



How close is AI coming to matching human intelligence?

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Lecture & Lecturer Overview

Professor Redmond O'Connell is Professor in Decision Neuroscience at Trinity College Dublin and a Principal Investigator at the Trinity College Institute of Neuroscience. His research focuses on the neural mechanisms underlying decision-making, attention, and cognitive control, using advanced brain imaging and computational modelling techniques. Quick summary of the talk : "The recent emergence of large language model like ChatGPT has already had a huge impact on society and raises many questions about how AI is going to shape our future. In this class I will take you through the origins of AI from its humble origins as an offshoot of cognitive science to the key advances that have led us to transformative present day technologies. We will also examine at how financial incentives have led to a proliferation of hype and misinformation about those abilities. In so doing, we will critically address the question of whether AI has or will someday outstrip human intelligence."



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