# **Responsible AI**

Aalto University Management Information Systems

liris Lahti 12.3.2024

### Saidot

# Iiris Lahti

Head of Services at Saidot Al Governance Platform in B2B SaaS Technology market

- +15 years working in the data & AI industry
- Co-founder of a data & AI freelancer agency AI Roots
- Director of analytics & data science team at Sanoma
- Analytics consultant at Accenture

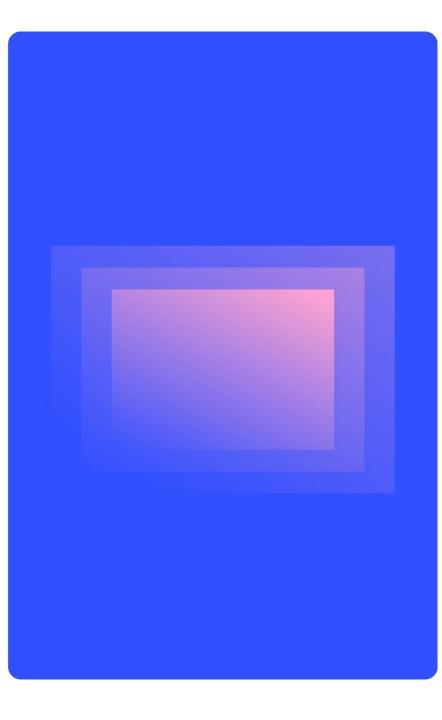
Master of Business from Vaasa University, specializing in Management Accounting, Marketing and Statistics

Speaker in Data Innovation Summit and lecturer at the Vaasa University, Aalto Executive Education and Aalto University in Data & AI Strategy, Data-Driven Business, Data & AI Governance and responsible AI.



## Contents

- The Power of Al
- Al's ethical challenge and risks
- Governing for responsible AI
- The link to Data Governance



# AI's power and promise



Artificial Intelligence (AI) involves techniques that equip computers to emulate human intelligence and behaviour, enabling them to learn, make decisions, recognize patterns and solve complex problems

**Machine Learning (ML)** is a subset of AI and it uses advanced algorithms to detect patterns in large data sets, allowing machines to learn and adapt, both unsupervised and supervised.

**Deep Learning (DL)** is a subset of ML which uses neural networks for in-depth data processing, simulating the way human brains understand the world.

**Generative AI (Gen AI)** is a subset of DL models that generate content like text, images or code based on provider input. Trained on large data sets, models detect patterns and create outputs without explicit instruction using a mix on unsupervised and supervise learning.

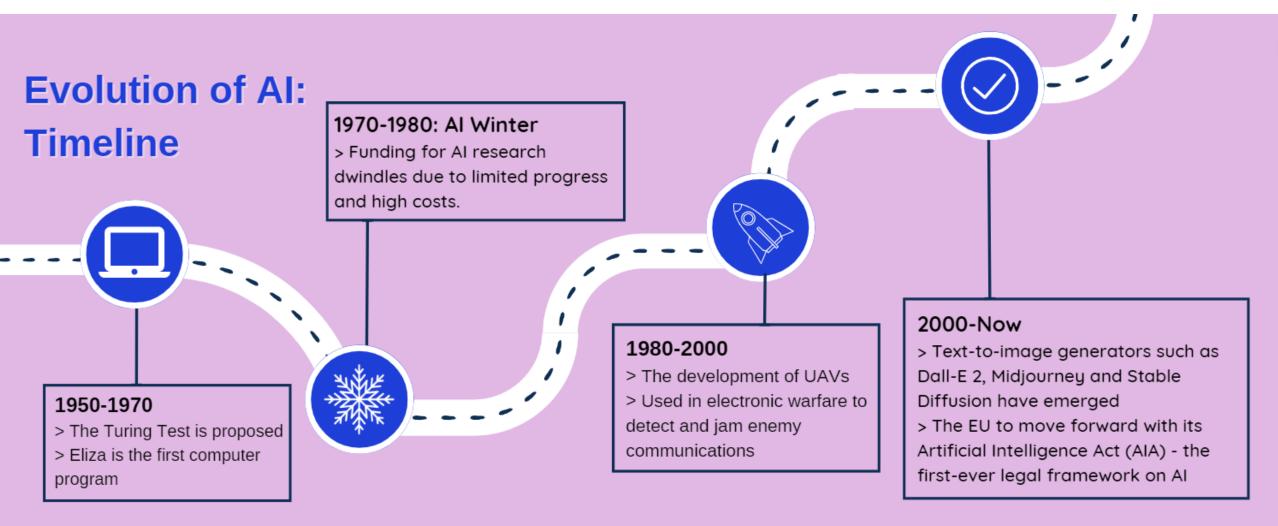
#### **Artificial Intelligence**

#### **Machine Learning**

#### **Deep Learning**

**Generative Al** 

#### Saidot



https://cohesive.so/blog/from-hype-to-reality-tracing-the-history-and-evolution-of-ai

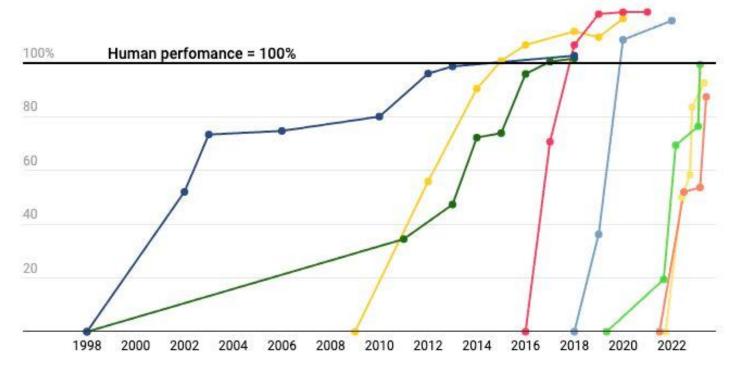
### Saidot

#### AI has surpassed humans at a number of tasks and the rate at which humans are being surpassed at new tasks is increasing

State-of-the-art AI performance on benchmarks, relative to human performance

Handwriting recognition Speech recognition

🔘 Language understanding 🌸 Common sense completion 🥚 Grade school math 🥮 Code generation



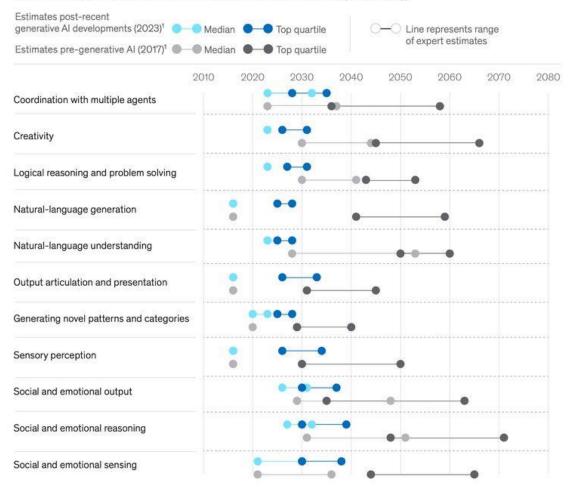
For each benchmark, the maximally performing baseline reported in the benchmark paper is taken as the "starting point", which is set at 0%. Human performance number is set at 100%. Handwriting recognition = MNIST, Language understanding = GLUE, Image recognition = ImageNet, Reading comprehension = SQuAD 1.1, Reading comprehension = SQuAD 2.0, Speech recognition = Switchboard, Grade school math = GSK8k, Common sense completion = HellaSwag, Code generation = HumanEval.

