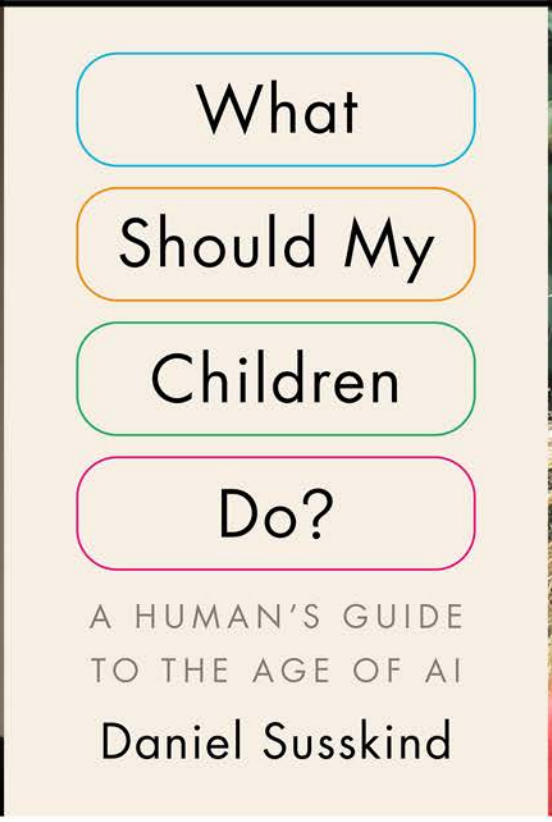






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A Human's Guide to the Age of AI

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Every day, it seems, machines take on tasks we thought only people could do: diagnosing illness, drafting legal arguments, writing code, designing buildings, even forming relationships. The leaders of the largest AI companies now claim that within a few years AI will outperform us at nearly everything. For parents, the most pressing question is a simple one: what should my children do?

Economist **Daniel Susskind, D.Phil.**, has spent fifteen years studying how technology changes work. In ***What Should My Children Do? A Human's Guide to the Age of AI***, he offers an evidence-based and hopeful answer. Susskind argues against banning new tools, discouraging skills that are in demand, or clinging to inherited ways of working. Instead, he shows how young people can master new technologies without eroding the other skills they will need, and he maps a path forward that runs from rethinking the school curriculum to reimagining white-collar careers. The book is written for parents, and for anyone wondering how to respond to the upheaval already underway in the working world.

Susskind is the Mercers' School Memorial Professor of Business at Gresham College, London, and the author of *Growth: A Reckoning,* chosen by President Obama as one of his favorite books of 2024 and a runner-up for the Financial Times Business Book of the Year, and *A World Without Work*. He will be in conversation with **Ellen Galinsky** (FAN '24), president of Families and Work Institute and one of the founders of the work-family field. She is the author of *Mind in the Making*, which the *New York Times* called an iconic parenting manual, and *The Breakthrough Years*, on adolescence

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