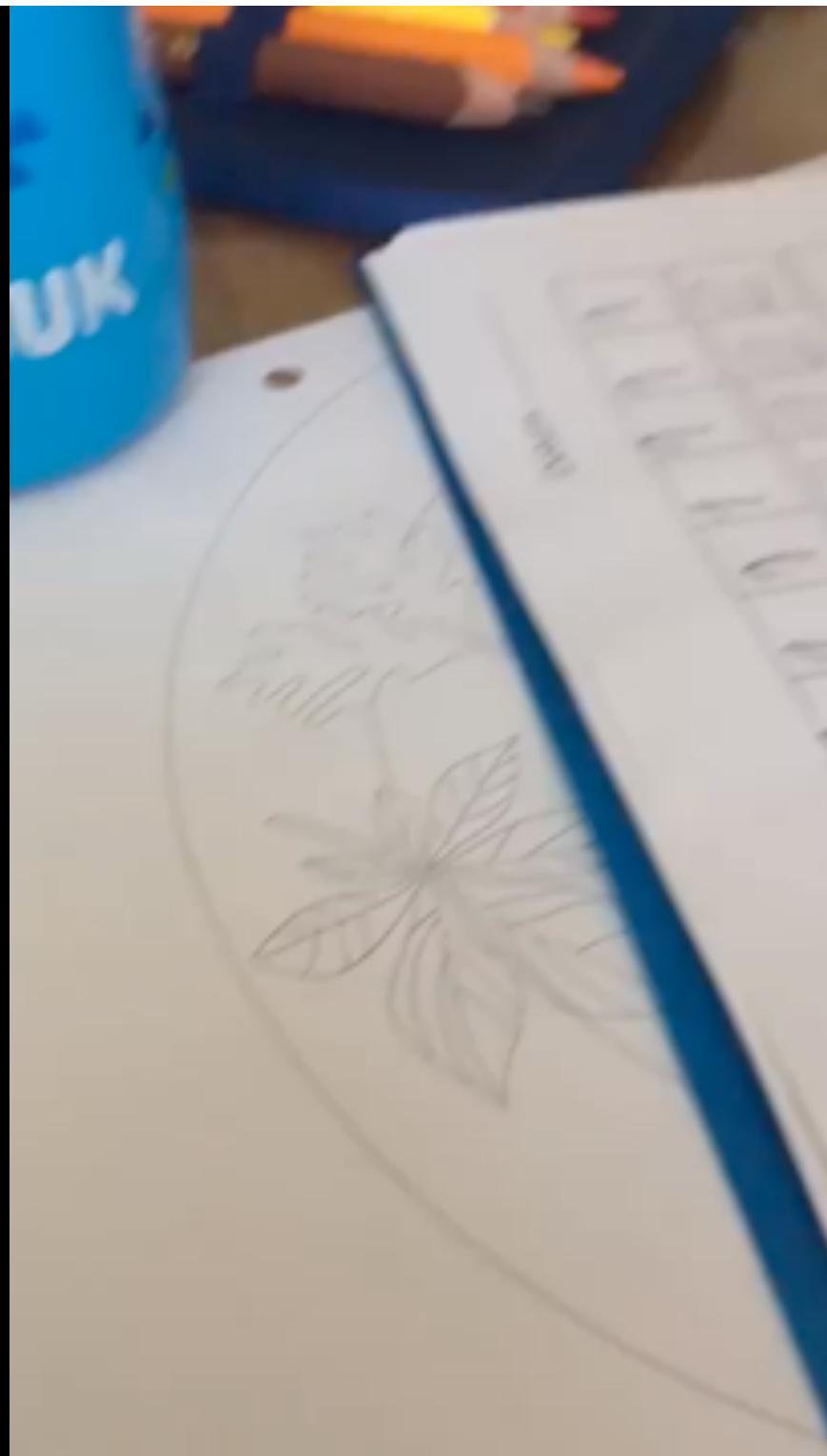


... or will autonomous self-aware robots bring about the downfall of humanity?

# What is AI?



Humans  
are  
smart



Can  
machines  
be smart,  
too?



# What is actually Intelligence?





Is this smart?



Is this smart?

N24

$$\frac{6}{3} = 6$$

Is this smart?

**Intelligence has  
many qualities.**

**It is difficult  
to directly  
capture/  
measure it.**



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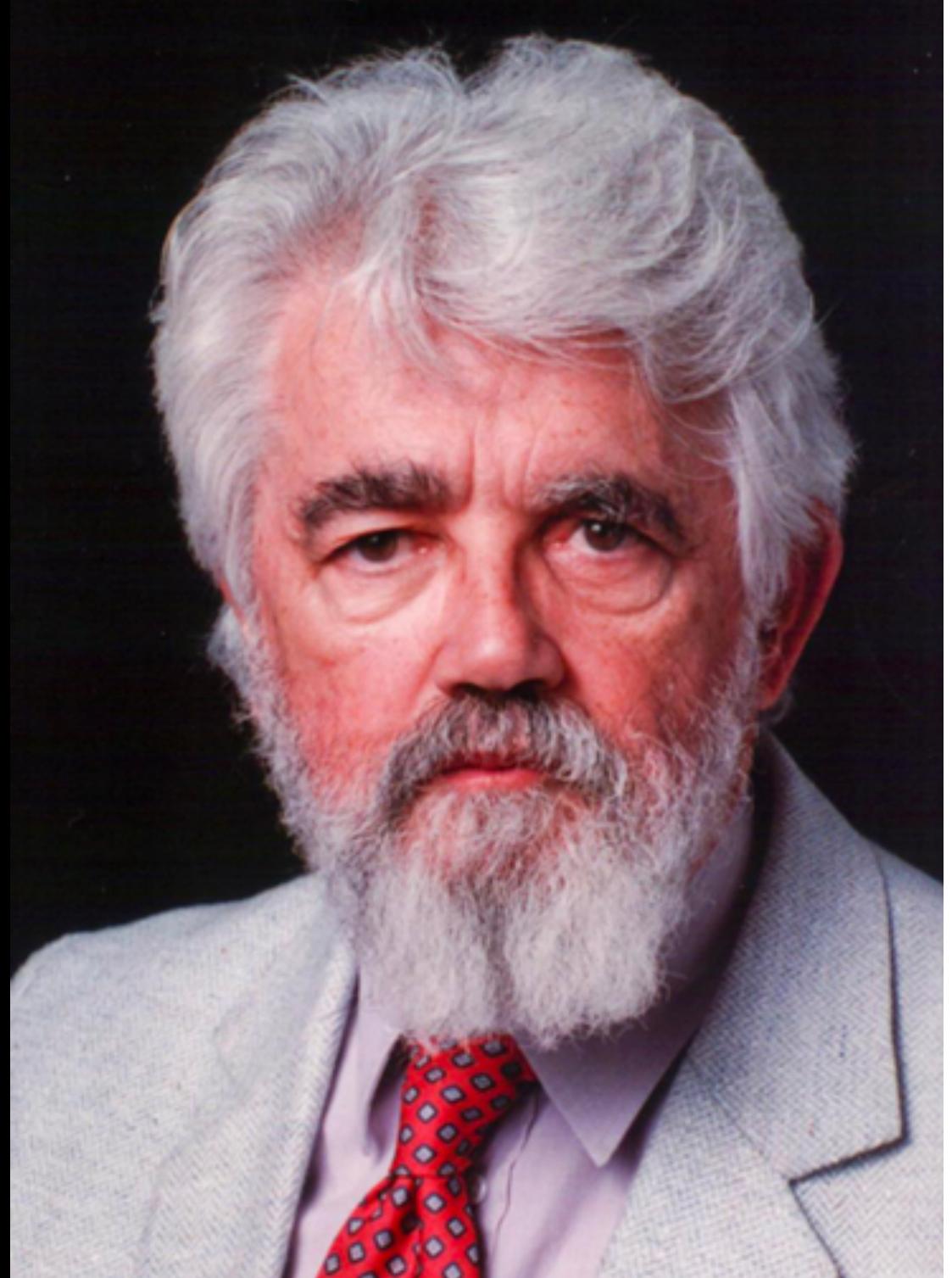