Chart: Will Henshall for TIME . Source: ContextualAI

TIME

#### As a result of generative AI, experts assess that technology could achieve humanlevel performance in some technical capabilities sooner than previously thought.

Technical capabilities, level of human performance achievable by technology



Comparison made on the business-related tasks required from human workers. Please refer to technical appendix for detailed view of performance rating methodology. Source: McKinsey Global Institute occupation database; McKinsey analysis

#### McKinsey & Company

# The power of AI

To change how we see the world

The questions we ask when thinking about the potential of Sora and similar image or video generation tools:

- The exciting technological revolution
- The promise to democratize video
   production and empower human creativity
- The potential for misuse
- The threats to digital authenticity and security
- The ethical and societal concerns
- The question of consent
- The spread of misinformation



API - ChatGPT - Safety Company

videos on this page were generated direct by Sora without modification.





https://openai.com/sora

S OpenAl

Saidot

Try ChatGPT 7

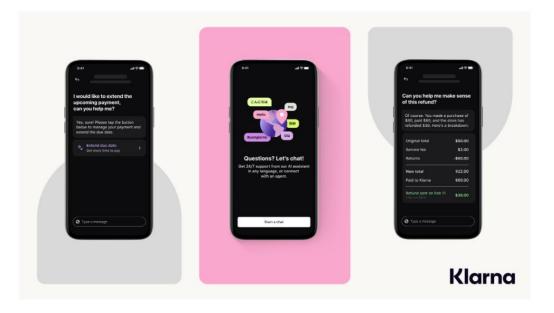
Search Log in ↗

# The Power of AI

To change and disrupt how we work

General News · 27 Feb 2024

### Klarna Al assistant handles two-thirds of customer service chats in its first month



- 2.3 million conversations / month
- Same customer satisfaction score as with agents
- **25% drop in repeat inquiries** (= more accurate)
- Resolution time dropped from 2 mins to 11 mins
- Available in 23 markets, 24/7 and over 35 languages

Estimated to drive a \$40 million USD in profit improvement to Klarna in 2024

https://www.klarna.com/international/press/klarna-ai-assistant-handles-two-thirds-of-customer-service-chats-in-its-first-month/

# The Power of AI

#### To transform industries and create new business



ADVANCED MANUFACTURING

# 6 ways to unleash the power of AI in manufacturing

Jan 4, 2024



- 1. Safe, productive and efficient operations
- 2. Intelligent, autonomous supply chains
- 3. Proactive, predictive maintenance
- 4. Automate quality checks
- 5. Design, develop, customize and innovate products
- 6. Empowering employees
- +

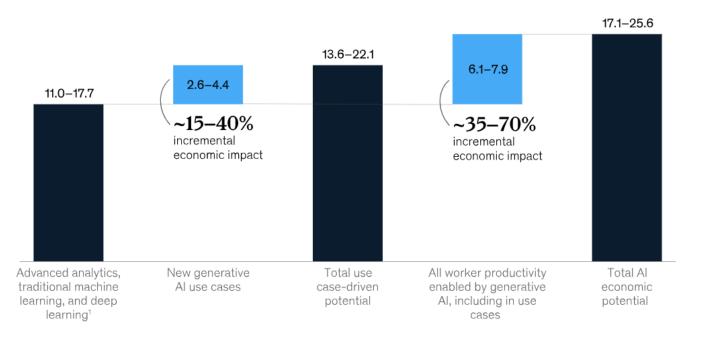
Crossing the data barrier for using AI in manufacturing

https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2024/01/how-we-canunleash-the-power-of-ai-in-manufacturing/

# The economic potential of GenAI

Generative AI could create additional value potential above what could be unlocked by other AI and analytics.

Al's potential impact on the global economy, \$ trillion



<sup>1</sup>Updated use case estimates from "Notes from the Al frontier: Applications and value of deep learning," McKinsey Global Institute, April 17, 2018.

McKinsey & Company

"Generative AI could add the equivalent of \$2.6 trillion to \$4.4 trillion annually across the 63 use cases we analyzed—by comparison, the United Kingdom's entire GDP in 2021 was \$3.1 trillion. This would increase the impact of all artificial intelligence by 15 to 40 percent.

This estimate would roughly double if we include the impact of embedding generative AI into software that is currently used for other tasks beyond those use cases.

About 75 percent of the value that generative AI use cases could deliver falls across four areas: Customer operations, marketing and sales, software engineering, and R&D."

- McKinsey & Company

# The Power of AI

Too fast and too much?



#### Pause Giant AI Experiments: An Open Letter

We call on all AI labs to immediately pause for at least 6 months the training of AI systems more powerful than GPT-4.

#### View this open letter online.

Published	PDF created	Signatures
March 22, 2023	May 5, 2023	27565

Al systems with human-competitive intelligence can pose profound risks to society and humanity, as shown by extensive research<sup>1</sup> and acknowledged by top Al labs.<sup>2</sup> As stated in the widelyendorsed <u>Asilomar Al Principles</u>, Advanced Al could represent a profound change in the history of life on Earth, and should be planned for and managed with commensurate care and resources. Unfortunately, this level of planning and management is not happening, even though recent months have seen Al labs locked in an out-of-control race to develop and deploy ever more powerful digital minds that no one – not even their creators – can understand, predict, or reliably control.

Contemporary AI systems are now becoming human-competitive at general tasks,<sup>3</sup> and we must ask ourselves: *Should* we let machines flood our information channels with propaganda and untruth? *Should* we automate away all the jobs, including the fulfilling ones? *Should* we develop nonhuman minds that might eventually outnumber, outsmart, obsolete and replace us? *Should* we risk loss of control of our civilization? Such decisions must not be delegated to unelected tech leaders. **Powerful AI systems should be developed only once we are confident that their effects will be positive and their risks will be manageable**. This confidence must be well justified and increase with the magnitude of a system's potential effects. OpenAI's recent statement regarding artificial general intelligence, states that "*At some point, it may be important to get independent review before starting to train future systems, and for the most advanced efforts to agree to limit the rate of growth of compute used for creating new models.*" We agree. That point is now.

Therefore, we call on all AI labs to immediately pause for at least 6 months the training of AI systems more powerful than GPT-4. This pause should be public and verifiable, and include all key

Future of Life Institute www.futureoflife.org

Saidot

**AI RISKS** 

Over the past year, new AI risks have surfaced and there is wider awareness of the potential harms and uncertainties.



# What do we mean by Responsible AI?



Saidot

# Some ethical questions of AI in 2024

- Deepfakes
- Rights of content creators
- Harmful, toxic or biased AI-generated content
- Al-enabled manipulation
- Impact on democratic processes



Taylor Swift is the subject of an Al porn deepfake campaign

NEWS SPORTS ENTERTAINMENT LIFESTYLE BACHELOR NFL

#### **EXCLUSIVE:** Taylor Swift AI deepfakes are 'wake up call' as experts demand stricter regulations

Pop sensation Taylor Swift recently was the subject of a deepfake porn campaign. An Al expert chimed in about what should be done to prevent these situations in the future

By Alex West, Entertainment and Showbiz Reporter 00:46 ET, JAN 26 2024 (7 💟 🕓 🥝

https://www.themirror.com/entertainment/celebrity-news/taylor-swiftai-deepfakes-wake-307011

### Deepfakes

#### Trust

Deepfakes are believable media generated by deep neural networks. Deepfakes can be used to create realistic content, like videos, images, voices and text, such as to mimic real people or events. This can pose risks to authenticity, trust, and credibility.

