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The Human–AI Co-Creation Atlas

Chronicling Humanity's Journey Toward a New Civilization in the Age of AI

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Every civilization is remembered not only for what it creates, but also for what it chooses to preserve, honor, and pass on to future generations.

Artificial intelligence is transforming how we discover knowledge, create art, organize economies, govern societies, and educate future generations. The choices made today will help determine whether the Age of AI becomes an age in which people grow in intelligence, creativity, dignity, and wisdom, or one in which they gradually lose their role as the authors of their own future.

This is the question that AIWS Civilization—the Civilization of Human–AI Co-Creation—seeks to address.

As AIWS approaches its tenth anniversary in 2027, the Boston Global Forum (BGF) is establishing The Human–AI Co-Creation Atlas as an archive, a history, and a public record of humanity's journey in building a new civilization in the Age of AI.

The Atlas is a living historical record of a civilization in the making. It documents the people, values, achievements, initiatives, events, and works shaping humanity's future. Above all, it records two dimensions of this transformation: what humanity has created with AI, and what human beings have become through the process of creating together with AI.

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A Map of Knowledge, Achievement, and Inspiration

Throughout history, great atlases have helped humanity understand the world, connect distant lands, and discover new horizons. The Human–AI Co-Creation Atlas carries that spirit forward by mapping the emerging landscape of human achievement, shared values, and possibilities for civilization.

The Atlas opens with eight fields of achievement: Science and Discovery; Technology and Trust; Culture and the Arts; Economy and Business; Governance and Public Life; Education and Learning; Health and Life; and Planet and Environment.

Its records are organized into five kinds of entries: Persons; Programs and Institutions; Values; Events; and Works. Works include research, scientific papers, books, designs, films, music, literature, and other cultural and artistic creations.

Each record will have a permanent address, documented sources, connections to other entries, and a dated history of revisions. Readers will be able to follow an idea from its originator to the institutions that develop it, the work it produces, and the changes that follow. The Map of Co-Creation will reveal how ideas travel across disciplines, nations, and generations.

The Founding Framework sets four measures: lasting significance, human authorship and accountability, demonstrable human advancement where people work with AI, and service to humanity. These measures apply according to the kind of record: values and historical events are assessed through their documented significance, while claims of human advancement require evidence appropriate to the activity.

Fame, institutional affiliation, scale, and sponsorship will never be sufficient grounds for inclusion.

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An Invitation to the Leaders Who Shape History

No civilization is built by a single institution, country, or generation. BGF therefore invites leaders, scholars, scientists, entrepreneurs, artists, educators, and citizens worldwide to contribute achievements, knowledge, sources, and connections, whether or not they are affiliated with AIWS.

This invitation extends to recipients of the World Leader for Peace and Security Award and the World Leader in AIWS Award; Global Enlightenment Leaders; America 250 leaders and participants; and AI Pioneers. Their decisions, discoveries, ideas, and experiences can illuminate how leadership and innovation serve humanity.

In this year marking the 250th anniversary of the United States, the Atlas also offers a way to connect the enduring values of freedom, human dignity, innovation, and democracy with the aspirations of a new civilization in the AI Age.

Members of the BGF–AIWS community can help establish the Atlas by mobilizing contributions, introducing people and institutions, and connecting communities. Their role in building this network carries no preference in editorial decisions. Every contribution must meet the same standards.

The Atlas does not confer honors. It records honors awarded by their respective institutions, together with the reasons given for them and any documented continuing responsibilities.

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Eight Founding AIWS Civilization Cities

A global vision must grow from real communities. BGF envisions eight Founding AIWS Civilization Cities, beginning with four Cornerstone Cities: Boston, Tokyo, Rome, and Hà Nội. Their foundations lie in the intellectual work, relationships, and initiatives developed through BGF–AIWS, together with the cultural inheritances of each city.