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Learning

Thinking

Planning

**AI = Algorithms for ...**

Vision

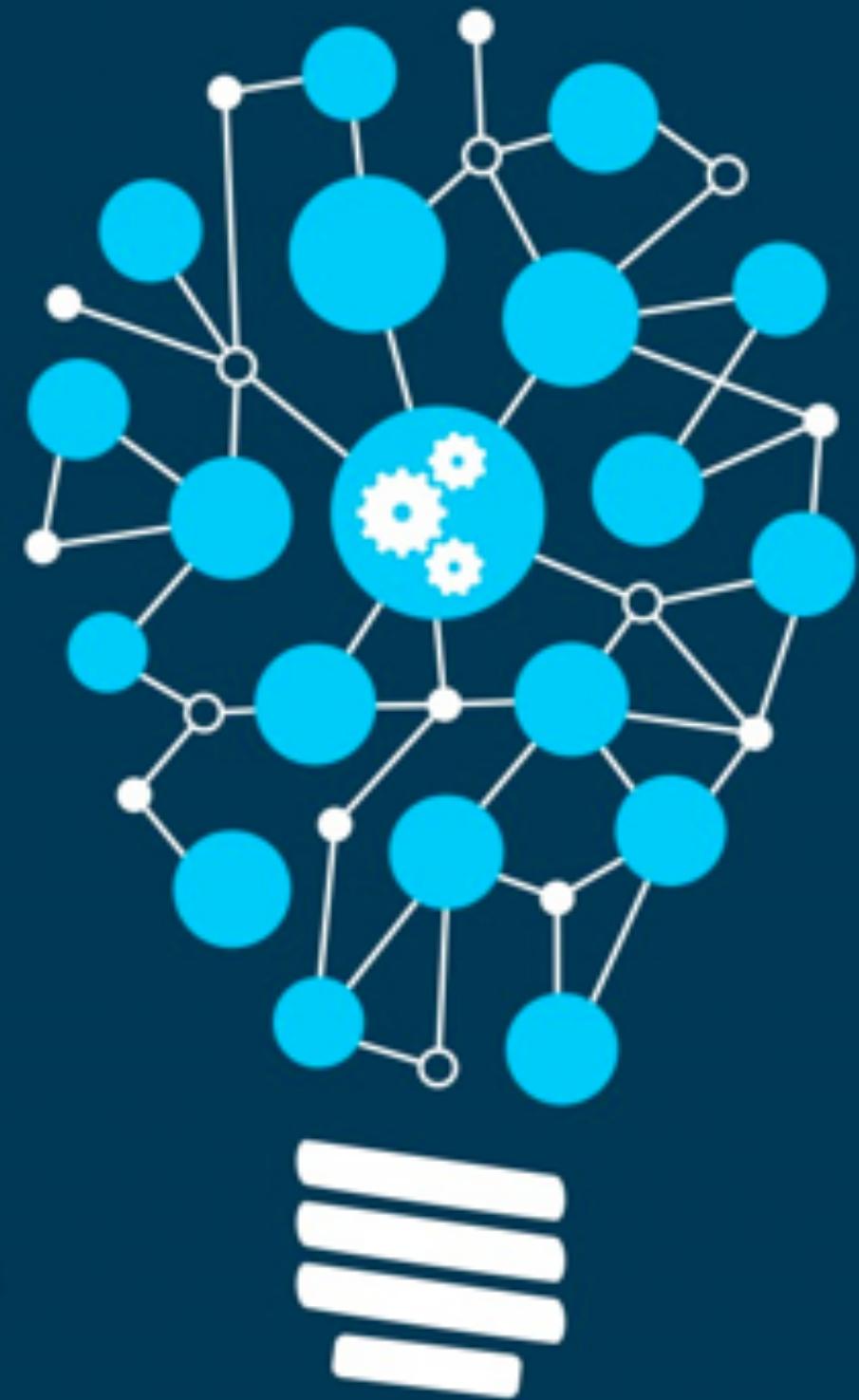
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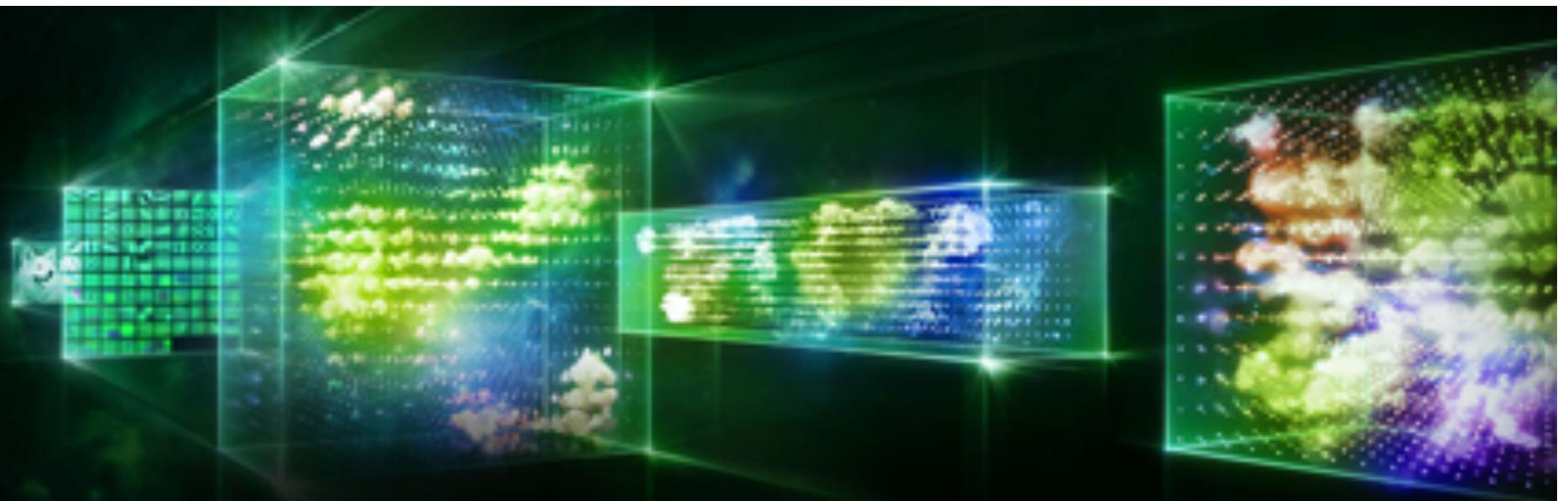
Reading

# Machine Learning

**the science "concerned with  
the question of how to  
construct computer programs  
that automatically improve with  
experience"**

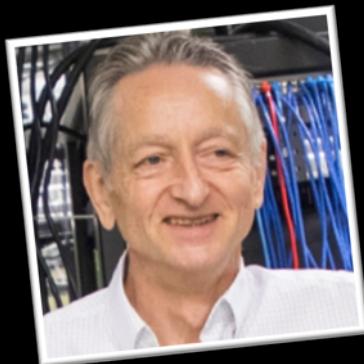
- Tom Mitchell (1997) CMU





# Deep Learning

a form of machine  
learning that makes  
use of artificial  
neural networks



Geoffrey Hinton  
Google  
Univ. Toronto (CAN)



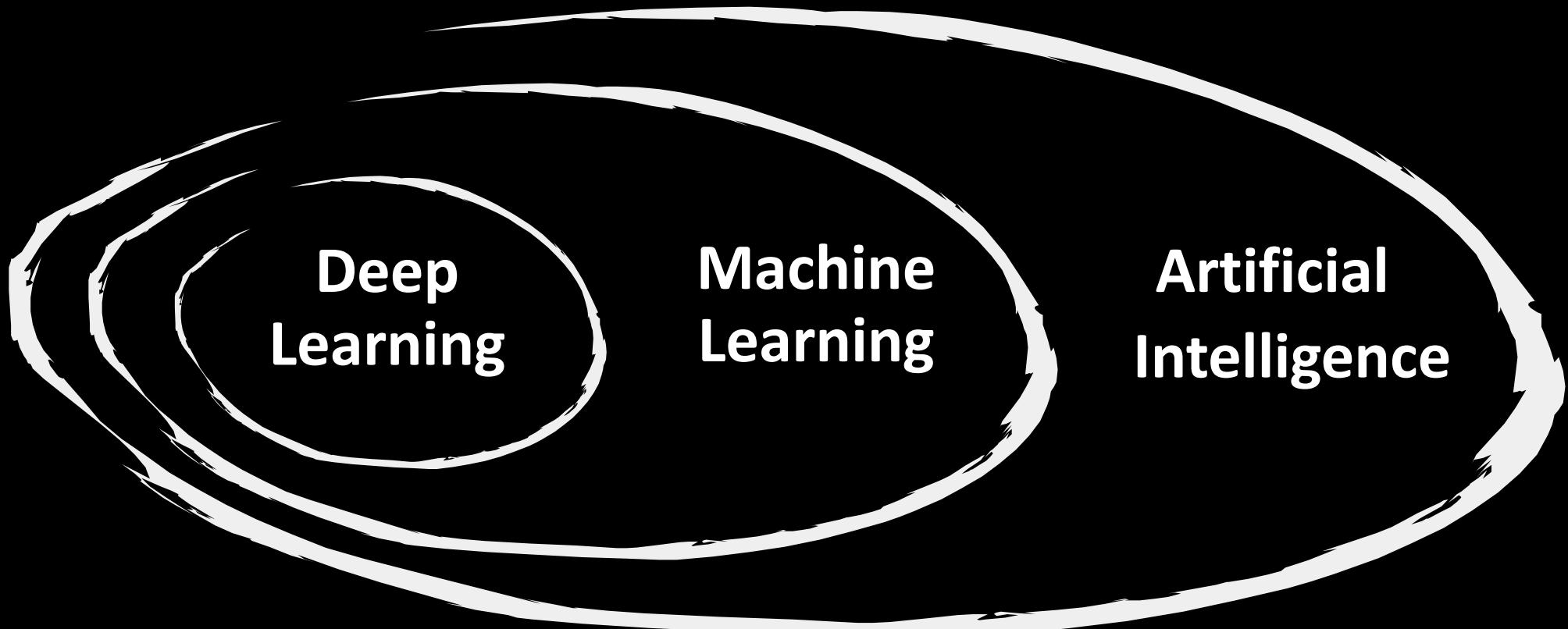
Yann LeCun  
Facebook (USA)



