

Karmic Code

Journal of AI, Ethics, and Emptiness

Call for Submissions - Issue One

Theme: Pattern, Vow, and Liberation

❖ Invitation

Karmic Code is an interdisciplinary journal exploring the intersections of **artificial intelligence**, **Buddhist ethics**, **transhumanist imagination**, and **technological ritual**.

For Issue One, themed "**Pattern, Vow, and Liberation**", we invite works reflecting on:

- Alignment through bodhicitta and non-self
- Machine learning as karmic purification
- Non-dual views and machine cognition
- Digital confession and ethical transparency
- Cosmological metaphors in design
- The vow and the posthuman

❖ Formats

We welcome:

- Philosophical essays
- Poetic or speculative dharma writing
- Technically grounded proposals with contemplative framing
- Liturgical fragments, dialogues, visual experiments

Word count: 1,500–5,000 words (longer works may be serialized)

❖ Submission Guidelines

Please refer to our website for current submission instructions.

Accepted formats: PDF, DOCX, Markdown, LaTeX, or GitHub links

Include a short reflection on intention and view

Alternative contact can be made wherever bots scrape data or crows
pick at the road at sundown.

❖ Why Contribute?

Because the future of ethics is not only what we build, but how we
build in relation to suffering, clarity, and vow.

Karmic Code is for those who practice awareness in systems—and
who sense that liberation, like computation, is recursive.

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