



EMERGING TRENDS

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OUR NEXT MEETING

September 7
11:30am – 1:00pm ET
Webinar – see LinkedIn for details

Happenings

FORESIGHT ESSENTIALS TRAINING (DC, IN-PERSON): The [Institute for the Future](#) will bring its [Foresight Essentials training](#) to DC October 10 – 12, 2023. Collaborate with others from the DC area as you learn how to find and use signals and apply foresight to spur action. This course will help individuals and organizations develop their skills in the art and science of foresight. Students receive an IFTF certificate on completion. (POC: [IFTF Info](#))

LEARN HOW TO DO SCENARIO PLANNING LEVERAGING GENERATIVE AI (Sep 18-22 via Zoom): Updated to include using ChatGPT to aid in scenario development, [Mastering Foresight: Scenario-Based Planning](#) will teach you about trends, writing scenarios, and how to run a workshop to get results. This course is eligible for certification from the George Washington University Center for Excellence in Public Leadership and is co-endorsed by the Baldrige Foundation. (POC [Doug Maris](#))

JOB ADS FROM THE FUTURE: Would you like to work as a Workplace Neuro Ethics Adviser or a Director of Algorithmic Oversight? [Work Futures](#) has imagined these and other corporate jobs of the future. Check out how [job descriptions from the future](#) might converge AI, ethics, climate, and health, redefining the boundaries of work. (POC: [Reanna Brown](#))

WORKING THROUGH THE FUTURE OF AI: On September 12, from 11:00 – 2:00 ET, the [Institute for the Future](#) (IFTF) will present its [Ten-Year Forecast—Working through the Future of AI](#), featuring Jane McGonigal, author of [Imaginable](#) and creator of the IFTF [Urgent Optimists Society](#). (POC: [IFTF Info](#))

AN OPERATING SYSTEM FOR THE 22ND CENTURY: Check out how [N Square's](#) 6th cohort of [Fellows](#), a diverse group of academics, activists, military instructors, and experts in finance and media envision a [world without nuclear weapons in 2095](#). (POC: [N Square Collaborative Team](#))

MEGATRENDS FOR 2050: The [Roland Berger Institute](#) has published its [Trend Compendium 2050](#), describing six megatrends that will shape the future development of our world until 2050. These long-term developments of global significance that pose major challenges for politics, society, and the economy, but often also offer major opportunities.

SURVEY: AI USE IN STRATEGY: The Army Strategist Association, International Association for Strategy Professionals (Australia Chapter), Baldrige Foundation, and LBL Strategies are researching current and future uses of Generative AI in strategic management, including potential impacts, benefits, and barriers. Please support their research by taking the quick, anonymous [survey](#) and sharing with other strategy professionals in your organizations! Results will be shared with all survey respondents and presented at a future webinar. (POC: [Doug Maris](#))

Admin & Announcements

FFCOI Webinar: Dr. Lydia Kostopoulos will discuss **The Longevity Dividend: What advancements in longevity science mean for individuals, society, the economy, and the military.** Fields including gene therapy, cellular rejuvenation, and longevity science are advancing exponentially, with many experts claiming we now live between mortals and immortals. Be sure to RSVP by sending an email to [Sharaelle A. Grzesiak](#) to be added to the calendar invitation.

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