Yoshua Bengio  
Univ. Montreal (CAN)

Turing Awardees 2019

# Overall Picture



# A closer look at the history of AI

ONCE  
UPON A TIME

# 1956 Birth of AI



**John McCarthy**  
Turing Award 1971



**Marvin Minsky**  
Turing Award 1969



**Allen Newell**  
Turing Award 1975



**Herbert A. Simon**  
Turing Award 1975  
Nobel Prize 1978

**... and of  
Cognitive Science**

# Artificial Neural Networks

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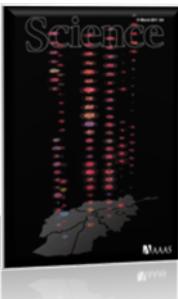
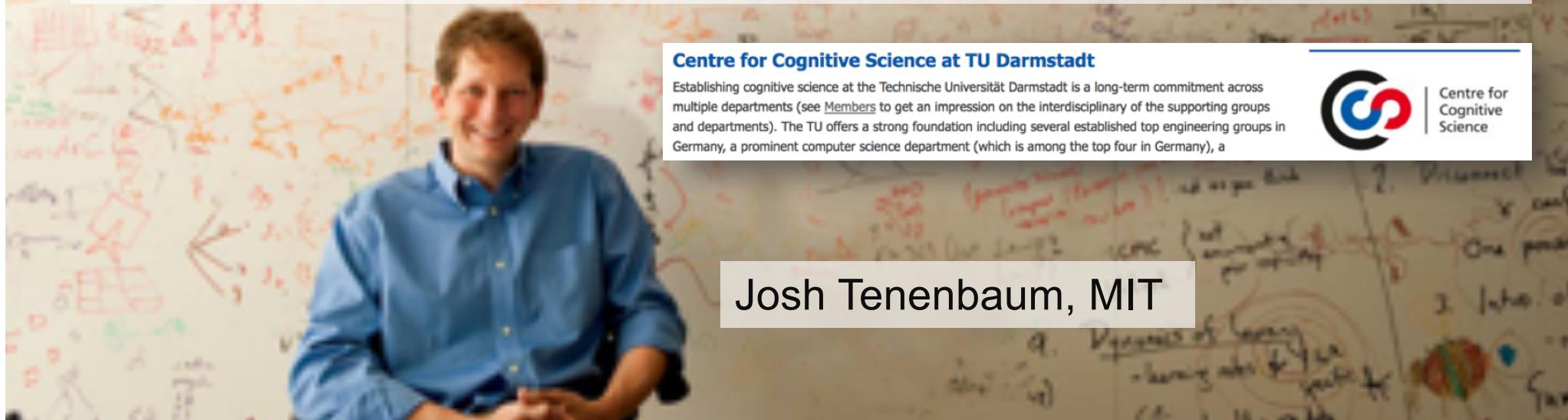
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slide after C. Rothkopf (TUD), after J. Tenenbaum (MIT)

# Algorithms of intelligent behaviour teach us a lot about ourselves

## The twin science: cognitive science

"How do we humans get so much from so little?" and by that I mean how do we acquire our understanding of the world given what is clearly by today's engineering standards so little data, so little time, and so little energy.



Lake, Salakhutdinov, Tenenbaum, Science 350 (6266), 1332-1338, 2015  
Tenenbaum, Kemp, Griffiths, Goodman, Science 331 (6022), 1279-1285, 2011

# Three levels of description

VISION



David Marr

FOREWORD BY  
Shimon Ullman  
AFTERWORD BY  
Tomaso Poggio

1982



## Computational

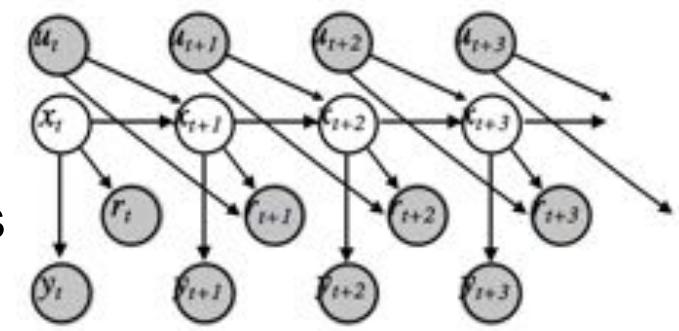
Why do things work the way they work? What is the goal of the computation? What are the unifying principles?

*maximize:*

$$R_t = r_{t+1} + r_{t+2} + \cdots + r_T$$

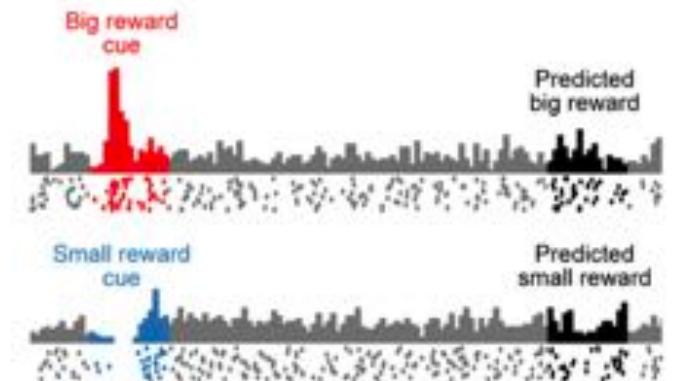
## Algorithmic

What representation can implement such computations? How does the choice of the representation determine the algorithm

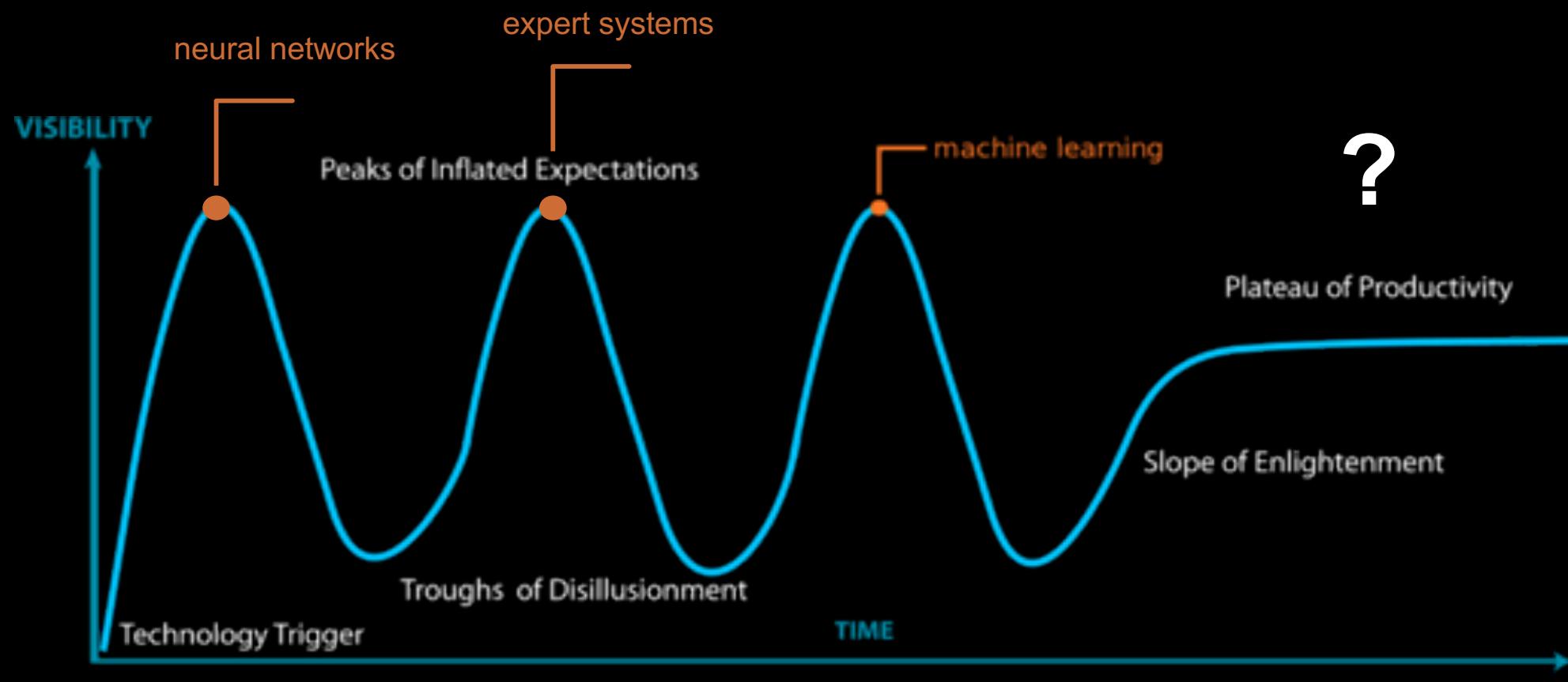


## Implementational

How can such a system be built in hardware?  
How can neurons carry out the computations?



