

Eyes everywhere: AI surveillance – a blessing or curse for society?

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Assignment 1:

Discuss with your classmates how AI is being used in your daily activities. Think about examples such as:

- Virtual assistants (e.g., Siri, Google Assistant, Alexa)
- Social media (e.g., facial recognition on Facebook, Filters on Snapchat/TikTok)
- Online shopping (e.g., product suggestions, targeted ads on Amazon and Youtube)
- Transportation (e.g., GPS navigation, ride-sharing apps)

Reflect on how AI influences your day-to-day decisions and interactions.

Assignment 2:

Discuss with your classmates what is your opinions about the future of AI. Consider:

- What challenges AI might bring (e.g., job automation, privacy issues)?
- How AI could improve human life (e.g., solving complex problems, improving healthcare, addressing climate change, self-driving cars)?
- Whether there are any risks that we should be aware of (e.g., too much dependency on AI tools, reliance on AI for critical tasks)?

Assignment 3:

Explore and try out various filters on social media platforms (e.g., TikTok, Snapchat, Instagram). Pay attention to what these filters do:

- Do they change your appearance (skin, hair, facial structure) or add some fun effects (hats, animal faces)?
- Compare original and filtered photos. Write down or talk about the changes that you observe in both pictures.
- Do you feel more comfortable in using natural pictures or the filtered version? Why?