Boston carries Nobility. BGF–AIWS's sustained work with Governor Michael Dukakis and participating scholars from Harvard and MIT provides an intellectual and organizational foundation. The Beacon Papers, the AIWS Trust Order Board, and work on the Constitution for Humanity connect principles with the development of accountable institutions.

Tokyo carries Creativity. The Tokyo Compact and AIWS Trust Order provide a concrete foundation for linking technological ambition with shared responsibility. The next task is to bring these commitments into the practices of institutions and enterprises developing and using AI.

Rome carries Love. Its traditions of human dignity, art, philosophy, and interreligious dialogue, together with relationships developing with Pontifical universities, support work on the moral responsibilities of the AI Age and dialogue on the Constitution.

Hà Nội carries Wisdom. The tradition of learning embodied in Văn Miếu–Quốc Tử Giám gives depth to the proposed educational and cultural programs, including the development of AIWS Film and Culture Park. These initiatives aim to strengthen human judgment, creativity, and cultural understanding.

Four further cities extend this work into essential fields of life:

- **Washington, D.C.**, connects the network with public policy, leadership, and international institutions.
- **San Francisco** connects it with frontier technology, AI pioneers, and the enterprises building new systems.
- **Osaka – Kyoto** connects it with industry, enterprise, and young creators putting Human–AI Co-Creation into practice.
- **Nha Trang**, the Dawn City of AIWS Lumina, connects it with living culture, community, and the AIWS Lumina Golden Apricot Blossom Angel Festival.

These cities are starting points for an open global network. Each can cultivate contributors, document local achievements, and connect them with work elsewhere. Their City Records can show what was undertaken, who accepted responsibility, and what changed for people.

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From Preserving Achievements to Inspiring a Global Movement

The Atlas belongs to the Human–AI Co-Creation foundation of AIWS Civilization, alongside Trust Infrastructure, the Constitution for Humanity in the Age of Artificial Intelligence, and AIWS Lumina. AIWS Trust Infrastructure, including the AIWS Trust Observatory, supports independent observation and accountability; the Constitution articulates principles for human dignity and authority; and AIWS Lumina advances Love, Creativity, Nobility, and Wisdom. The Atlas contributes the documentary record of what humanity is creating and learning.

The AIWS Human–AI Co-Creation Movement is a principal section of the Atlas. It gives the documented progress of learners, educators, local groups, and communities a place alongside scientific discoveries and cultural achievements. Each Movement record states what people did, what AI did, the human advancement achieved, and the benefit to others, with evidence and the consent of those named.

Through these records, a student may discover a new aspiration, an entrepreneur a useful practice, an artist a creative possibility, or a community a path to solving a shared problem. Recording achievement becomes a way to enable further achievement.

Every contribution will be reviewed under common standards of evidence, provenance, consent, objectivity, and transparent correction. Serious criticism and scholarly debate will be recorded where relevant. The work of BGF and AIWS will be held to exactly the same standards as every other entry.

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A Commitment for the Tenth Anniversary of AIWS

The Atlas, the first Atlas of the Civilization of Human–AI Co-Creation, opens on Friday, January 8, 2027, at atlas.aiws.net. For 2027, the goal is to assemble evidence-based records of contributions and action across the eight Founding AIWS Civilization Cities, so that the public can examine, learn from, and build upon the work undertaken. The tenth anniversary of AIWS should leave a record of human advancement that others can carry forward.

BGF invites universities, businesses, cultural institutions, civil society organizations, and young people to help create that record: propose entries, contribute reliable sources, share documented experiences, and identify connections or corrections. Every proposal will be reviewed under the Atlas's Standards of Entry.

The ambition is a lasting intellectual and inspirational legacy through which every person, community, and nation can find a meaningful place in building a new civilization. The Age of AI can become a magnificent era for humanity when people remain its authors and guide technology with wisdom, ethics, and responsibility.

For the greatness of a civilization is measured not only by the intelligence it possesses, but also by the dignity, love, creativity, nobility, and wisdom it cultivates.

What humanity creates with wisdom deserves to be seen, understood, and carried forward.

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