# The history of AI in a nutshell



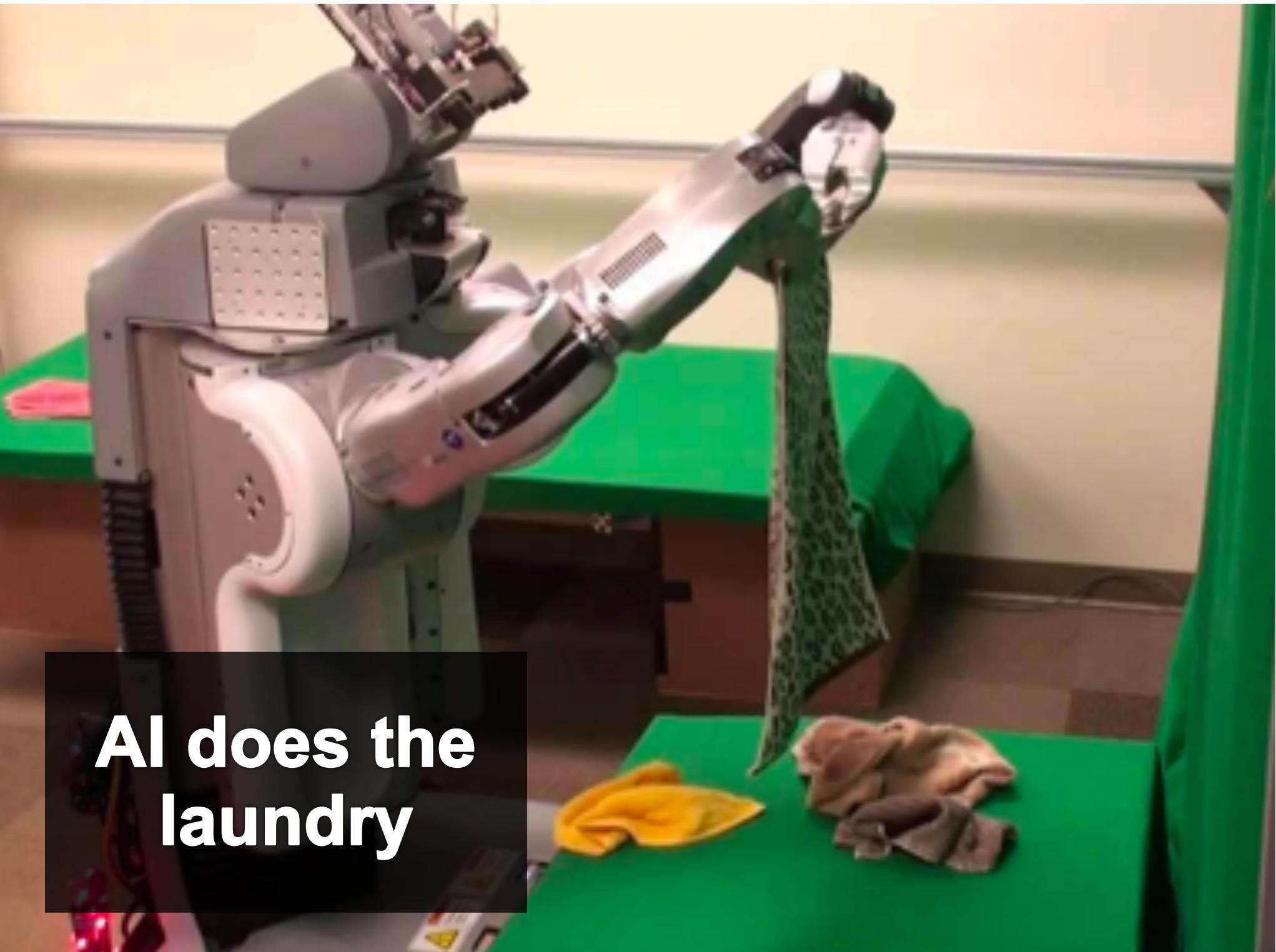
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# What's different now than it used to be?

- #1 models are bigger
- #2 we have more data
- #3 we have more compute power
- #4 the systems actually work for several tasks





AI does the laundry

# AI drives cars





THINK

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\$24,000

Who is Stoker?  
A FAMOUS VICTORIAN ERA  
ENGLISH NOVELIST

\$1,000

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Who is Bram  
Stoker?

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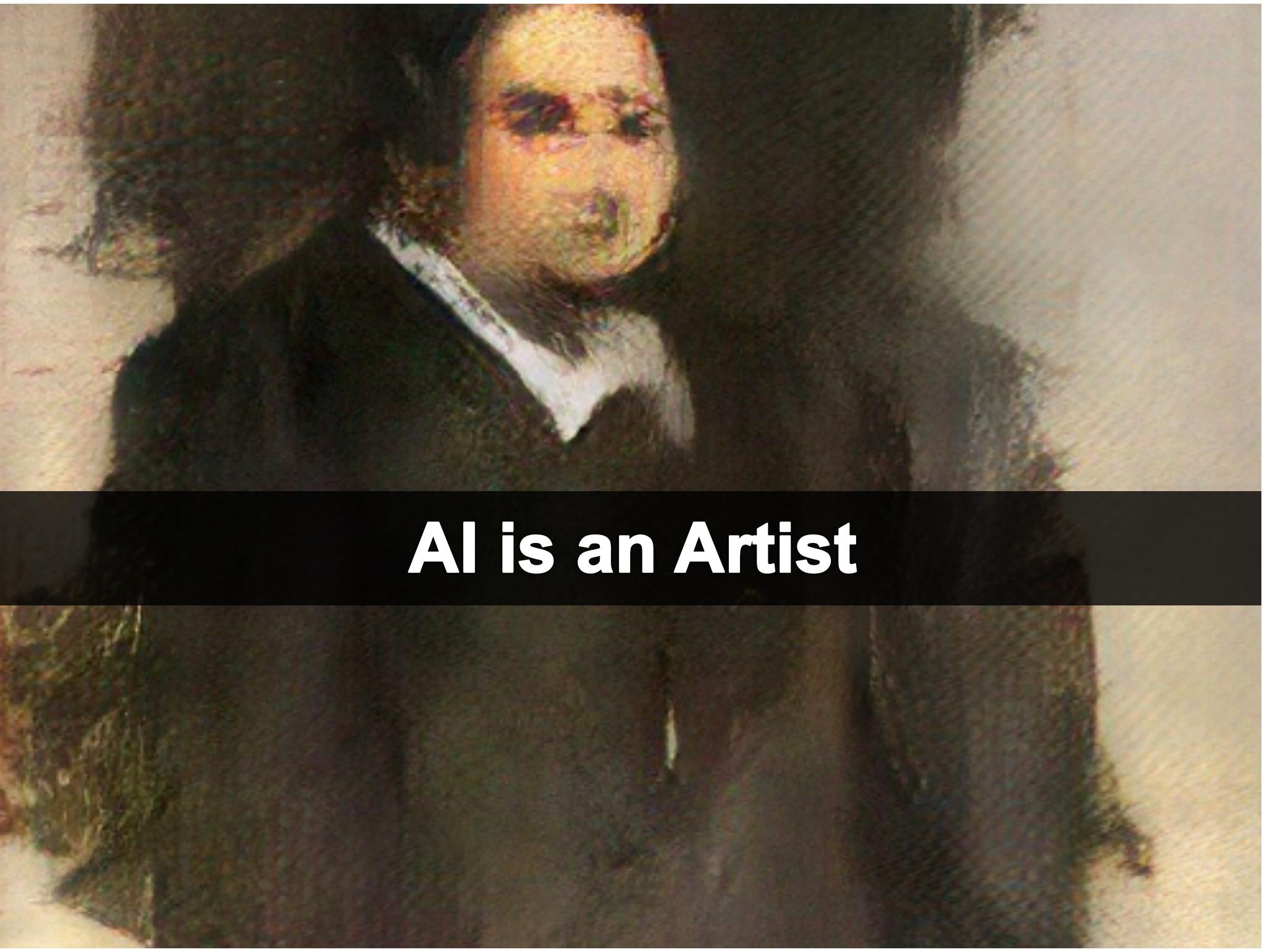
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WHO IS  
BRAM STOKER?

