

Engaging Minds¹

Time: 9.30 pm IST on Saturday 24th February.

Topic 1: The race to mine the bottom of the Ocean

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=pf1GvrUqeIA>

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The logic to mine the deep sea is to get the minerals required to deal with issues related to clean energy required for dealing with Climate change. Destruction of the ocean floor bed is no solution for climate change, it is merely transferring the incidence of pollution/biodiversity destruction that is at the root of Climate change.

Topic 2: Is AI the future of Movie making

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=pp4jkEtUAdg>

What if text prompts enabled anyone to make a blockbuster movie, or even an entire box-set's worth of TV? That is the promise of AI. This technology could one day prove as transformative to the movie business as sound, colour, or even the camera itself. Generative AI can already make videos in seconds which would normally take a visual-effects artist days to create. However it has yet to master photo-realistic video. The people at the forefront of this tech say it is only a matter of time.

The discussions indicated that AI had the potential to enhance the application of mind as things which could not be researched in real time before are possible now. AI tools make presentations, animation possible and so one does not have to have the expertise in art, photography etc to apply one's creativity to the knowledge we have. However on technical issues it is back to basics and for this those versed in it are relevant. In cinematography, it is still in the making, but the possibility of real time cinematography though a matter of time is still to come. Who controls development and growth of AI is therefore important as real growth in multiple fields requires creativity of the mind far more than ever before.

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=nTKjwWlhCLM>

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¹ Season 1 Episode 7: Race to mine the bottom of the ocean and Is AI the future of movie making ?