

**ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: CAN IT REPLACE JOURNALISTS
AND OTHER PROFESSIONALS?**

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Abstract. The rapid development of artificial intelligence technologies is significantly affecting all spheres of modern society, particularly in the processes of information production, analysis, and dissemination. This article comprehensively analyzes the role, opportunities, and potential risks of artificial intelligence not only in journalism but also in education, economics, medicine, and management sectors. The study results indicate that artificial intelligence serves as a tool that enhances efficiency, ensures speed, and supports decision-making processes, rather than fully replacing human activity. At the same time, ethical issues, information reliability, personal data protection, and professional responsibility remain highly relevant. Moreover, the 2023 World Economic Forum report shows that AI technologies are reshaping the global labor market, creating new jobs while transforming traditional occupations.

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Introduction

In recent years, the development of artificial intelligence technologies has fundamentally transformed economic, social, and cultural processes globally. As the speed of information production increases, the need to process, sort, and analyze it has also grown. Especially in journalism, the demand for speed, accuracy, and large volumes of information has made the use of artificial intelligence a necessary factor. Currently, AI algorithms perform tasks such as text writing, image creation, analysis of large volumes of data, predicting audience behavior, and personalizing information. This creates new opportunities not only for journalists but for professionals across all sectors. Therefore, the question “Should we hand over to AI?” is not limited to journalism but has become a pressing issue connected to societal development, the labor market, and professional activity prospects. Additionally, the 2022 Reuters Institute report notes that AI algorithms are effectively used in producing and distributing media content, automating fact-checking, and predicting audience behavior. At the same time, the International Federation of Journalists provides

recommendations regarding journalists' responsibility for information reliability and ethical standards, indicating that responsible AI use is a globally relevant issue.

Literature Review

The impact of artificial intelligence on society has been extensively studied by many scholars. For instance, Nick Bostrom, in his book *Superintelligence: Paths, Dangers, Strategies*, emphasizes that AI development brings significant opportunities for humanity while simultaneously posing potential risks. McKinsey Global Institute reports on digital economy issues note that AI can increase production efficiency, stimulate the creation of new professions, and accelerate economic growth. Issues of technological control, data economy, and personal privacy in the information society are deeply analyzed in Shoshana Zuboff's *The Age of Surveillance Capitalism*. Furthermore, UNESCO international documents provide guidelines on AI ethics, information security, and responsible use of AI in media sectors.

Methodology

This study applied a comprehensive approach. First, scientific articles, international organization reports, and modern technological analyses were subjected to content analysis. In the second stage, practical examples of AI applications in journalism and other sectors were compared. In addition, the level of automation in media product production, audience interaction methods, and mechanisms for ensuring information reliability were analyzed. The study primarily utilized qualitative analysis, evaluating the social impact of technologies and their integration into professional activities from a scientific perspective. Moreover, the 2023 OECD report emphasizes that AI technologies should be seen as tools supporting professional work, yet human oversight remains essential. The European Commission has also developed legal recommendations on security and data protection in connection with AI.

Analysis and Results

Artificial intelligence enables journalists to write news, translate, quickly verify facts, organize data, and identify audience needs. As a result, the speed of information dissemination has increased, and media products have become more personalized for individual users. However, in some cases, the accuracy, impartiality, and reliability of automatically generated content remain a pressing issue. In education, AI contributes to creating individualized learning programs, monitoring knowledge acquisition, and enhancing the effectiveness of remote learning. In medicine, artificial intelligence improves diagnostic accuracy, allows early detection of diseases, and enables rapid analysis of medical data. In economics and management, AI expands possibilities for strategic decision-making, risk assessment, and effective resource allocation based on

big data analysis. At the same time, issues such as copyright, personal data security, algorithmic fairness, and adherence to ethical standards remain relevant. AI cannot fully replace human creativity, social responsibility, and contextual reasoning but works more effectively as a supportive tool.

Conclusion

The study results indicate that artificial intelligence has become an integral part of modern societal development. In journalism and many other sectors, AI enhances information production efficiency, ensures speed, and creates new innovative opportunities. However, human oversight, professional responsibility, ethical standards, and information security remain essential. In the future, alongside technological development, it will be crucial to address legal, ethical, and social challenges, as well as improve media literacy. Artificial intelligence is unlikely to completely replace humans but is expected to develop as a collaborative technology that supports human activity.

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