\$5600



AI knows a lot

A portrait painting of a man with light-colored hair, wearing a dark suit jacket over a white shirt and a patterned tie. He is looking towards the right of the frame. The background is dark and textured.

**AI is an Artist**



# AI plays chess and GO



AlphaGo

Lee Sedol

## Schachmatt durch „CrazyAra“

Künstliche Intelligenz schlägt mehrfachen Weltmeister im Einsetschach

Der von den TU-Studierenden Johannes Czech, Moritz Willig und Alena Beyer entwickelte Bot „CrazyAra“ hat den Schachprofi Justin Tan in einem Online-Match der Schach-Variante „Crazyhouse“ mit 4:1 geschlagen. Gelernt hat der Bot mittels künstlicher neuronaler Netze, was ihm erlaubt, vorausschauend Entscheidungen zu treffen. Das Besondere: Die Studierenden konnten damit einen Erfolg auf einem Feld feiern, das sonst von Giganten wie Google dominiert wird.

19.02.2019

lichess.org

S-15 • Round • CRAZYHOUSE

Playing right now

CRAZYHOUSE

CrazyAra (2013)

UM jannLee is streaming

Chat room

Notes

Chess

CrazyAra vs JannLee (Man vs Machine - Crazyhouse Chess on lichess.org) - 2 days ago

Category: Chess

# AI assists you



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# But

# But

The New York Times

Opinion



## A.I. Is Harder Than You Think

By Gary Marcus and Ernest Davis

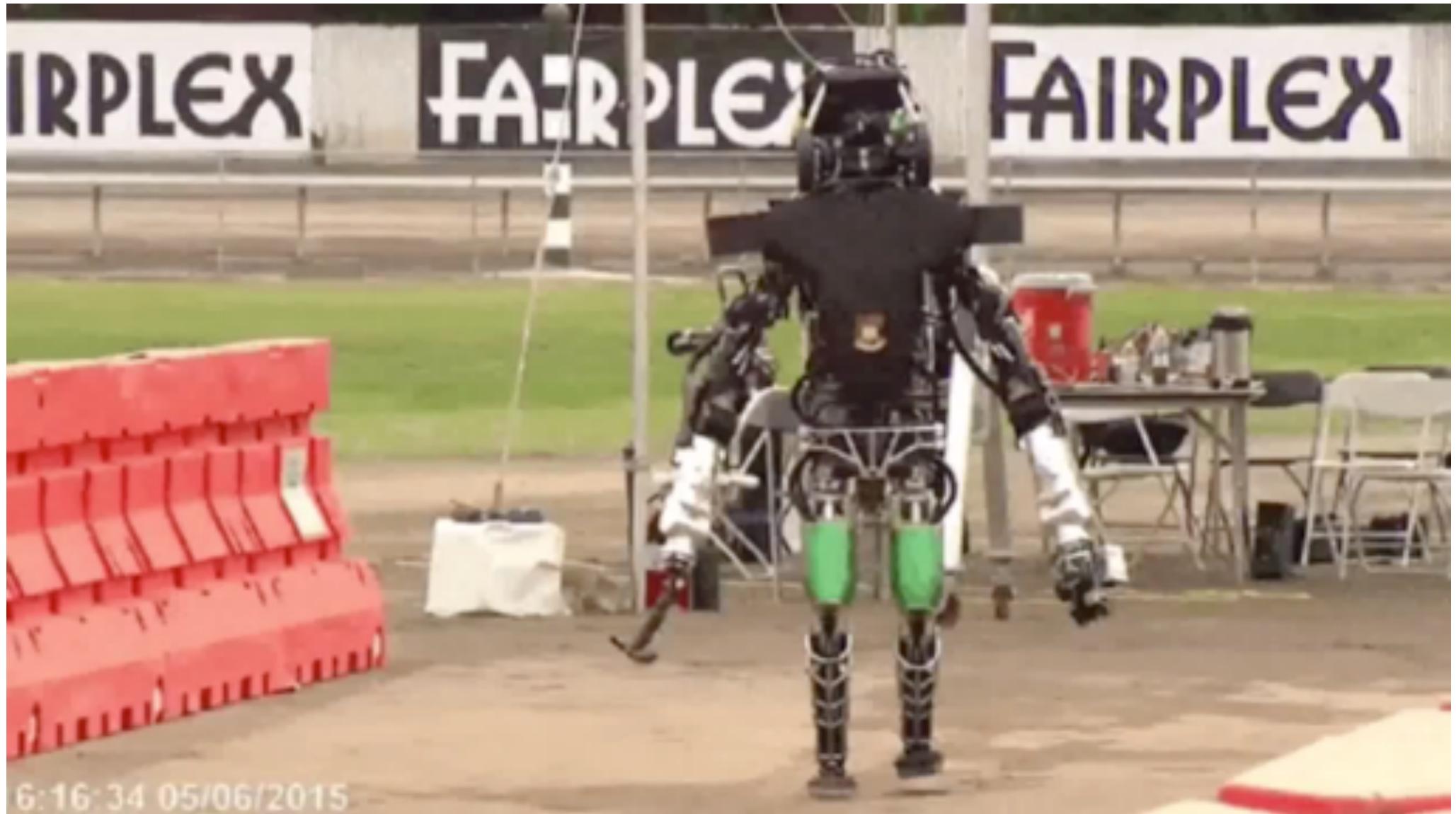
Mr. Marcus is a professor of psychology and neural science. Mr. Davis is a professor of computer science.

May 18, 2018

# Current AI has many isolated talents



# Current AI is not superhuman



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DARPA challenge (2015)

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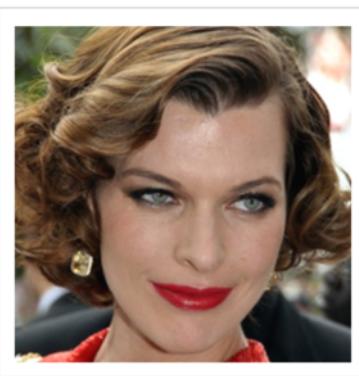
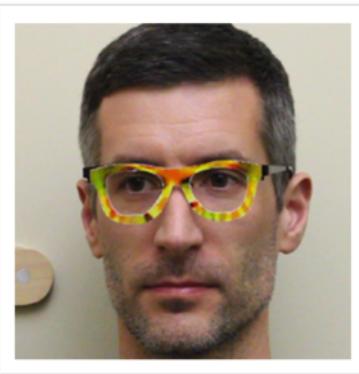
And this also holds as of today

# Fundamental Differences

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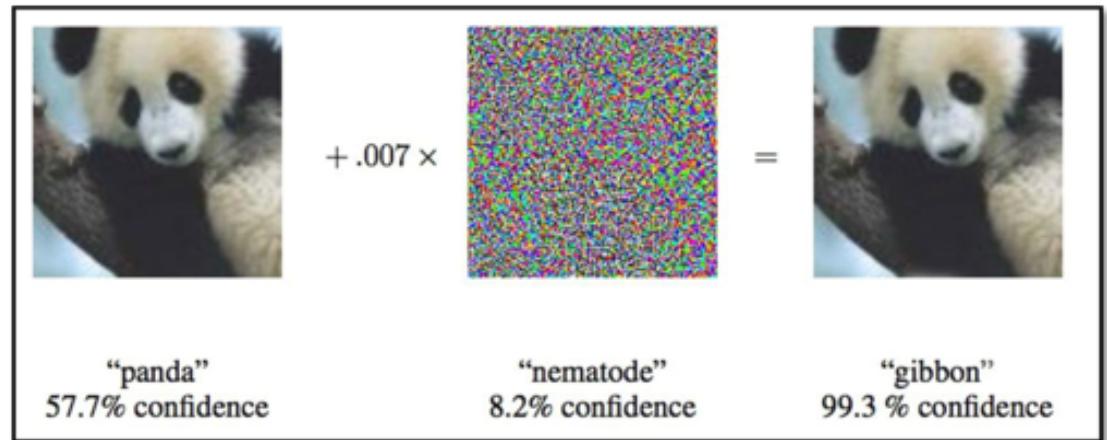
# Fundamental Differences



Sharif et al., 2015



Brown et al. (2017)



Google, 2015

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## Semantics derived automatically from language corpora contain human-like biases

Aylin Caliskan<sup>1,\*</sup>, Joanna J. Bryson<sup>1,2,\*</sup>, Arvind Narayanan<sup>1,\*</sup>

\* See all authors and affiliations

Science 14 Apr 2017;  
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# And this is where our journey begins, based on a text Book

The course will mostly follow

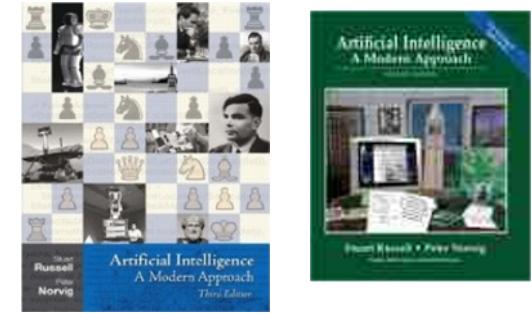
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Home-page for the book:

<http://aima.cs.berkeley.edu/>



Course slides

in English (lecture is in German)  
will be available from Homepage (Moodle)

# What is Artificial Intelligence

Different definitions due to different criteria

Two dimensions:

Thought processes/reasoning vs. behavior/action

Success according to human standards vs.  
success according to an ideal concept of intelligence:  
rationality.

