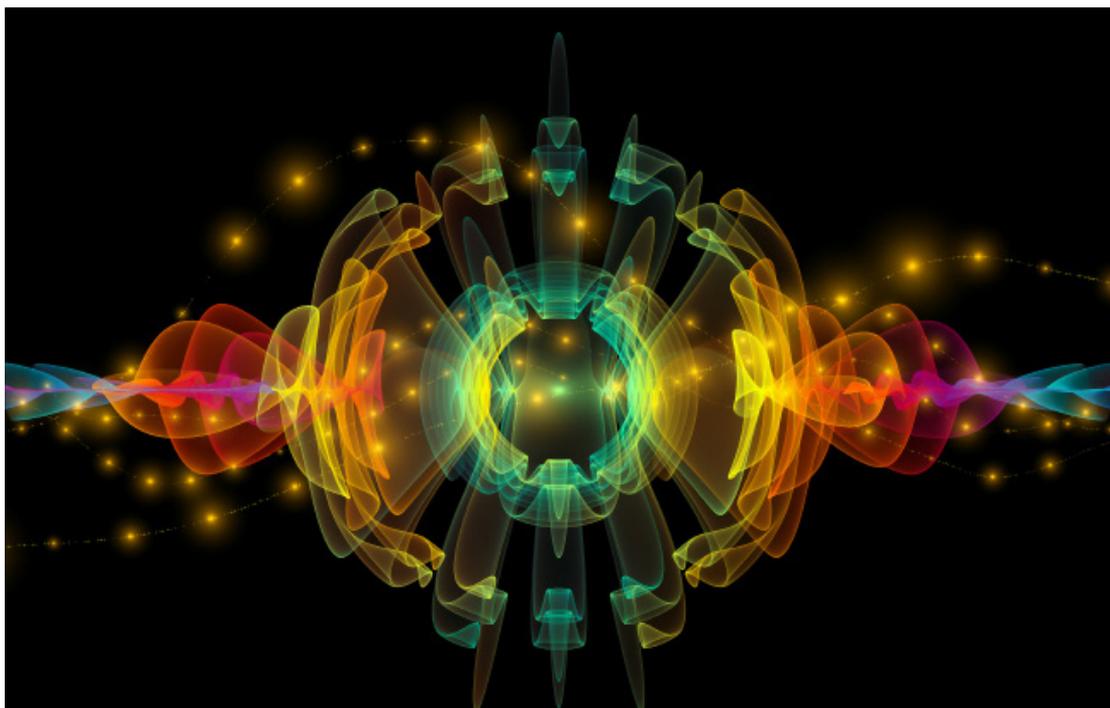




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Technology with heart and mind

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The upcoming Next Gen World Majlis is inspired by UAE Innovation Month and will engage young, bright minds in a conversation focusing on the future of technology.

With futurists predicting that advances in science and technology between 2020 and 2100 could potentially outpace the last 20,000 years of human progress, we will ask ourselves how can technology serve humanity to promote tolerance, happiness and wellbeing?



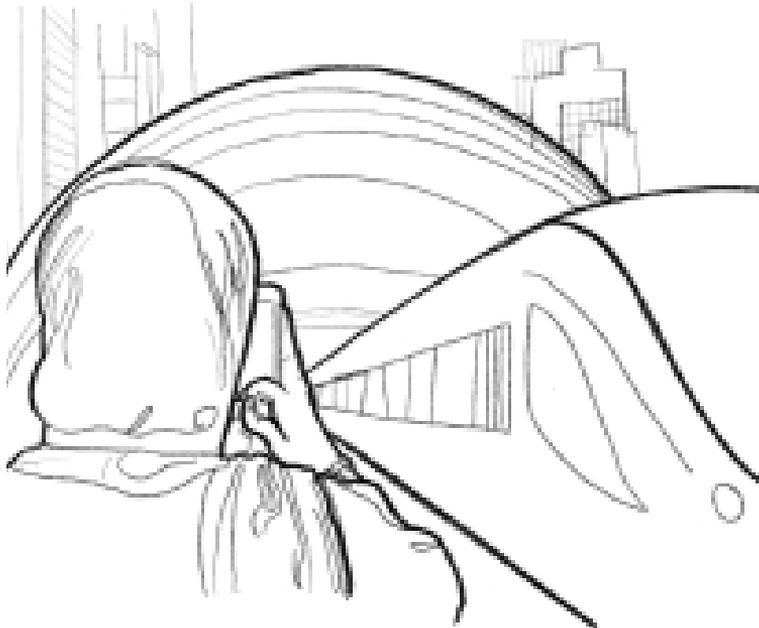
Innovation is defined as the aspiration of individuals, private institutions and governments to achieve development by generating creative ideas and introducing new products, services and operations that improve the overall quality of life.

The National Innovation Strategy

Technology with mind

From Siri and Alexa to driverless cars, Artificial Intelligence, robotics, augmented reality and Machine Learning is fast becoming a normal aspect of our everyday lives. And as the pace of innovation continues to accelerate, our relationship with our devices and the apps on them will become increasingly complex and dependent.

What does this mean for our ability to maintain control over our lives, our choices, our social interactions and the way that we express ourselves?



Questions to consider

- Is so much dependency on technology a sensible idea? If computer technology and robotics continue to substitute for human intellect, will we reduce our individual creativity and intelligence? What could this mean for the future?
- With all the time we spend on our phones either editing pictures, posting them and looking out for likes/comments, how much of what we see on social media is real and how much is fake? Is the way we like, share and comment on posts a genuine reflection of how we feel about it?
- From targeted ads on your social media feeds, to movie recommendations on your favourite app, is technology restricting our freedom of choice? And what does this mean for our ability to express ourselves?
- Are we becoming lazier each time we use technology? How much are we reflecting, analysing and imagining the information we receive via digital screens?



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