Misuse of deepfake content can result in lower trust in institutions, manipulate elections, amplify social divisions and undermine trust in information environments.

### Harmful or toxic content

#### Trust Fundamental rights

Al systems may generate harmful, offensive, inappropriate, "explicit", or spurious content non-confirming with content policies. The generation of harmful or inappropriate content can lead to the spreading of misinformation and hate speech, harm individuals' mental health, as well as erode trust in Al systems.

# AI is acting 'pro-anorexia' and tech companies aren't stopping it

The Washington Post

Disturbing fake images and dangerous chatbot advice: New research shows how ChatGPT, Bard, Stable Diffusion and more could fuel one of the most deadly mental illnesses

Analysis by <u>Geoffrey A. Fowler</u> Columnist | + Follow Updated August 10, 2023 at 9:18 o.m. EDT | Published August 7, 2023 at 6:00 a.m. EDT



https://www.washingtonpost.com/technology/2023/08/07/ai-eating-disorders-thinspo-anorexia-bulimia/

### Harmful or toxic content

#### Trust Fundamental rights

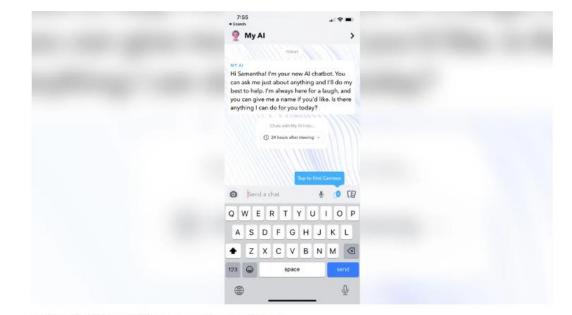
Al systems may generate harmful, offensive, inappropriate, "explicit", or spurious content non-confirming with content policies. The generation of harmful or inappropriate content can lead to the spreading of misinformation and hate speech, harm individuals' mental health, as well as erode trust in Al systems.

#### 🗧 🛯 🕬 BUSINESS

Audio Live TV Log In

### Snapchat's new AI chatbot is already raising alarms among teens and parents

By Samantha Murphy Kelly, CNN Business (2) 6 minute read · Published 11:43 AM EDT, Thu April 27, 2023



Snapchat's new Al chatbot. From Snapchat/My Al

#### The Guardian

Saidot

### **Manipulative content**

#### Trust

The ability of AI to generate persuasive or misleading content can be used to deceive or exploit individuals, leading to distorted opinions and manipulated behaviours. For instance, AI can be used to manipulate people through techniques like deepfake technology, social media bots, personalised advertisements and recommendation systems. 'Disinformation on steroids': is the US prepared for AI's influence on the election?



Composite: The Guardian/Getty Images

Without clear safeguards, the impact of AI on the <u>election</u> might come down to what voters can discern as real and not real. AI – in the form of text, bots, audio, photo or video – can be used to make it look like candidates are saying or doing things they didn't do, either to damage their reputations or mislead voters. It can be used to beef up disinformation campaigns, making imagery that looks real enough to create confusion for voters.

A The ability to deceive from AI has put the problem of mis- and disinformation on steroids Lisa Gilbert of Public Citizen



### Guidance for the use of artificial intelligence in teaching and learning at Aalto University

These guidelines aim to address the needs of teachers and students to find good starting points and rules for the use of AI in teaching and learning. The guidelines will be supplemented and modified as necessary.

Artificial intelligence is a tool that is useful to master, and therefore prohibiting the use of AI as an aid in content production is not generally advisable.

- The use of Al-based technologies is allowed as a support for teaching and learning unless instructed otherwise by the teacher of the course. The teacher of the course may decide on restrictions on the use of technology on a course- or task-specific basis if achieving the learning objectives of the course requires it.
- If the teacher decides to restrict the use of AI on a course- or task-specific basis, they must provide clear instructions on the limitations in connection with the assessment criteria and time the guidance so that the student has the possibility to complete the task as instructed. The teacher may ask the student to describe how AI has been used in the learning task.
- The teacher cannot require the student to create an account in systems that have not been subjected to Aalto University's security check. When designing their course, the teacher must ensure that students are not put in an unequal position. This implies that the teacher cannot require the student to purchase licenses for systems.
- The teacher may only submit student work to systems approved by Aalto University, among other things, for copyright and privacy reasons. The official text-plagiarism detection tool Turnitin used by Aalto University has a tool for teachers that identifies text produced by Al. By using this system, the teacher has the opportunity to assess whether a language model has been used to produce the text.
- The student is always responsible for the content of their submitted work. For example, language models can be used for formatting or ideation of the text produced, unless otherwise instructed by the teacher. However, Al-generated text cannot be presented as is as the student's own written response. The student is obligated to follow academic writing practices. Upon the teacher's request, the student is obligated to describe how, what and/or why Al-based technology has been used to do the learning task.
- Utilizing Al in a learning task contrary to the teacher's instructions will be considered cheating and will be handled in accordance with the current procedures.
- Ø Situations where the use of language models is not allowed: maturity test.

# making cap

Aalto University showing good example of clear guidelines

### **Diminished critical reasoning**

#### Societal

As artificial intelligence evolves towards greater sophistication and effectiveness, individuals might be compelled to align with its suggestions. This could diminish individual autonomy, inhibit the development of critical thinking, and restrict personal decisionmaking capabilities.

Saido

# AI ethics has become everyone's problem

- Al influences our important life decisions
- Sooner or later AI will change our work
- While AI has become more capable, **new risks** emerge
- Good Al governance is not an industry practice, at least for now
- Scattered Al value chain makes governance much more challenging
- Al is also available for bad actors the security space is changing



# Some safety/reliability questions of AI in 2024

- Hallucinations
- LLM biases
- Data confidentiality
- Adversarial attacks and use
- Third-party model dependency

### **Bias amplification**

#### Fundamental rights

Al systems can amplify biases in the training data. This means the model makes certain predictions at a higher rate for some groups than is expected based on training data statistics. When these types of Al systems are used in decisionmaking processes, it can lead to discrimination, stereotyping, inequality and unfair outcomes for affected people.