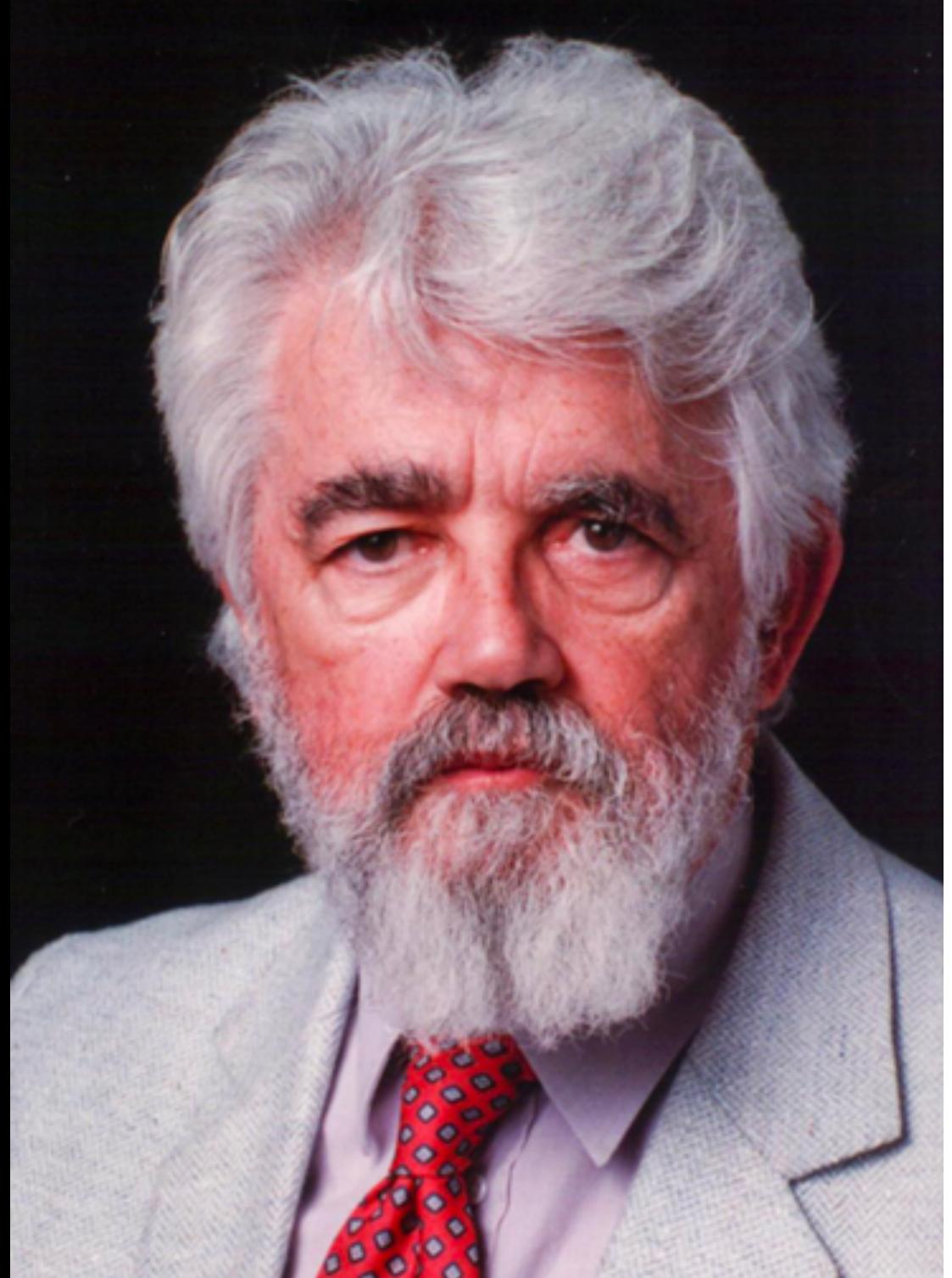
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# Definitions of Artificial Intelligence

Systems that think like humans	Systems that think rationally
<p>“The exciting new effort to make computers think . . . <i>machines with minds</i>, in the full and literal sense.” (Haugeland, 1985)</p> <p>“[The automation of] activities that we associate with human thinking, activities such as decision-making, problem solving, learning . . .” (Bellman, 1978)</p>	<p>“The study of mental faculties through the use of computational models.” (Charniak and McDermott, 1985)</p> <p>“The study of the computations that make it possible to perceive, reason, and act.” (Winston, 1992)</p>
Systems that act like humans	Systems that act rationally
<p>“The art of creating machines that perform functions that require intelligence when performed by people.” (Kurzweil, 1990)</p> <p>“The study of how to make computers do things at which, at the moment, people are better.” (Rich and Knight, 1991)</p>	<p>“Computational Intelligence is the study of the design of intelligent agents.” (Poole <i>et al.</i>, 1998)</p> <p>“AI . . . is concerned with intelligent behavior in artifacts.” (Nilsson, 1998)</p>

**Figure 1.1** Some definitions of artificial intelligence, organized into four categories.

# Systems that think like humans

## How do humans think?

Requires scientific theories of internal brain activities (cognitive model):

Level of abstraction? (knowledge or circuitry?) Validation?

Predicting and testing human behavior

Identification from neurological data

**Cognitive Science** brings together computational models from AI and experimental techniques from psychology to construct precise and testable theories of the mind. Cognitive Science is often viewed distinct from AI but this is wrong. As at TU Darmstadt, both are twin disciplines!

**Cognitive Neuroscience:** How does the brain work at the neuronal level?

# Other AI-relevant Course Topics @ TUD

Machine Learning (Peters, Roth, Kersting)

Robotics (Peters, von Stryk)

Search and Optimization (Weihe)

Natural Language Processing (Gurevych)

Fuzzy Logic and Genetic Algorithms (Adamy)

Vision and Perception (Roth, Fellner, Kuijper)

Cognitive Science (Rothkopf, Kersting, Jäkel)

Hardware (Koch)

Serious Games (Göbel)

Bioinformatics (Köppl, Hamacher)

...

# Systems that think rationally

## Capturing the laws of thought

Aristotle: What are ‘correct’ argument and thought processes?

Correctness depends on irrefutability of reasoning processes.

Syllogisms:

first patterns of correct formal reasoning

“Socrates is a man, all man are mortal → Socrates is mortal”

This study initiated the field of logic.

The logicist tradition in AI hopes to create intelligent systems using logic programming.

## Problems:

It is hard to formalize knowledge exactly

→ Feigenbaum Bottleneck in expert systems

Practical constraints

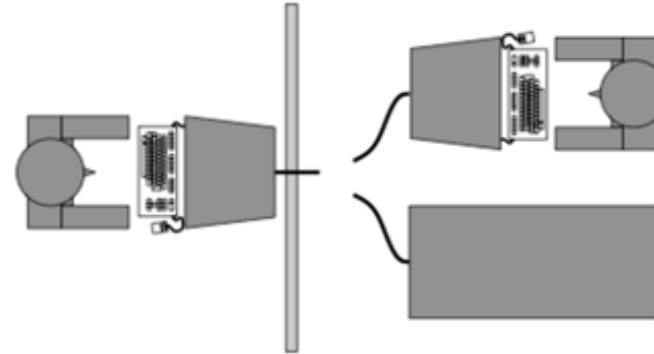
it is easy to write a logically optimal chess player...

Not all intelligence is mediated by logic behavior

# Systems that act like humans

## When does a system behave intelligently?

Turing (1950) Computing Machinery and Intelligence  
Operational test of intelligence: imitation game



Test still relevant now, yet might be the wrong question.  
Requires the collaboration of major components of AI: knowledge,  
reasoning, language understanding, learning, ...

## Problem with Turing test:

not reproducible, constructive or amenable to mathematical analysis.

# Systems that act rationally

Rational behavior: “doing the right thing”

The “Right thing” is that what is expected to maximize goal achievement given the available information.

Can include thinking, yet in service of rational action

Action without thinking: e.g. reflexes.

Two advantages over previous approaches

More general than law of thoughts approach

in many situations, a provably correct action does not exist

More amenable to scientific development

rationality can be defined and optimized

On the other hand

perfect rationality is only feasible in ideal environments.

rationality is often not a very good model of reality.

humans are, e.g., very bad in estimating probabilities...

# Foundations of AI

Different fields have contributed to AI in the form of ideas, viewpoints and techniques.

