

Basic AI Tools for Criminal Law

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"AI won't replace people—but people who use AI will replace people who don't."



Purpose of this presentation

- Brief introduction to AI
- Ethical issues and limitations
- Useful AI tools
- Where AI is heading



Q: How you would like to introduce yourself to a group of criminal lawyers?

A: "Imagine an incredibly knowledgeable legal assistant at your fingertips, available 24/7. That's the power of Gemini, a cutting-edge AI language model from Google. It's trained on a massive collection of legal texts and can understand complex concepts within that domain. *Gemini helps you find relevant laws and cases faster than ever, assists* with drafting legal documents, and even analyzes case details to suggest strategies. It's like having a powerful research teammate, helping you streamline your work and uncover insights that could give your clients an edge."



How Al works

Al is a computer mimicking human intelligence and performing tasks that typically require human cognition

- Data collection
- Data processing
- Model training
- Evaluation
- Fine tuning
- Deployment and continuous learning



Ethical issues and limitations

- Accuracy
- Confidentiality
- Privacy
- Privilege
- Copyright & IP



The power of Al

- GPT-4 was tested on exams like the SAT and medical boards.
- On the SAT, it scored 1410, ranking in the top 6% nationally.
- Passed all versions of the medical board exams, with a mean score of 80.7%.
- Uniform Bar Exam (USA) It passed the multiple-choice portion of the exam and both components of the written portion, exceeding the average score of real-life bar exam takers, scoring in the 90th percentile.

Language and image recognition capabilities of AI systems have improved rapidly

Test scores of the AI relative to human performance



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in Data

What to use and how to use it

- Engage with AI like an assistant it's not a search engine or database
- Prime, prompt and polish
- Rules for prompting
- Main AI tools we will touch on are ChatGPT, Gemini and Dropbox



Dropbox

- Transcribe & AI function
- Record of interview
- Al function and text search



Gemini

- Large language model created by Google AI
- Capable of understanding and responding to complex queries
- Used in a variety of applications, including search and language translation
- Examples: resolution email & application for a stay



ChatGPT

- An advanced language model developed by OpenAI, based on the GPT (Generative Pre-trained Transformer) architecture
- Designed to understand and generate human-like text based on the input it receives
- Version 4 Training ended April 2023
- Multimodal Text (typed, pdf, Word), images, and eventually sound.
- Coding
- Memory
- Voice app



ChatGPT - Examples

- Proof reading & revising
- Summarise case
- Translation
- Photo review
- Submissions
- Research costs
- Predicting sentences
- Creating personalised GPT's



Other AI tools

- Lexis+ Al
- Zoom
- Perplexity
- Email inbox management
- Personal assistants transcribe/take minutes of meetings



Where AI is heading

Near future

- General improvements (ChatGPT 5 Gemini Ultra)
- OpenAI is reportedly developing AI 'agents' that can perform multi-step tasks for users across different applications

More distant future

- Judicial predictions
- Evidence collection



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