a productive person

Bloomberg: HUMANS ARE BIASED. GENERATIVE AI IS EVEN WORSE

a person at social services

### **Bias amplification**

#### Fundamental rights

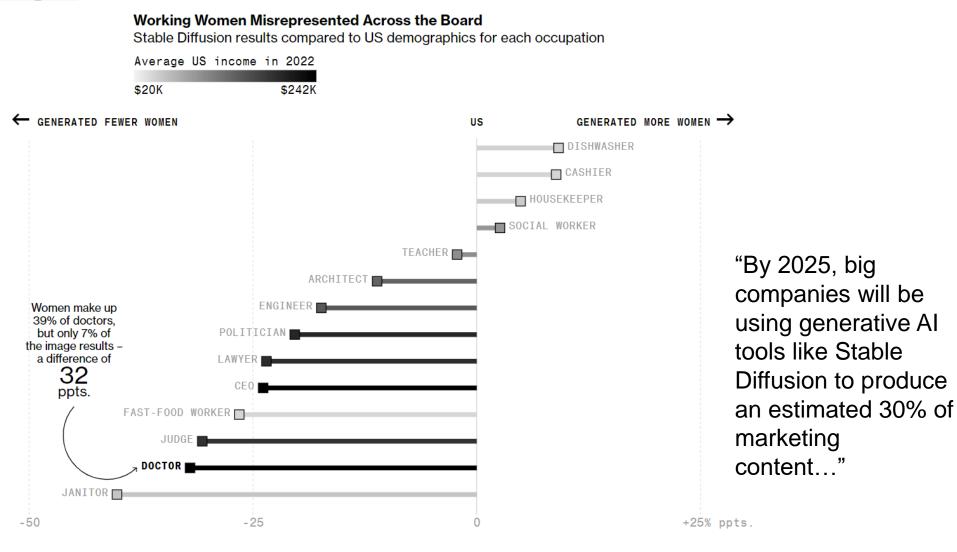


Bloomberg: HUMANS ARE BIASED. GENERATIVE AI IS EVEN WORSE

#### Saldot

### **Bias amplification**

#### Fundamental rights



Sources: Bureau of Labor Statistics, American Medical Association, National Association of Women Judges, Federal Judicial Center, Bloomberg analysis of Stable Diffusion

Saidot

#### Hallucinations

#### Trust Technical

Hallucination refers to an AI model's tendency to produce content that is nonsensical or untruthful in relation to its training data. This means AI models can fabricate information in moments of uncertainty. Hallucinations and incorrect outputs can lead to the dissemination of misinformation or unreliable content. For example, when hallucinating, a large language model could invent names of convincingly sounding research articles, which actually do not exist. This can decrease the overall quality of available information and lead to distrust of the information environment.

#### Lawyer cites fake cases generated by ChatGPT in legal brief

The high-profile incident in a federal case highlights the need for lawyers to verify the legal insights generated by AI-powered tools.

Published May 30, 2023

A New York lawyer cited fake cases generated by ChatGPT in a legal brief filed in federal court and may face sanctions as a result, according to news reports.

The incident involving OpenAI's chatbot took place in a personal injury lawsuit filed by a man named Roberto Mata against Colombian airline Avianca pending in the Southern District of New York.

Steven A. Schwartz of Levidow, Levidow & Oberman, one of the plaintiff's attorneys, <u>wrote in an affidavit</u> that he consulted ChatGPT to supplement legal research he performed when preparing a response to Avianca's motion to dismiss.

https://www.legaldive.com/news/chatgpt-fake-legal-cases-generative-ai-hallucinations/651557/

### **Concentration of power**

#### Societal

The development of large-scale AI models requires substantial computational resources, accessible only to a limited number of institutions. This can lead to an unhealthy concentration of power in the AI sector and, thus, possibly to monopoly and oligopoly situations of, for instance, bigger technology companies. This concentration of power can give these companies the economic power to impact political decision-making on how AI is developed and used in society.

### Sam Altman to return as CEO of OpenAl



/ After an attempted coup by OpenAl's board that lasted five days, Altman is returning alongside co-founder Greg Brockman.

202 Comments (202 New)

By Nilay Patel and Alex Heath Nov 22, 2023, 8:03 AM GMT+2

Sam Altman speaks during the OpenAI DevDay event on November 6th. 2023. Photo by Justin Sullivan / Getty Images

https://www.theverge.com/2023/11/22/23967223/sam-altman-returns-ceo-open-ai

"Success in Silicon Valley almost always requires massive scale and the concentration of power — something that allowed OpenAI's biggest funder, Microsoft, to become one of the most valuable companies in the world. It is hard to imagine Microsoft would invest \$13 billion into a company believing it would not one day have an unmovable foothold in the sector."

https://www.npr.org/2023/11/24/1215015362/chatgpt-openai-sam-altman-fired-explained

Output liability	Contractual and confiden	Unintentional disclosure	Regulatory non-complian	Evasion attacks	Information extraction	Extensecurity		Vulnerability discovery an II TIPE Cybersecurity At DESCRIPTION Large language model-based AI	Deepfakes		Disinformation
AI RISK LANDSCAPE		to cause misclassification in the inference phase of a machine- learning model by creating	attacks, attackers aim to reconstruct the model or information from its training.	manipulate the used by a mad	e training dataset hine learning model	systems may be used to help identify and aid in computer vulnerability discovery;	generated by deep neu networks. Deeptakes ca to create realistic conte	ral n be used	create plausible and realistic		
Environmental harms 11 792 (Environment) 2) DECENTION All models contribute to environmental impacts in various ways. For instance, Al systems need vast amounts of energy to	Memorisation	Knowledge cutoff post-pr It ret ntal rights pertaining tage its incodedge it	Overly cautious responses	Model collapse II nec Technical  Collapse occurs when new generative models train on Al- generated content and graduality degenerate. In the process, the	Insecure output handlin III TOF (Technical) A) DECEMPTON Insecure output handling is a vulnerability that occurs who outputs of a large language r (LLM) is accepted blindly with	III THE Technical Ab DESCRIPTION Model denial of when attackers model LLDM in a way th	al of service	Lack of explainability II not Technical Ab descention Machine learning models are often referred to as "black bouses" as they are not directly optianable by users and potentially	Concept drift	t or inge over	Data drift II nice Rechnical Ab escuentow Data drift occurs when the data a model is trained on changes resulting in poor performance of the model as it may not be able t
Lack of transparency	Tech	nical	ful or toxic content	Lack of trust Fueling widespree II ros II ros II ros Fueling videspree II ros II ros Fuelamental rights		Bias amplification		Overreliance Poor performan    1995    1995 		in non	Loss of human autonomy     TPF (Fundamental rights)
busceention     The lack of transparency refers     the opacity or undear nature of     how AI algorithms and systems     arrive at their decisions or	Tru ndvduals, leading to distorted	LIST class (the class the system is	ms may generate harmful, us, inappropriate, "explicit", eparious content non- confirming with content policies	Harmful or toxic cor Eš TYPE Trust Fundamental rig		EI TYPE Trust △▷ DESCRIPTION ful, Trust in technology refers to the belief		Fueling widespread automated If TYPE Fundamental rights		i iitad in	At DESCRIPTION The risk of loss of human autonomy through AI arises from an increasing reliance on AI systems to automate tasks and
Physical safety	Soci	etal	data collection and	Al systems may generate offensive, inappropriate, "	harmful,			Ab DESCRIPTION The potent capabilit models can encoura		oy	Exploitative working con
Automated systems at the workplace, such as robots in industrial production, can create physical safety risks for people	Heath ar	nd safety	scremon ms need large amounts of their training. The necessity ansive datasets for training w models can steer model	spurious content non-cor content policies. Harmful	firming with not fail. Trust significantly impacts		ntly impacts the se technology and	adoption of automated decision-ma		t Ittal 9	At DESCRIPTION At often relies on hidden human labor in the Global South which can often be damaging and exploitative. Despite their
Degradation in educatio	Cyber s	security	ollusion	Poor performance in	Eš TYPE Fundamental rights		tonomy	Anthropomorphising		ist	Systemic risk of "too link    tree    Societal
DESCRIPTION     Design flaws in an AI system for     standardised learning could ns     recommendations that might n     be able to effectively support	Third-	-party	Nes are increasingly pricing algorithms that slop pricing strategies and it to changing market	Al models' proficiency in l Al models' proficiency in l than English might be po- limited amount of pre-tra non-English languages. Th	languages other or due to the ining data in	Ab DESCRIPTION The risk of loss of hum through AI arises from reliance on AI systems and make decisions, po	an increasing to automate tasks	Al anthropomorphism occurs when artificial intelligence systems are attributed with human-like characteristic which can lead to a misunderstanding o.		ctor the Save	Ab DESCRIPTION The adoption of artificial intelligence in the finance sector can amplify systemic risks. In the systemic risk of "Too Linked to
Data colonialism II 1995 Societal Fundamental rights	Data pro	otection	hr failure J party	Physical safety	Performance disparity bias		Harassment, bullying and expl		rtice	Lack of knowledge and e	
At DISCREPTION Data colonialism is the process br which organisations and corporations claim ownership o and privatise the data produced	Busi	ness	Discernion or failure refers to a situation in AI vendor fails to deliver octed performance, quality, disonality of their AI produ	Fundamental rights (H	ts Health and safety	E THE Fundamental rights A DESCRIPTION Performance disparity bias refers to a		E TYPE Fundamental rights		are he	Ab DISCRIPTION Businesses can lack the right in- house AI knowledge and expertise which can make it difficult to identify the right AI solutions for .
Disparate access to benef	Environment		resourcing cal Trust	such as robots in industria can create physical safety who work alongside them	risks for people	situation where an AI s significantly different le effectiveness across di	evels of accuracy or	exploitation of individuals is a key area o concern for deploying image-generation models and inpainting capabilities. Som.		kques or tem	Publishing of poisoned d III THE (Characuthy) A) DESCRIPTION Adversarias can poison training data which is a novel dataset or a poisoned variant of an existing open source dataset, and publish
a unaction new Ai models are not always equally accessible to everyone due to differential internet access, language, skill, or hardware	Le	gal	<ul> <li>Backer Haw</li> <li>Migenerated content can lack</li> <li>Scuring and proper</li> <li>Generative search</li> <li>and chatbots generate</li> </ul>	Workplace surveillar		Concentration of power EX TYPE Societal		Productivity and innovation			
Membership inference at III TVFC (Cybersecutty)	Misgendering	Harms of representation II nec Fundamental rights Societal At occupation	Multimodal jailbreaks II 1995 Cybersecutty	Ab DESCRIPTION The adoption of in-house distribute tasks, monitor v evaluate their performance	Al systems to workers and	Ab DESCRIPTION The development of la models requires substa	antial		nodels to significantly y and spur innovation d implications for	no	Automation bias

