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Artificial Intelligence

BLUF highlights content relevant to those who operate in the counter-insider threat mission space. Each month will feature a different theme to let readers know what we at The Threat Lab are watching, listening to, reading, and thinking about.

BOOK

From Amazon.com: "In the world's top research labs and universities, the race is on to invent the ultimate learning algorithm: one capable of discovering any knowledge from data, and doing anything we want, before we even ask.

In *The Master Algorithm*, Pedro Domingos lifts the veil to give us a peek insider the learning machines that power Google, Amazon, and your smartphone. He assembles a blueprint for the future universal learner—the Master Algorithm—and discusses what it will mean for business, science, and society."

ARTICLE

From Simon Chandler's Forbes Magazine article, **Artificial Intelligence Has Become A Tool For Classifying And Ranking People**, "Recommending content, powering chatbots, trading stocks, detecting medical conditions, and driving cars.

These are only a small handful of the most well-known uses of artificial intelligence, yet there is one that, despite being on the margins for much of AI's recent history, is now threatening to grow significantly in prominence. This is AI's ability to classify and rank people."

Read the article

https://www.forbes.com/sites/simonchandler/2019/10/01/artificial-intelligence-has-become-a-tool-for-classifying-and-ranking-people/

PODCAST

From iHeartRADIO Blog : "Hosted by Emmy and Peabody Award winner Oz Woloshyn and co-hosted by Karah Preiss…[Sleepwalkers] podcast will reveal the fundamental implications of AI and how humans can leverage it without letting it take over completely.

Each week Woloshyn will interview top technology executives, politicians and authors to unpack the advantages, challenges and surprises associated with today's AI revolution."

About The Threat Lab

The Defense Personnel and Security Research Center (PERSEREC) founded The Threat Lab in 2018 to realize the DoD Counter-Insider Threat Program Director's vision to incorporate the social and behavioral sciences into the mission space. Our team is headquartered in Seaside, California, and includes psychologists, sociologists, policy analysts, computer scientists, and other subject matter experts in research design and analysis.

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