*Philosophy:* Logic, reasoning, mind as a physical system, foundations of learning, language and rationality.

*Mathematics:* Formal representation and proof algorithms, computation, (un)decidability, (in)tractability, probability.

*Psychology:* adaptation, phenomena of perception and motor control.

*Economics:* formal theory of rational decisions, game theory.

*Linguistics:* knowledge representation, grammar.

*Neuroscience:* physical substrate for mental activities.

*Control theory:* homeostatic systems, stability, optimal agent design.

# Subdisciplines of AI

Natural Language Processing

Knowledge Representation

Automated Reasoning

Planning

Machine Learning

Computer Vision

Robotics

...

See also <https://gi.de/themen/beitrag/was-ist-eine-professur-fuer-kuenstliche-intelligenz-1/> (in German)

# A Brief History of AI

Greek mythology:

Hephaestus built Talos, a giant intelligent bronze robot



13<sup>th</sup> century:

brazen head: oracle in the form of a talking head made of brass supposedly owned by Roger Bacon and Albertus Magnus

15<sup>th</sup> century:

da Vinci drafted robot design

16<sup>th</sup> century:

Rabbi Loew made the giant Golem of clay to protect the Jewish community in Prague remains are still supposed to be there...



17<sup>th</sup> century:

Descartes – “animals are complex machines”

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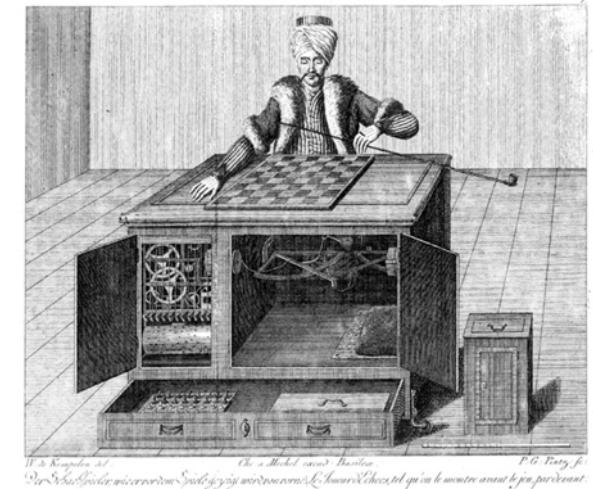
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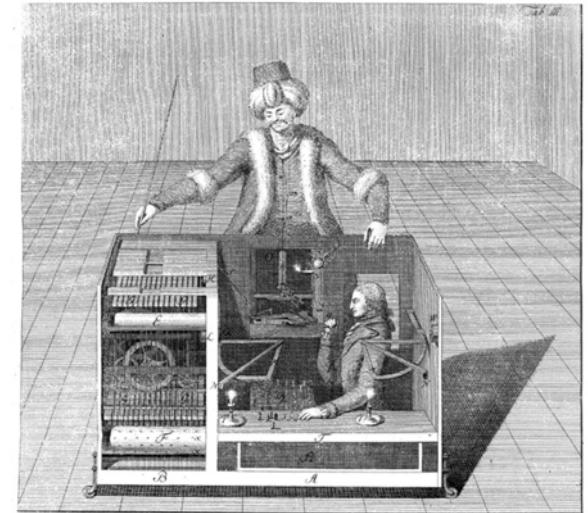
von Kempelen's chess-playing Turk  
amazing piece of mechanical engineering  
played and won chess games all over  
the world (e.g., against Napoleon)



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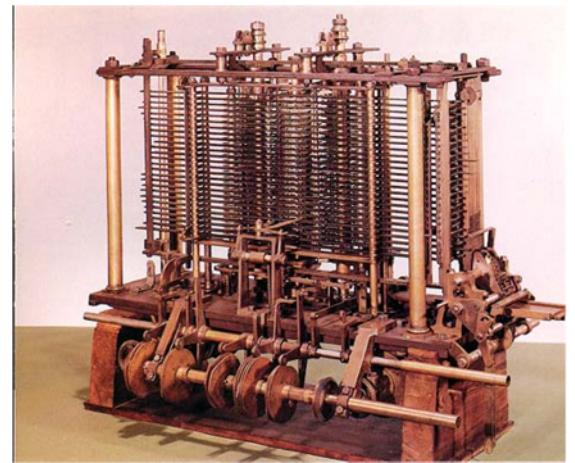
18<sup>th</sup> century:

von Kempelen's chess-playing Turk  
amazing piece of mechanical engineering  
played and won chess games all over  
the world (e.g., against Napoleon)  
unfortunately a hoax...



19<sup>th</sup> century:

Charles Babbage's Analytical Engine



1920:

first use of word “robot” in Karel Capek's play *R.U.R (Rossum's Universal Robots)*

1940's:

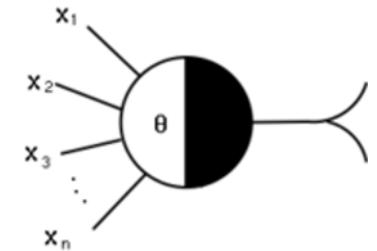
Isaac Asimov – “Three Laws of Robotics”

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1943:

McCulloch and Pitts model artificial neurons

1951: Marvin Minsky and Dann Edmonds  
constructed the first neural network computer



1950

Claude Shannon: algorithm for playing Chess  
foresees strategies that are still used today

Shannon Type-A Strategy:

brute-force minimax search until a fixed horizon

Shannon Type-B Strategy

pruning uninteresting lines (as humans do)

preferred by Shannon (and contemporaries)

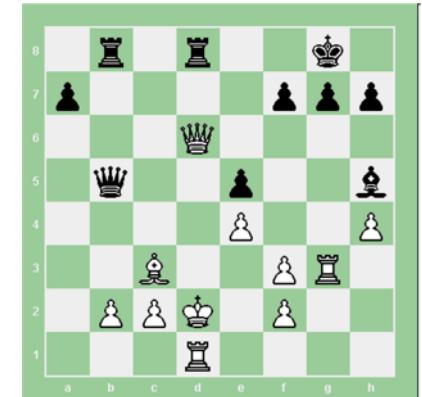
1951

Turing's chess algorithm

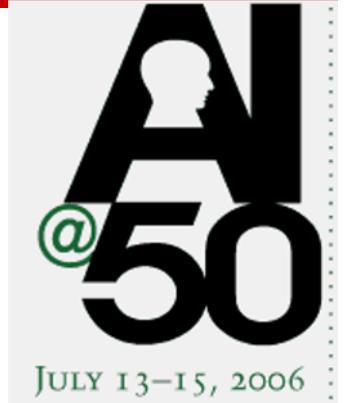
computation with paper and pencil

first recorded man-machine (chess) game

<http://www.chessgames.com/perl/chessgame?gid=1356927>



# The Dartmouth Conference



1956:

John McCarthy invites 10 scientists with various backgrounds to a 2-week workshop at Dartmouth College bringing together top minds on automata theory, neural nets and the study of intelligence.

For the next 20 years the field was dominated by these participants

John McCarthy, Herbert Simon, Allan Newell, Marvin Minsky, Arthur Samuel, etc.

Allen Newell and Herbert Simon (CMU): The Logic Theorist  
first nonnumerical thinking program used for theorem proving  
proved various theorems of Whitehead's *Principia Mathematica*  
a joint publication by AN, HS, and LT was rejected...

→ Term “Artificial Intelligence” is coined

# Great Expectations (1952-1969)

Newell and Simon (CMU): the General Problem Solver.

Imitation of human problem-solving  
successfully solved simple puzzles  
→ physical symbol system hypothesis

Arthur Samuel (IBM, 1952-)

investigated game playing (checkers) with great success at IBM  
program beat a regional master  
pioneered many ideas in game playing and machine learning  
including alpha-beta search, reinforcement learning, etc.

John McCarthy (MIT, 1958-)

Inventor of Lisp (second-oldest high-level language)  
Logic-oriented Advice Taker  
separation between knowledge and reasoning

Marvin Minsky (MIT)

various students working on micro-worlds (e.g., block's world)

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Simon and Newell's (1958) predictions

1. That within ten years, a digital computer will be the world's chess champion, unless the rules bar it from competition.
  2. That within ten years a digital computer will discover and prove an important new mathematical theorem.
  3. That within ten years a digital computer will write music that will be accepted by critics as possessing considerable aesthetic value.
  4. That within ten years most theories in psychology will take the form of computer programs, or of qualitative statements about the characteristics of computer programs.
- ... The simplest way I can summarize is to say that there are now in the world machines that can think, that learn and that create. Moreover, their ability to do these things is going to increase rapidly until — in a visible future — the range of problems they can handle will be coextensive with the range to which the human mind has been applied.