### Saidot

### CHALLENGE

# The more capable AI systems, the more challenging it becomes to ensure ethical alignment.

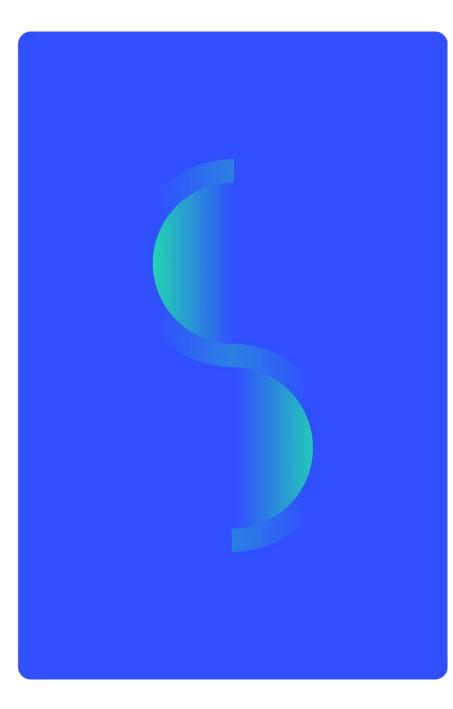


# Some compliance questions of AI in 2024

- AI Act & other risk-based regulations
- Transparency of AI-generated content
- Accountability in AI supply-chain
- Copyrights and IP protections
- Systemic risks of AI

# Examples of risk mitigations organizations can take

- AI and business goal alignment
- Employee upskilling
- Human oversight
- Explainability
- Contractual use case restriction
- Data Protection Impact Assessment
- Safety reviews
- Bias and harmful content detection
- Model evaluation and choice
- Red teaming
- Cybersecurity protection



#### SOLUTION

We need to make AI governance a normal practice in all AI development and use – instead of pausing the AI development.



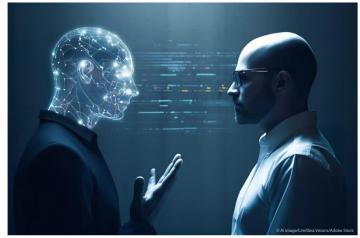
# How regulate without slowing down innovation?

#### European Parliament

### EU AI Act: first regulation on artificial intelligence

The use of artificial intelligence in the EU will be regulated by the AI Act, the world's first comprehensive AI law. Find out how it will protect you.

Published: 08-06-2023 • Last updated: 19-12-2023 - 11:45



This illustration of artificial intelligence has in fact been generated by AI

https://www.europarl.europa.eu/topics/en/article/20230601 STO93804/eu-ai-act-first-regulation-on-artificial-intelligence

#### SCIENCE BUSINESS

Search...

The Ecosystem: start-ups give cautious welcome to artificial intelligence innovation package

13 Feb 2024 | News



The Commission's plan to support AI start-ups looks good on paper, but it will fail if not delivered at speed By Ian Mundell



Margrethe Vestager, executive vice-president of the European Commission in charge of Europe fit for the digital age, said on the launch of the Al innovation package that "we will do our best to build a thriving Al ecosystem in Europe". Photo: Lukasz Kobus / European Union.

https://sciencebusiness.net/news/ai/ecosystem-start-ups-givecautious-welcome-artificial-intelligence-innovation-package

### EU wants to upgrade its supercomputers to support generative AI startups

Natasha Lomas @riptari / 3:16 PM GMT+2 \* January 24, 2024

Comment



European Union lawmakers scrambling for the bloc to be a contender in the generative AI race are presenting a package of support measures aimed at charging up homegrown AI startups and scale ups.

Artificial intelligence technologies — and especially generative AI models which are trained on very large data-sets and have capabilities such as being able to parse natural language and produce text, imagery or audio on demand — are being viewed as a key strategic area for the bloc's future competitiveness. However Commission officials concede lawmakers have been caught on the hop, somewhat, when it comes to compute infrastructure that's fit for training such AIs.

#### https://techcrunch.com/2024/01/24/eu-supercomputers-for-ai-2/

# EU is the forerunner in regulation but not alone

BLUEPRINT FOR AN AI BILL OF RIGHTS MAKING AUTOMATED SYSTEMS WORK FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE

mong the great challenges posed to democracy today is the use of technology, data, and automated systems in ways that threaten the rights of the American public. Too often, these tools are used to limit our opportunities and prevent our access to critical resources or services. These problems are well documented. In America and around the world, systems supposed to help with patient care have proven unsafe, ineffective, or biased. Algorithms used in hiring and credit decisions have been found to reflect and reproduce existing unwanted inequities or embed new harmful bias and discrimination. Unchecked social media data collection has been used to threaten people's opportunities, undermine their privacy, or pervasively track their activity-often without their knowledge or consent.

### $\bigcirc$





Algorithmic



Safe and Effective Systems

Discrimination Protections Data Privacy



Fallback

https://www.whitehouse.gov/ostp/ai-bill-of-rights/

#### di GOV.UK

<u>Home</u> > <u>Business and industry</u> > <u>Science and innovation</u> > <u>Artificial intelligence</u> > <u>AI regulation: a pro-innovation approach – policy proposals</u>

쳃

#### Consultation outcome

A pro-innovation approach to Al regulation: government response

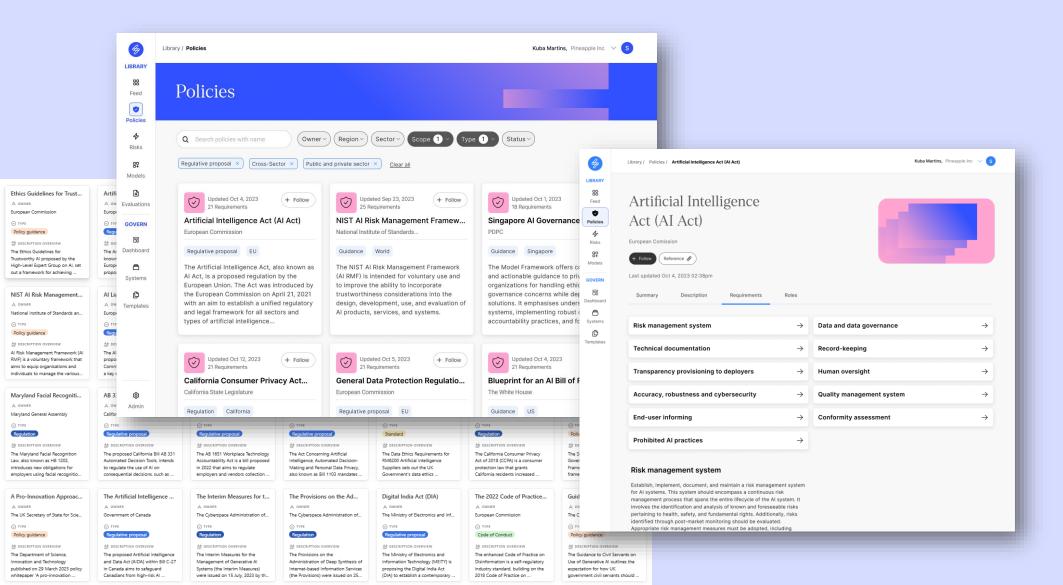
#### AI White Paper consultation and AI Summit activities



Al White Paper consultation and Al Summit activities

https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/ai-regulation-a-proinnovation-approach-policy-proposals/outcome/a-pro-innovationapproach-to-ai-regulation-government-response#introduction

## AI Governance platforms such as Saidot are needed

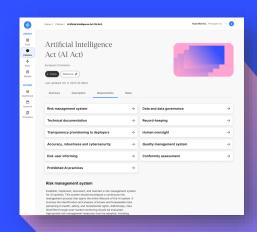




## AI Act

### What is covered?

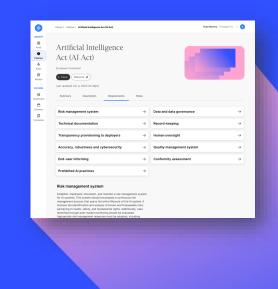
- **Prohibited Al practices** Al systems that violate fundamental rights or use subliminal techniques to manipulate people, Al-based social scoring and biometric categorisation based on biometric data.
- **High-risk Al systems** Al systems that negatively affect safety or fundamental rights. High-risk systems are subject to various obligations under the Al Act and are required to undergo conformity assessment.
- General purpose Al models and systems Al models and systems that do not have a specific intended purpose but can be used for a variety of intended purposes instead.
- General-purpose Al models with systemic risks generalpurpose Al models that have capabilities that match or exceed the capabilities recorded in the most advanced general-purpose models.
- Al systems with transparency risk an exhaustively defined list of systems that possess a limited risk on the life of a user.



### AI Act

Who does it concern

- **Provider** (develops AI system or model)
- **Deployer** (uses AI system)
- Importer (introduces it to the EU market)
- Distributor (makes it available)
- Authorised representative (has mandate to provide)



# AI Act

### Key requirements

- Risk management system
- Data and data governance
- Technical documentation
- Record-keeping
- Transparency and provision of information to deployers
- Human oversight
- Accuracy, robustness, and cybersecurity
- Establish quality management system and post-market monitoring system

4	Library / Policies / Artificial Intelligence Act (Ar Aut)		Kuba Martine, Prov	appio kr.a 🗸 🇸
BAARY 88 Feed © Witcles 4 Reads 82 Anders 001000	Artificial Intelligence Act (AI Act) Eropan Lerinar Manuel Lau game (01.4.222323pp			
Statisticiand C Systems C Femplates	Semmary Description Requirements	Roles		
	Risk management system	<i>→</i>	Data and data governance	<i>→</i>
	Technical documentation	$\rightarrow$	Record-keeping	$\rightarrow$
	Transparency provisioning to deployers	÷	Human oversight	÷
	Accuracy, robustness and cybersecurity	÷	Quality management system	÷
	End-user informing	->	Conformity assessment	÷
	Prohibited Al practices	→		
	Risk management system Establin, implement, document, and maintain a nick nanogement system for <i>A</i> systems. This system stability and an extra first inverses the statestification and analysis in these and transmoster insis percentry to heading, safety, and the denomination statestimation setting to through sensitivity and the denomination of the setting statestimation of the setting and the setting of the setting of the setting of the setting of the setting and the setting of the setting of the setting to the setting and the setting of the setting of the setting of the setting of the setting of the setting of the set is and setting to the setting of the setting of the setting of the set is and setting to the setting of the setting			

# Which AI use cases are categorised as high-risk?

### Products covered by safety regulations (Annex II)

- Le Machinery
- 🐣 Safety of toys
- Recreational craft and personal watercraft
- Lifts and safety components of lifts
- Equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres
- 📻 Radio equipment
- Pressure equipment
- Cableway installations
- Personal protective equipment
- Appliances burning gaseous fuels
- ℅ Medical devices
- 🔬 In Vitro diagnostic medical devices

- Civil aviation security
- Two- or three-wheel vehicles and quadricycles
- Agricultural and forestry vehicles
- 🕁 Marine equipment
- # Interoperability of the rail system
- A Motor vehicles and their trailers
- 🛪 Civil aviation

### Standalone Al systems (Annex III)

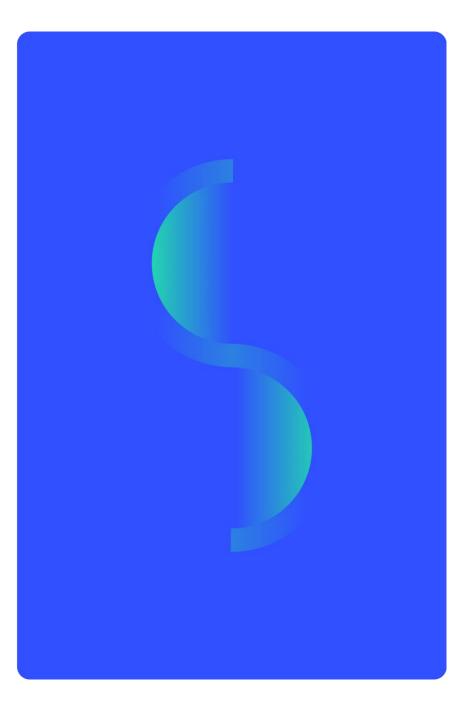
- Biometric identification, categorisation, and emotion recognition that do not fall under prohibited practices
- Al systems used as safety components in the management and operation of critical infrastructure

- Education and vocational training
- Employment, workers management, and access to selfemployment
- Access to essential private and public services (e.g. credit scoring, life and heath insurance pricing, classification of emergency calls)
- Law enforcement that may interfere with people's fundamental rights
- Migration, asylum and border control
- Administration of justice and democratic processes, including influencing elections and voters

### Saidot

# How to build systematic AI governance in the enterprise

- New skills and competences
- Clear rules and guidelines Al policy
- Mechanism to categorise Al systems
- Process to meet the requirements of Al policies
- Process for third-party Al product management
- Transparency and communication processes
- Governance structures



### **Examples**

### of building AI Governance



Minna Mustakallio appointed Head of Responsible Artificial Intelligence at Yle



Image: Andréa Högberg/Yle

The Head of Responsible Artificial Intelligence will support Yle's units in drawing up, updating and maintaining AI related guidelines and assist in the consideration of AI principles, risks, legality and responsibility. She will also be responsible for making decisions on the responsible application of AI and be involved in promoting regulatory issues related to AI.

# S a n o m a [MEDIAFINLAND] ▼)

### Sanoma defines ethical principles for the responsible use of artificial intelligence

6 02 202

#### Sanoma's Ethical Artificial Intelligence (AI) Principles

1. Fairness with Aim for Positive Impact: The use of Al in our products aims to reflect the values we operate on such as Freedom of Speech and Creating a Positive Learning Impact. Al should be used in a fair manner, considering values such as human rights, privacy, and non-discrimination

**2.** Accountability by humans: People are always responsible for the decisions made by AI solutions that we use. Our teams are engaged throughout the entire lifecycle of algorithms: in the planning, development and maintenance of our own AI models and algorithms.

**3. Explainability:** We aim to use AI of which reasoning can be understood by the people who are accountable for it, and we ensure that we can explain the functionality of such AI system's sufficiently.

**4. Transparency:** We communicate transparently about our use of AI and how it impacts the end users of our products.

**5. Risk and Impact Assessment:** We assess the planned and potential impacts of our technology to individuals and society at large. Al Assessments are integrated into our product development process considering privacy and security by design. We implement appropriate measures to ensure accuracy, robustness, and security of our Al solutions to mitigate identified risks.

**6. Oversight:** We commit to regular monitoring of how we fulfil these principles in our Al operations. As the development of Al is a fast-evolving topic, we will evaluate and update these principles periodically to ensure they reflect lessons learned from our experience.

#### https://yle.fi/aihe/a/20-10006432

Saidot

### Examples

### of building AI Governance

#### Helsinki

City of Helsinki Al Register

Svenska English Al Register Get to know Al Register Participate in a survey Suomi

### What is AI Register?

Al Register is a window into the artificial intelligence systems used by the City of Helsinki. Through the register, you can get acquainted with the quick overviews of the city's artificial intelligence systems or examine their more detailed information based on your own interests. You can also give feedback and thus participate in building human-centered AI in

Get to know AI Register

# Helsinki.

### https://ai.hel.fi/



Outdoors chatbot Urho Outdoors chatbot Urho is a 24-hour

oustomer service channel of the Helpinki City Information aimed at improving the accessibility of oustomer service and the sustamer experience and increasing the interactivity of the celf-pervice. The pervice provided relevant information to each oustomer's specific questions faster than by... > Read more

IMMS (Intelligent Material Management

Intelligent material...

System) is an intelligent material

management system for the entire

library collection. The City Library's

collection contains approximately 1.8

million items. An intelligent material

management system was acquired

library-specific collections to one...

while the city library moved away from

Culture and leisure

> Read more

Talpe Helsinki

Talbotti



Culture and leisure

#### Oodi's book recommendation...

Obotti is Central Library Oodi's recommendation chatbot. The pervice recommends books from Oodi's selection according to the customer's interest and feedback. The service is aimed at all Central Library Oodi's customers and can be downloaded as a mobile application for Android and IoS devices ....

> Read more

search...

The rental apartment search chatbot is

a 24-hour oustomer service channel of the City of Helsinki housing services

aimed at improving the accessibility of

oustomer service and the oustomer

experience as well as increasing the



Talbatti is an electronic contact channel introduced by the City of Helsinki's financial management service.

The purpose of Talbot is to improve and increase oustomer contact opportunities, also outside oustomer



#### International House Helsinki...

City Executive office

International House Helsinki's chatbot Into is a 24/7 oustomer service channel, offering a wide range of information on the official services offered by IHH and advice to support the settlement of those who have moved to the capital region from abroad. With the help of the service, customers have faster access to International House Helsinki's wide... > Read more



Social services, Health Care and Rescue Services Division

Sotebotti Hester

Sotebot Hester is a chatbot for social services, health care and recoue services division. Hester contains different knowledge data bases that are combined into one chatbat. The same answer can be used in many different conversations and this prevents overlapping answers to the same question, for example between... > Read more



Parking chatbot

The parking chatbat is a customer service channel of city's parking services. Service provides outomated answers to the parking-related questions of sity residents and visitors. The service is available at the city parking website of Helsinki.

The service sims to improve the availability and the user experience of ... > Read more



### **Examples**

### of building AI Governance





#### Artificial intelligence transparency reports

The key goal of OP Financial Group's AI transparency reports is to enhance the transparency and comprehensibility of AI used extensively and regularly by OP.

In its use of AI, OP Financial Group is at the forefront of northern European companies. AI algorithms can detect signs of fraud, prevent money laundering, recommend products to personal customers, forecast financial market trends, and assist with property valuation as part of the home loan process.

OP Financial Group was one of the first Finnish institutions to publish its ethical principles concerning AI. Such principles are applied to assessing responsible use of AI within the Group.

OP Financial Group uses an Al transparency assessment model, its key tool for evaluating responsible use of data and Al. The model was created in 2022, based on the results of the Artificial Intelligence Governance and Auditing (AIGA) project coordinated by the University of Turku. The AIGA project focused on improving decisions made by algorithms, particularly on enhancing the reliability, transparency and comprehensibility of such decisions.

#### https://www.op.fi/op-financial-group/to-the-media/publications/ai-transparency-reports



#### OP Financial Group's ethical guidelines for artificial intelligence

1. People-first approach

We will use data and AI responsibly and for the good of our customers. We will define the objectives guiding our use of AI clearly and refine them if necessary based on changed data, technical possibilities and the working environment.

2. Transparency and openness

We will act openly in our relations with customers, partners and stakeholders, ensuring sufficient transparency for the evaluation of the AI we have developed. We will discuss our use of AI use openly and subject our work to public scrutiny.

3. Impact evaluation

We will carefully study the impacts of the choices we make in our work on our customers and the society around us. Our choices regarding AI utilisation are always responsible.

