



From L&D to organizational learning: are knowledge models the key to closing critical information gaps?

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L&D vs knowledge management



Learning & Development – improving skills, knowledge, competencies

- Delivery methods: e-learning platforms, workshops and seminars, coaching and mentoring, on-the-job training
- Content prepared by professional team; all the knowledge is explicit by definition.
- L&D is the formalized process with metrix. It is possible to measure the effect and improve

Issues

- All activities are centralized and initiated by L&D team
- Content is the key, and it is a challenge always have relevant content and regular activities to deliver it to people



Knowledge Management - capture, store, share, and effectively utilize knowledge within the organization

- Delivery method: employees access knowledge and learning materials on demand
- Explicit and Tacit knowledge types are recognized
- No bottleneck in updating knowledge, everyone can contribute

Issues

- Still needed centralized process of sharing knowledge, e.g. for onboarding
- Training skills is not fully covered

How can we combine the best of two?

Let's see the **trends**
and **new technologies** upcoming

Well-known pedagogic trends in education are...

Hybrid

Hybrid in space & time model requires dramatically different systems and processes for learning, practice & research enabling equal effectiveness for remote, on-premise, virtual and augmented students.



Adaptive

Machine Intelligence can be used to adjust scope and difficulty of learning & practice material based on an **individual student capabilities & progress, specific context of the teacher and subject.**



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Interdisciplinary collaborative practice-based learning, assisted by AI to create capstone projects by groups of students across multiple courses/professors. Constructors need broad view of all applicable knowledge.



Technology Trends Next 5-10 years

These trends create opportunities to solve more of real-world problems

AI & Software 3.0

- Machine Intelligence & Robotics
- All present software has to be rewritten to take full advantage of the above
- Automating knowledge processing
- Dramatically better User Experiences
- Significantly more complex logic

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Metaverse & Metapresence

- Augmented physical and virtual reality, virtual reality modifying physical reality
- Generating video or animated content for any topic with AI
- Using above advances for more effective communications, distributed in space & time

Apple Vision Pro: ready for immersive shopping experience



Neuroscience & Neuropsychology

- Human Brain is mostly the only thing used to teach, learn, research & engineer
- Neuroscience: much deeper understanding brain with better equipment and models
- Neuropsychology: extended psychology with understanding brain actual structure
- Intercommunications: optimal communications methods with the brain

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Knowledge Flow: Research > Education > Tech

Articles (Create)

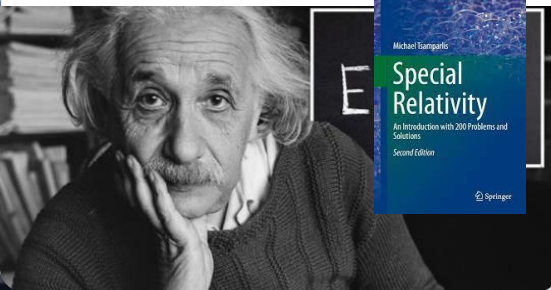
- Scopus database has 2.88M articles in 2023
- 505K articles for 1993 (5.7x in 30y, 6% CAGR)
- Total amount of papers is estimated from 200M (Web of Science = WoS) to 400M (Google Scholar)

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FIGURE AI
INTRODUCING
GPT-5 - BODY

Courses (Spread)

- The time for a research publication to be widely adopted by university programs varies from 2-3 months (e.g., NLP, genAI) to decades (e.g. Quantum Computing pioneered by Feynman in 1981)
- 2023 Q1-2 – ChatGPT success. 2023 Q3-Q4 – Generative AI courses and programs in universities and AltCred



Specifications (Build)

- 29% of all patents make some kind of citation to the science (Marx and Fuegi 2020)
- Average gap between an article and the patent is 17 years
- Average shortest time gap between a patent and a cited journal is 7 years (Ahmadpoor and Jones 2017)

Nuclear power offers a clean energy alternative

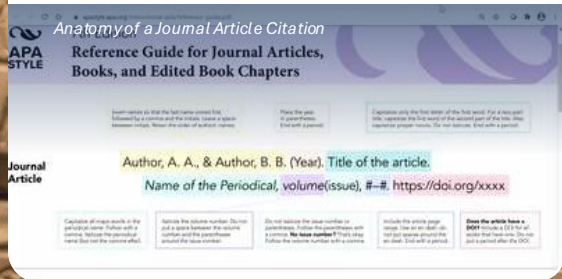
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New Format for Constructor Knowledge Model

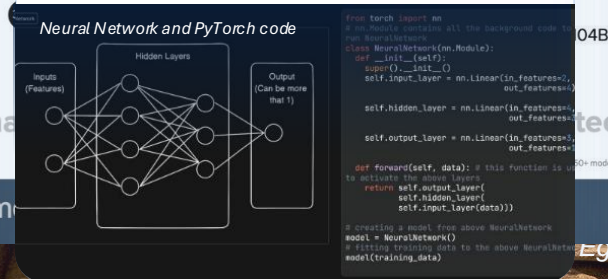
Text, Symbols, Pictures, Charts, Indices, Links, Data