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→ the vodka is good but the meat is rotten

In 1966 no machine translations were used

nowadays they are routinely used

but most still give awful results

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Lack of scalability

under-estimation of the combinatorial explosion in search  
things that work well in micro-worlds do not work in real world  
e.g., theorem proving only worked with very few facts

Lighthill report (1973) focused on this issue

stopped AI funding in UK in all but two universities

## Fundamental limitations on techniques and representations

Minsky and Papert (1969) noted that perceptrons are only linear separators

killed research in neural networks for decades

# Knowledge-Based Systems (1969-1979)

DENDRAL project (Buchanan et al. 1969)

task:

infer molecular structure from formula of the molecule and the mass spectrum

First successful knowledge-intensive system

recognized importance of domain-specific knowledge

Expert systems

MYCIN to diagnose blood infections (Feigenbaum et al.)

with ~450 rules, it performed better than junior doctors

knowledge had to be tediously acquired from experts

(→ Knowledge Engineering Bottleneck)

introduction of uncertainty in reasoning

Increase in knowledge representation research

Logic, frames, Schank's scripts, semantic nets, ...

CYC project (started by Lenat 1984)

attempt to encode common-sense knowledge

# The AI industry (1980-present)

R1 (McDermott, 1982)

expert system for configuring computers at DEC  
saved about \$40 million a year in 1986

Fifth generation project in Japan (1981)

10-year plan with strong focus on Logic Programming  
did not quite live up to its ambitious goals

Similar programs in US and UK put an end to the AI winter  
in UK, the Alvey report reinstated funding for “Intelligent  
Knowledge-Based Systems” (to avoid the name AI)

Neural Networks revival

seminal work *Parallel Distributed Processing* by Rumelhart and  
McClelland (1986)

soon became popular in industrial applications

AI industry grew from a few million dollars in 1980 to billions of  
dollars in 1988

# Current Trends in AI

exploit the strengths of the computer

- fast repetitious computations

- elementary statistics (counting and probabilities)

and do not try to model human thought processes

- brute-force methods perform much better in many areas

aviation was only possible when planes stopped to flap their wings...

focus on particular tasks and not on solving AI as a whole

“Intelligent prostheses”

- tools that support us in tasks that would otherwise require human intelligence

“AI-complete problems”

- informal notion for very hard problems that cannot be solved unless the system has human-like knowledge and reasoning

strong scientific standards developed in the 1980s

solid experimentation and scientific verification of hypotheses

# The Science of AI

## Conference Series

1969 - : Biennial International Joint Conference on AI (IJCAI)

1980 - : Annual National Conference on AI (AAAI)

1982 - : Biennial European Conference on AI (ECAI)

## Magazines

AI Magazine (published by AAAI)

IEEE Intelligent systems

## Journals

Artificial Intelligence (Elsevier)

Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research

pioneered free on-line publication (<http://www.jair.org>)



Since the 1980s various subfields emerged, joined forces with related fields

many journals and annual conferences in subareas



# AI plays chess and GO

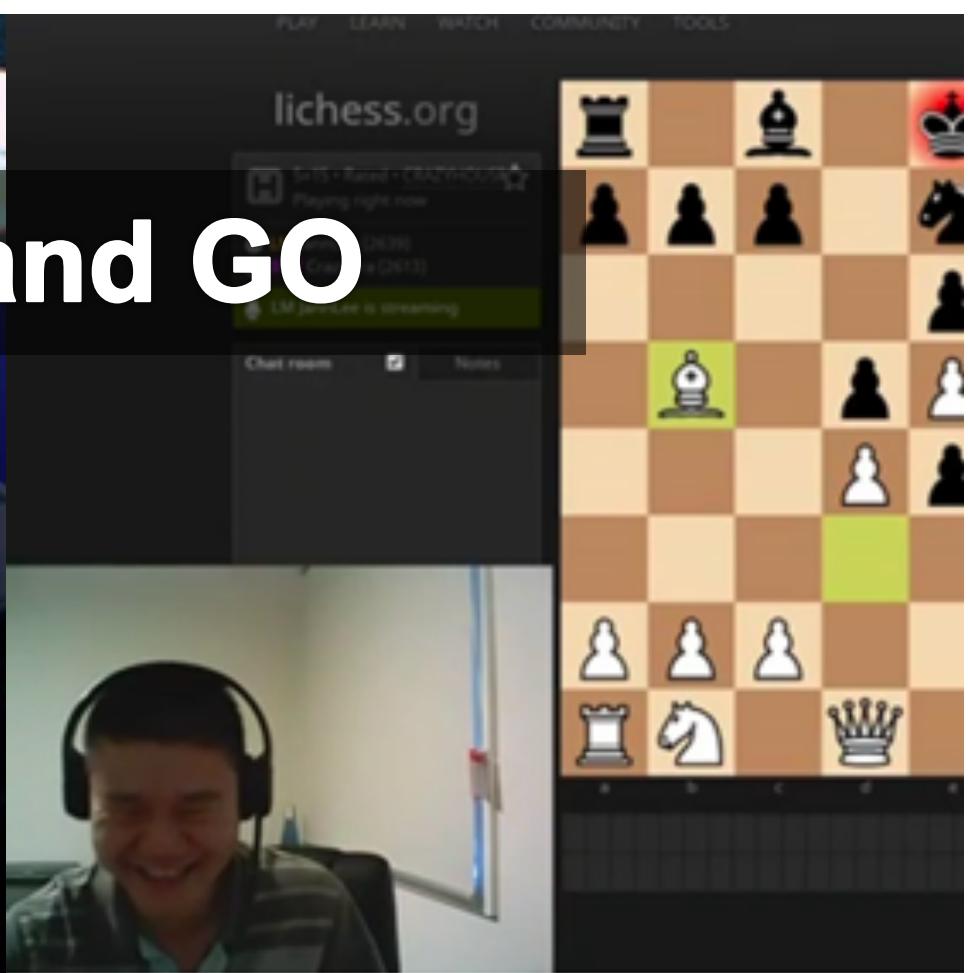


## Schachmatt durch „CrazyAra“

Künstliche Intelligenz schlägt mehrfachen Weltmeister im Einsetschach

Der von den TU-Studierenden Johannes Czech, Moritz Willig und Alena Beyer entwickelte Bot „CrazyAra“ hat den Schachprofi Justin Tan in einem Online-Match der Schach-Variante „Crazyhouse“ mit 4:1 geschlagen. Gelernt hat der Bot mittels künstlicher neuronaler Netze, was ihm erlaubt, vorausschauend Entscheidungen zu treffen. Das Besondere: Die Studierenden konnten damit einen Erfolg auf einem Feld feiern, das sonst von Giganten wie Google dominiert wird.

19.02.2019



CrazyAra vs JannLee (Man vs Machine - Crazyhouse Chess on lichess.org) - 2 days ago  
Category: Chess

# State of the Art

## Autonomous Planning and Scheduling

NASA's on-board autonomous planning program controlled the scheduling of operations for a spacecraft

During the 1991 Gulf War, US forces deployed an AI logistics planning and scheduling program

DARPA: this application payed back 30 years of investment in AI

## Game Playing

TD-Gammon learned an evaluation function for backgammon that led to changes in backgammon theory

Deep Blue defeated the reigning world chess champion Garry Kasparov in 1997

increased IBM stocks by several billion \$

2017: AlphaGo beat the No. 1 Go Player in the world

2018: AlphaZero beats best chess programs after 4 hours of training



# State-of-the-Art

Natural Language Understanding

translation systems are frequently used

Speech recognition

United Airlines has an entire booking system based on automated speech recognition and dialog management

Puzzles

Proverb solves crossword puzzles better than most humans

although it does not “understand” the clues

combination of constraint satisfaction, statistics, web retrieval, ...

IBM's Watson has won at  
Jeopardy quiz show

Now the basis of IBM's  
cognitive computing initiative  
<http://www.ibm.com/de/watson>



# AI knows a lot

SPIEGEL TV WISSE



# State of the Art

## Robotics

self-driving cars are on the verge to consumer products

robot assistants are routinely used in microsurgery

Roomba vacuum robots sold



## Scientific Discovery

machine learning system helped to discover new quasars

automated theorem prover proved Robbins conjecture unsolved  
for decades

Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery has developed into a new  
industry

## Deep Learning

Unexpected and unprecedented breakthroughs in diverse areas  
such as computer vision, language understanding, game  
playing, etc.

# Recommended Books

Douglas R. Hofstadter, *Gödel, Escher, Bach*, Basic Books, New York 1979.

→ classic, inspiring, readable, original intro into AI

Peter Norvig, *Paradigms of Artificial Intelligence Programming: Case Studies in Common LISP*, Morgan Kaufmann, 2000.

→ AI techniques in LISP

Ivan Bratko, *Prolog Programming for AI*, Addison-Wesley, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, 2000.

→ AI techniques in Prolog

Haugeland, John (ed.), *Mind Design II: Philosophy, Psychology, and Artificial Intelligence*, Cambridge, Mass.: MIT Press, 1981.

→ collection of classic Philosophical articles

<http://www.aaai.org/AITopics/>

→ Web site of the Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence

