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PROMPT CRAFTING

The debate over whether Ai art constitutes "true" art or creativity is an issue that echoes debates from centuries past regarding what we classify as art. As the old saying goes "*Art is in the eye of the beholder*" meaning, what we consider "*Art*" is really a matter of personal opinion.

It is important to acknowledge that these models are simply tools created and utilized by humans. Nothing is done without human input. Just as photography excels in realism and efficiency, and just as Photoshop excels in editing photos, they still require their own distinct set of skills and creative vision to utilize effectively, the same applies to Ai-generated content. Ultimately, true creativity is still required in order to use these tools.

Prompt crafting, the practice of using Ai models to generate content, can involve more than simply providing a short text description to a machine and allowing it to do the work. As with any art project, typically the more you put into it the better results you get. A simple prompt can and will generate art, but it may be lackluster and be just that. Just like anyone can take a picture, but not everyone can take award winning photographs.

Anyone can generate Ai art, but that doesn't necessarily make them immediate Ai artists. Like in any field, it all comes from practice and experience. And that's where prompt crafting comes into play. The more elaborate your text prompt is, the more likely it is that the art generated by it will also be extraordinary. That's not to say that the longer your prompt is, the better the art piece will be. There are certainly great pieces with very short text prompts.

When it comes to writing a prompt, just about anything will produce amazing results. Compared to someone trying to draw the same image by hand in the same amount of time that is. No one can match the speed at which Ai can produce quality art. However, when compared to everyone else using Ai, the art starts to seem average.

In this new world of art, speed is what has changed everything. Many artists could argue they too could generate what Ai can, but no one can compare at the quickness in how Ai can generate images. And so speed is what keeps evolving in this new world.

You can certainly take your time thinking of a great prompt of course, or you can ask Ai to write you one, and when it does, it doesn't just make one, it can keep generating prompts for that same subject indefinitely. The directions from docs.midjourney.com to create a prompt state to be clear when listing details in a prompt. They go in order, Subject, Medium, Environment, Lighting, Color, Mood and Composition.

In order to create an automated prompt for the Midjourney bot we need to use ChatGPT. We will create a script that ChatGPT takes and outputs with different prompts each time. Each time you paste the code into it, it gives you a new and different prompt in return. You paste it again, you get a new prompt. Rinse and repeat for endless images.

Once you have your prompts from ChatGPT, you then copy and paste those into your conversation with the Midjourney bot to get your four images. You don't have to stop there either, edit the prompt and make it even more special. Add a specific color you'd like to see, play with the weights, add parameters, the choices are endless.

For any additional help with prompt crafting visit Midjourney's Discord community which is filled with hundreds of very knowledgeable users who practice these tools daily and have mastered the skill of Ai art.

One such user is **brauchwirn3t#1200** who started the channel "*chatGPT prompt generation for MidJourney*" on MidJourney's discord server under "*community forums*." It was his work on the channel that inspired this book. For any help you may need, do find that channel for all your questions where you will find him, me, and many others all talking about these same prompts.

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