

PRO & CON OF AI DEBATE

Note Catcher

Topic: Should we trust artificial intelligence (AI)?

Directions: Read the scenario below and think through the pro's and con's to AI programming. Then decide which side of the debate you will be on, Pro or Con?

A financial institution is getting an increasing number of applications for home loans, car loans, and credit cards. To help with the increase in lending applications the company decides to use artificial intelligence (AI) to decide whether or not applicants should be approved or denied for the loan based on an algorithm that reads the customers credit report. At first, the AI helped with the demand, but as time went by the lending department discovered a suspicious pattern of loans that were approved and loans that were denied based on zip codes in their branch areas.

Guiding Questions:

- What is the problem that the financial institution was facing that pushed them toward AI?
- How did the AI application benefit the company?
- How did the AI application not benefit the company?
- Describe how artificial intelligence works to determine who does and does not get approved for loans?
- Are there any potential draw backs to the algorithm that could lead to inequities and biases in lending and do the pro's out way the con's?



PRO



CON

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Circle which side you are on:



PRO



CON

AI DEBATE OUTLINE

Circle which side
you are on:



PRO



CON

OPENING STATEMENT

ARGUMENT

REBUTTAL

CLAIM:

CLAIM:

EVIDENCE:

EVIDENCE:

CLOSING STATEMENT

AI DEBATE OBSERVATION

Circle which side they are on:

	PRO		CON
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DID THE PRESENTER...	YES	NO
HAVE GOOD POSTURE?		
LOOK AT THE AUDIENCE?		
SPEAK LOUDLY AND CLEARLY?		

AI DEBATE OBSERVATION

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