- Most of the knowledge humans consume is represented by text, pictures/visuals, and videos
- AI can generate all of these: text-to-image - DALLE, Midjourney; text-to-video - C>T Avatar, Sythesia, D-ID, Sora; text-to-text - GPTs, LLaMA
- ~328.77 million terabytes of data are created each day, 250M emails, 5.9M Google searchers every minute



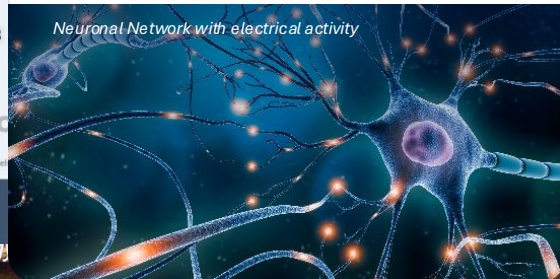
Code and Configs

- Machine-readable description of all resources, middleware, and configuration setting needed to run the model code
- Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG)
- Agents code – patterns: retrieval, self-discovery, self-criticism
- Model fine-tuning
- Instructional Datasets



Knowledge Inference

- Knowledge Application - retrieval in various forms (chat, API, specialized UI)
- Knowledge Browser – visual representation of Knowledge in various forms (mindmap, graph, ontology)
- Knowledge Workflow – complex sequence of actions transforming information (extraction, summarization, comparison, explanation, classification, argumentation, analogy, etc.)



Foundational Constructor Models (CM)

User/Organization CM – Mental World

- Articles/papers read, messages, notes, video scripts, and any other formats of information produced and consumed
- Organization - User CMs combined in a research group/entity/society
- Knowledge stored connected with all corresponding logics and prerequisites

Archive (2020) Movie



Record CM – Platonic Mathematical World

- Record can be an article, a hypothesis, a proposal, a publication, a lecture, a course etc., or a whole research domain with links to adjacent research domains
- Examples of Research Domains:
 - Differential Geometry
 - Soft Matter Physics
 - Adaptive Responsive Functional Materials

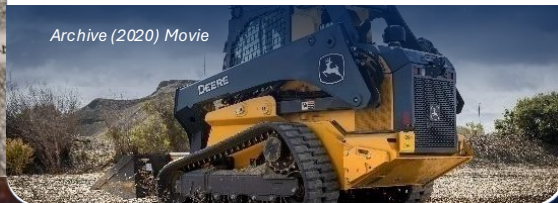
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Machine CM – Physical World

- Something we can build based on the mental and mathematical knowledge and models
- The von Neumann universal constructor is a theoretical self-replicating machine that can:
 1. Read instructions to build other machines or copy itself
 2. Execute those instructions to create new machines
 3. Copy its own instructions to pass on to its "offspring"

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Large Constructor Models – more than books

Ask Questions & Understand Internals

- Ask any questions in any language, ask follow-up questions
- Perform computations, data analytics, visualize data
- Personalized experience based on user background and level of access
- Understand internal structure and reasoning, explore parameters space & interpret results

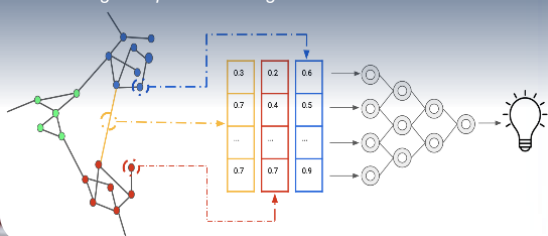
Add Knowledge

- Adding fresh data, extending datasets, publishing updates
- Adding personal or company data that should not be visible to others
- Connecting push or pull data sources, and configuring auto-update rules
- Upload legacy documents (text, images, PDF, etc.)

Customize, Integrate, Expand

- Branch & modify CM for separate use
- Re-train or fine-tune a branch and merge back
- Connect and Merge CMs
- Create applications on top of Constructor Model
- Applications can be used by people or by Constructor Models

Knowledge Graph Embedding Machine Learning Task



The Fifth Element (1997) – Leeloo learns all facts about human race



Groundhog Day classic comedy film, 1993



Constructor Model is “Alive”

Adaptive

- Knows who is the user, what is his background, and adapts accordingly
- Maintains context and coherence throughout the interaction
- Personalizes responses based on user preferences and history

Panther Chameleon, Madagascar



Interactive

- Responds to user queries and prompts in a conversational manner, initiates relevant questions to gather more information from the user
- Offers suggestions and recommendations based on user input and context
- Provides timely reminders and notifications to assist the user

Sphinx creature posing riddles to those who sought passage



Dynamic

- Continuously learns and adapts based on user interactions and feedback
- Incorporates new knowledge to expand its capabilities over time
- Improves performance and accuracy with each conversation

Xenomorph in “Alien: Romulus” (2024)



CM Adoption Challenges

Privacy and Security

- Confidentiality, Data connections, Access Control, Censorship
- Data poisoning, Adversarial prompting, Unauthorized code execution, Inadequate sandboxing
- Global Cybersecurity market is estimated \$170B in 2023

CalypsoAI – AI testing and security



Accelerate trust in AI.