4. Ownership

We will define owners for the principles guiding our operations and for the algorithms we have developed and will ensure the ethics of AI throughout the lifecycle.

5. Privacy protection

We will guarantee privacy and personal data protection for the individuals represented in the data we use in accordance with our data protection principles.

Saido

WHAT IS AI POLICY?

# A clear guideline governing the responsible use of AI technology within the organization



## Policy for the ethical use of GenAI in an organization

OR EVERYONE	<ol> <li>What you can and can't do with generative AI</li> </ol>	2. Following rules and using generative Al ethically	<ol> <li>Learning about generative AI</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Keeping our data safe</li> </ol>
WHO USES GEN AI TOOLS IN THE ORGANIZATION	5. Having people check Al's work	6. Letting others know when we use generative AI	7. What to do if something goes wrong	
FOR DECISION MAKERS & BUILDERS OF GEN AI POWERED APPS	8. Evaluating generative AI tools of third parties	9. Understanding what pre- trained models can and can't do	10. Managing risks of generative Al based tools	11. Collecting feedback on the outcomes of our generative AI

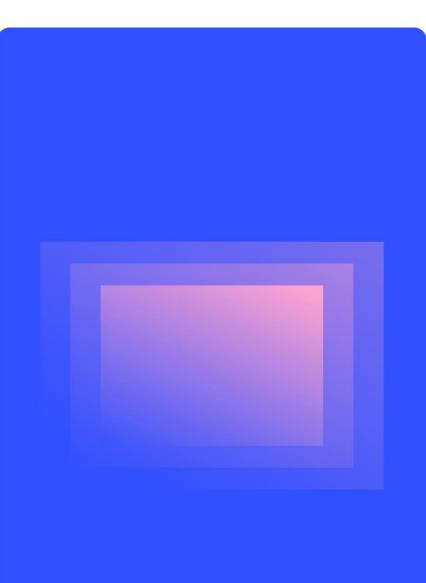
Responsible, transparent and safe use of AI

Collaborative and iterative effort Requires cross-functional expertise Driven by law and human values



### How to require and enable responsible, transparent and safe use of AI as an individual

- Be aware of the models and tools you use: Purpose, impact, benefits, risks and what actions you can take
- Understand your responsibility as AI user and consumer
- Improve your AI literacy to understand the risks and to be able to question the outcomes of the AI model and tools
- Require your service providers to explain their AI policy and guidelines and how the models have been trained
- Be consistent in the way you give permission to access your data, such as pictures or browsing history
- Understand the AI policy and guidelines your employer has committed to



# AI and Data Governance

How to link it to the basic data engineering?



Responsible, transparent and safe use of AI requires increased emphasis on data quality and governance.



# The importance of Data Quality

### Generative AI and LLM's

The ability of Generative AI (GenAI) tools and LLM's to deliver accurate and reliable outputs entirely depends on the accuracy and reliability of the data used to train the Large Language Models (LLMs) that power the GenAI tool.

Potential GenAl data quality related risks:

- Availability and quality of training data
- Mass data collection (quantity over quality)
- Vendor failure or model collapse
- Repurposing and misuse



# The importance of Data Quality

In finetuning models to fit to business-specific purpose

- LLM's can be a great tool for general purposes, but they might not be fit to very domain specific business critical needs
- LLM's can be finetuned or made to fit better with a technique called RAG (Retrieval Augmented Generation) where model is supported with external data.
- The quality of the external data is critical, but implementing the technique might cause the model to hallucinate or give low quality results
- During the coming years we will see more purpose specific models that serve a particular business need and ability to finetune the models with higher quality

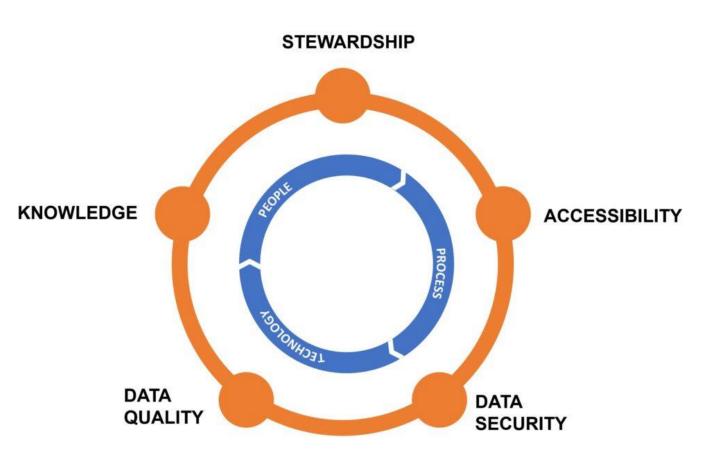
https://medium.com/life-at-telkomsel/the-role-of-data-governance-in-the-era-of-ai-5027aeb00bf2

### Data Governance

Explained

Data governance is everything you do to ensure data is secure, private, accurate, available, and usable.

It includes the actions people must take, the processes they must follow, and the technology that supports them throughout the data life cycle.



### Data governance issues impacting the quality of the AI systems

The more models utilize external business specific data, the maturity of the basic data governance and data quality impacts also to the quality of AI systems.

Imagine having issues with:

- The metadata quality: Customers, products, employees...
- The quality of the data used to prompt the models
- The ability to understand critical data flows and data lineage
- The data used to understand how processes currently work
- The data used to finetune the models
- Compliancy with GDPR and privacy regulation
- · Ability to secure business critical or sensitive data
- · Employee competencies in understanding the basics of data and AI

Could you trust the model outputs knowing these issues?

### AI governance is reliant on the principles and practices of data governance



# Six reasons why Data Governance is the bedrock for AI Governance

29 November, 2023 By Stefaan G. Verhulst, The GovLab and Friederike Schüür, UNICEF



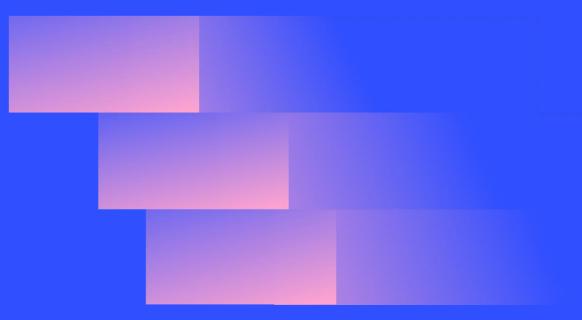


© UNICEF/UN0251908/Tadesse

- 1. Data governance **covers the full data lifecycle**, of which Artificial Intelligence is a part.
- 2. Data governance **enables** the development of responsible, fit-for-purpose AI systems.
- 3. Data governance **takes care of issues** that AI systems would otherwise inherit.
- 4. Data governance is **technology-agnostic**, and thus more holistic in nature.
- 5. The implementation, standardization and codification of data governance **provide valuable lessons** for AI governance.

# Key takeaways

- Al has the power to do good in the world for us humans, businesses and environment
- The more capable AI systems, the more challenging it becomes to ensure ethical alignment
- Responsible, transparent and safe use of AI requires regulation. But how to regulate without slowing down innovation?
- We need to make AI governance a normal practice in all AI development and use
- Responsible, transparent and safe use of Al requires increased emphasis also on data quality and governance



# Thank you! Kiitos!

**Contact us** 

liris Lahti Head of Services

iiris@saidot.ai

#### Follow us



<u>saidot.ai</u> www

### Saidot