

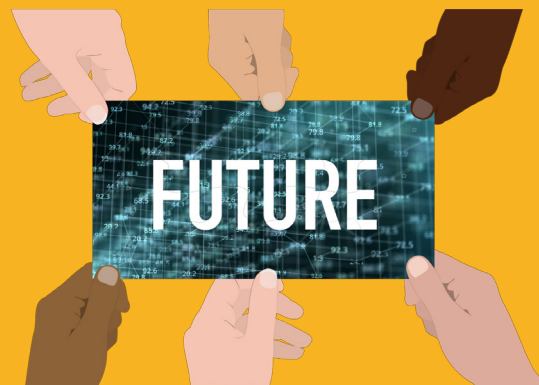


WHAT GERD SAYS

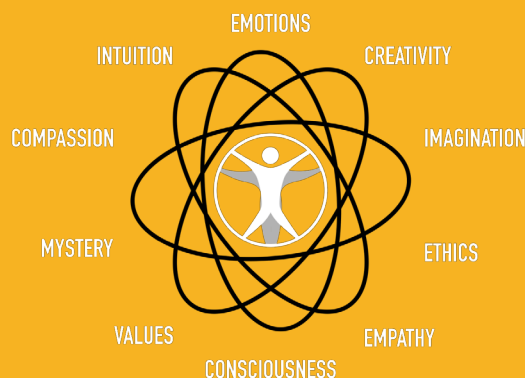
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“The Future is already here we just need to pay more attention!”



“As science fiction is becoming science fact, IMAGINATION will become more important than knowledge.”



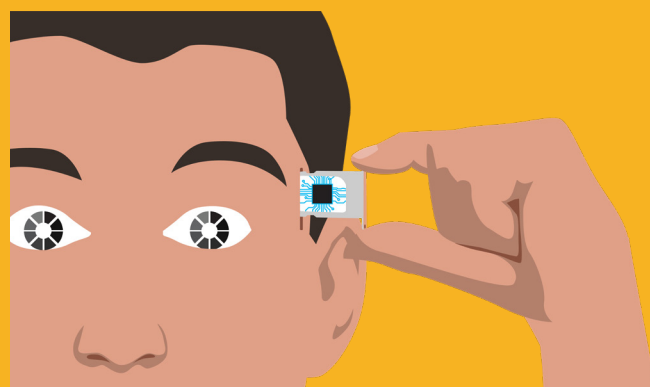
“The future is better than we think we just need to design it with collective human happiness as the core objective.”



“Technology is not what we seek but how we seek!”



“Embrace technology but don't become it!”



“The more we connect with technology the more we must protect and nurture what makes us human.”



“We should never put efficiency over humanity - resist machine-thinking!”



“As technology becomes virtually unlimited in power, the main question is: WHO or WHAT do we want to be?”



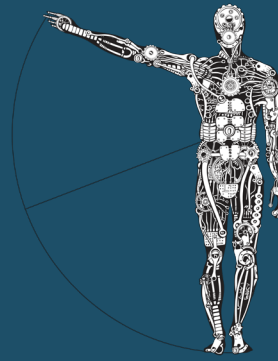
“Trust isn't digital, happiness isn't a program, relationships aren't code.”



“Societies are driven by their technology but defined by their humanity.”



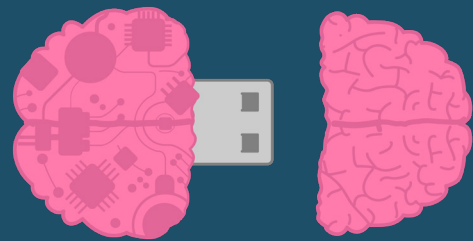
“I am afraid that our efforts to become super-human will result in a downgrade, not an upgrade.”



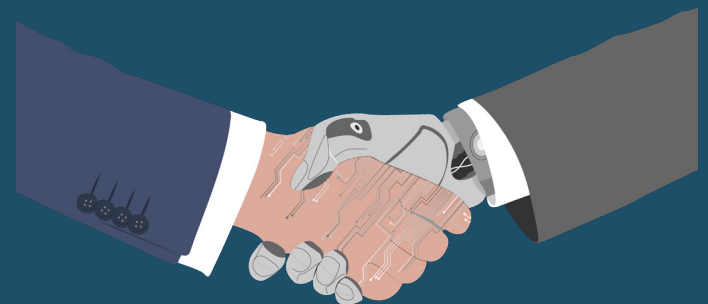
“The biggest danger, today, is not that machines will take over, but that we become too much like them!”



“Offline is the new luxury – enjoy it while you can!”



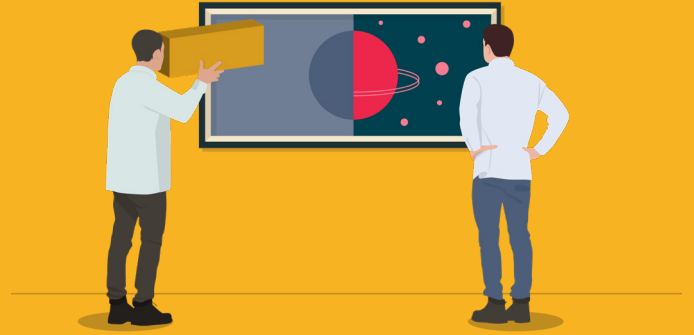
“When AI (artificial intelligence) meets HI (human intelligence), business as usual is dead.”



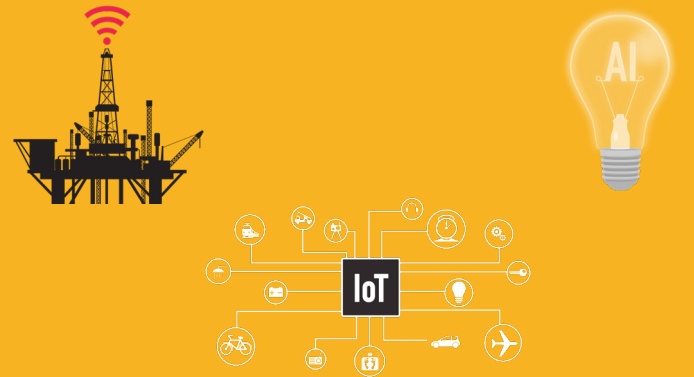
“The key challenge of a hyper-connected society: abundance on the outside but scarcity on the inside.”



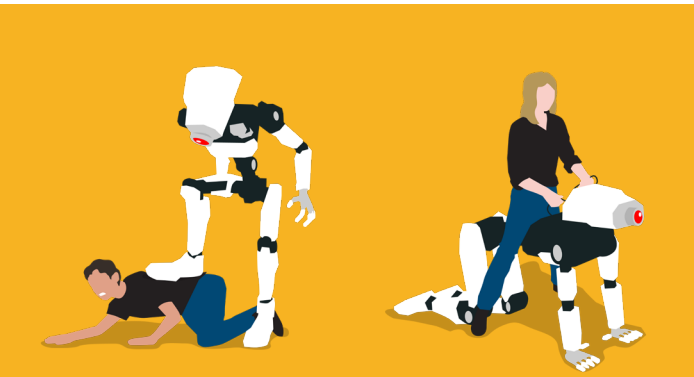
“To better imagine and create your future, assume less and discover more.”



“Data is the new oil, AI is the new electricity and the IoT is the new nervous system.”



“Technology is great but humanity is greater. Make your choices wisely.”



“I observe the future, I don't predict it!”



“The future is exponential, convergent, combinatorial – let's add holistic, circular and human-centric as requirements.”

