

The Upgrade

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In our lives, we try to make decisions that increase the possibility of a moral outcome. As humans, we are imperfect moral agents constrained by our biology. Overcoming these limitations should be the aim of any individual. One method of overcoming our flawed moral decision making process is to design a tool that will adhere to stated moral principles with a greater discipline than us.

Project aims

The aim of this study is to leverage the advancements of computing to create a system that will make more moral choices than those made by a human. Current attempts have fallen short at achieving these ends and resulted in hyperspecific reward seeking behaviour.

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If you agree with this reasoning and think that you have a valuable skillset for the pursuit of these aims, contact me by email or phone on the details provided below. If you justifiably disagree, then your perspective could be valuable and you should contact me also.

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