Copyrights and other IP

- Managing copyrights, licenses, trademarks
- Managing patents defensively and offensively
- Managing originality – preserving “copyrightability”
- Its own and ecosystem licensing, copyright, trademark management

Computer-generated Paul Walker face in “Furious 7” (2015)



Interoperability

- Switching to another or multiple CMs: when the AI flow was designed for a particular LLM or CM, an introduction of a new/updated or additional LLM
- Newly emerging CMs should have backward compatibility is a must-have for all software and applications
- CMs should be compatible scholarly knowledge ecosystem

NeXT computer running the first web server



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C>ONSTRUCTOR Knowledge

- **Global Local:** Main campus in Bremen, secondary campus in Schaffhausen
- **Broad Disciplines** but with application of Computers, Software Engineering and AI
- Highly **Fundamental** Science with Clear and Near **Applications**
- **Meta Hybrid:** 10,000+ on campus, 150,000+ hybrid/online

C>ONSTRUCTOR Capital

- Seed, Early & Growth stage venture fund investing in Software Tech, Deep Tech, Edu Tech
- Leveraging Constructor Group Access to University & Research Clusters, Expertise & People
- To find, approach & help companies for its portfolio

C>ONSTRUCTOR Technology

- Tech platform for \$300B/year vertical Knowledge Market (Science, Research, and Education)
- Which requires specialized Applications, Platform, Infrastructure, Consulting & Services
- To make scientists, researchers, administrators and educators more effective and more efficient



Constructor Platform High Level Architecture

Infrastructure Layer

- Software Defined Infrastructure
- Provisioning and management of heterogeneous compute and storage resources
- Enabling scalability and flexibility with ongoing monitoring and optimization
- Wide range of middleware, LLMs, tools and workflows – ready to use together

IBM z16 mainframe



Constructor Director

- Privacy and Security management
- System management and monitoring and analytics
- Data Management, Import/Export, Streaming, Migration tools
- Performance and cost optimization
- 3rd party software integration management

Conductor's Platform (Special "Bolshoi Theatre" Edition)



Application Platform

- Application Stack and Development Tools
- APIs and SDKs with documentation
- Developer Portal
- App Standards and Design Guidelines
- Community forums and support
- Marketplace / App Store
- Platform Marketing, Partnerships & Sales



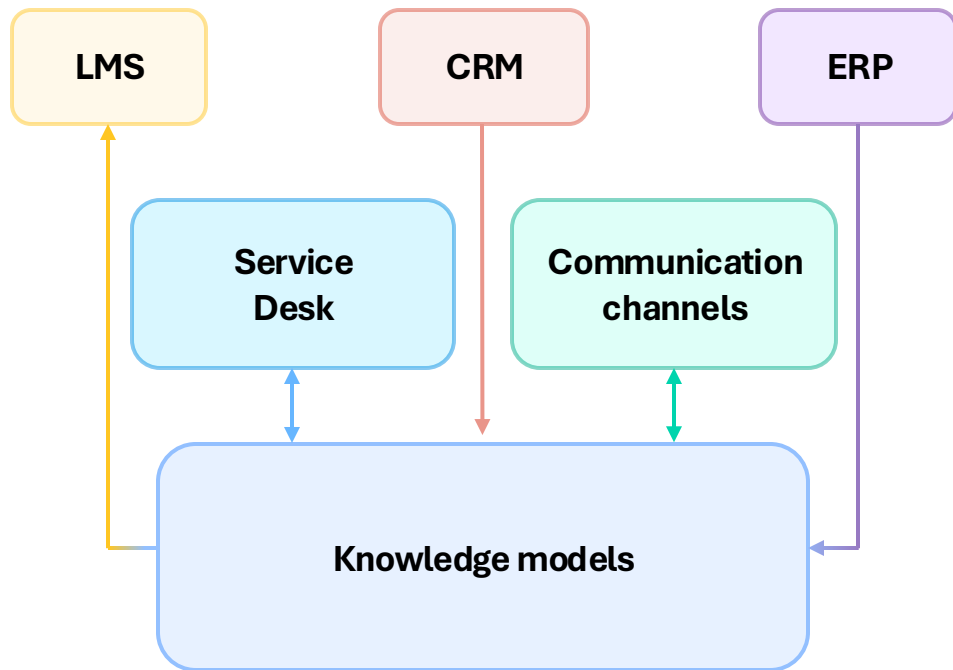
How is it related to corporate education?

Knowledge model can be always updated

- getting data/information from different sources, including explicit and tacit.
- there is no human bottlenecks.

Knowledge model can be used in different modes

- Giving knowledge on demand in a form of chat or integrated into any application
- Integrating knowledge model into learning management systems to keep formal L&D processes running





Thank you!

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