



Smartia's "Putting AI to work" webinar, 27th May 2020

After the success of Smartia's seminar, held at Arrow ECS offices in London, in early March, We will be offering a free AI webinar in May which you can join virtually from the comfort of your home office.

This 90-minute session will include an assortment of short presentations and Q&A. The purpose is to engage attendees with the latest in Artificial Intelligence and its impact on the current and future business climate. The COVID-19 pandemic has accelerated the need for digital transformation and AI is now an essential technology for organisations to start to embrace sooner than later.

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Smartia and Bamboo Technology Partnership

We are very excited to announce our new partnership with Bamboo Technology Group Ltd.

This partnership combines Smartia's scalable artificial intelligence solutions with Bamboo's resilient connectivity offerings, creating a perfect coupling of technologies that puts our clients a step ahead of their competition.

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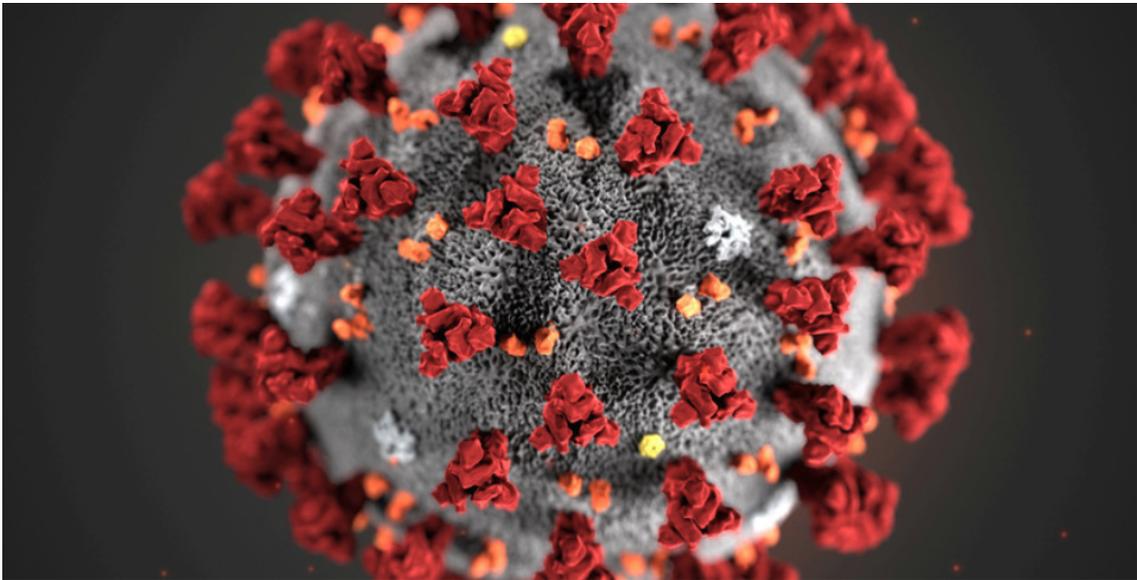


Governments must build trust in AI to fight COVID-19 Here's how they can do it

AI has become a key weapon in tracking and tracing cases during this pandemic. Deploying those technologies has sometimes meant balancing the need to conquer the virus with the conflicting need to protect individual privacy. As the initial crisis gives way to long-term policies and public health practices, governments will need to build trust in AI to ensure future protections can be deployed and maintained.

AI's surveillance superpowers are being used to help break the chains of viral transmission across the globe. Russia, for instance, maintains COVID-19 quarantines through large-scale monitoring of citizens with CCTV cameras and facial recognition.

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How AI can help the post-corona recovery

With the global economy looking set for a period of negative growth following the Covid-19 outbreak, artificial intelligence could provide firms with a vital head-start when it comes to recovering. According to BCG Gamma's Global Leader, Sylvain Duranton, companies leveraging the technology will be well-positioned to improve their supply chains and product customisation in order to boost their profitability.

The advent of artificial intelligence (AI) has already provided organisations across the industrial spectrum with major opportunities for improving their client offerings, operations and compliance. These benefits could be about to become a major asset for firms due to the onset of the coronavirus, and the global economic turbulence it has caused.

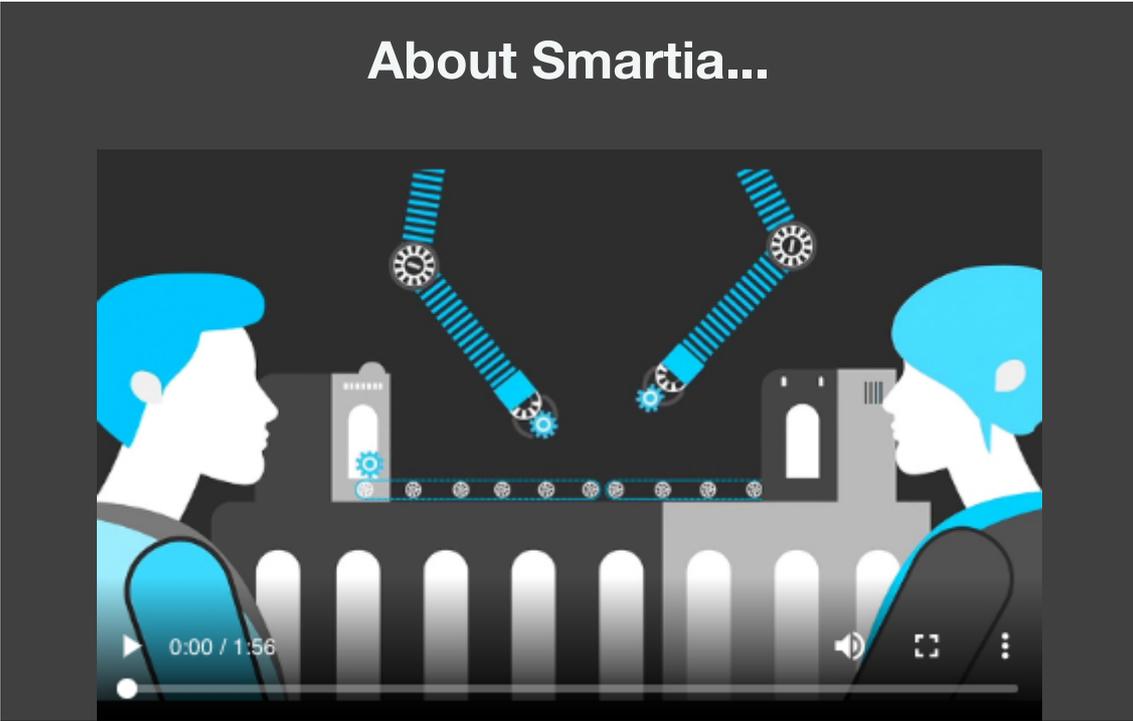
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Artificial Intelligence And Automation Top Focus For Venture Capitalists

Artificial intelligence and automation have been two hot areas of investment, especially over the past decade. As the worldwide workforce increasingly shifts to a remote workforce, the need for automation, technology, and tools continues to grow. As such, it's no surprise that automation and intelligent systems continue to be of significant interest to venture capitalists who are investing in growing firms focused in these areas. The AI Today podcast had the chance to talk to Oliver Mitchell, a Founding Partner of Autonomy Ventures.

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