

# Bioethics Bulletin

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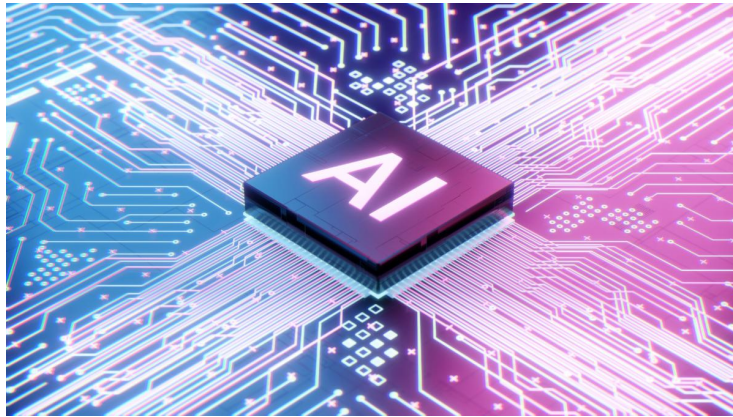
## An Evening at The Abbott Purchase Your Ticket Now for the Center's 40th Anniversary Celebration Dinner

You have many ways you could spend the evening of **Thursday, April 11, 2024**. We hope you'll spend it with us at The Abbott, 1901 Cherry, KCMO.

- **Keynote Address and Fireside Chat with Daniela Lamas, MD, New York Times contributing opinion writer, pulmonary and critical care doctor and Harvard Medical School faculty member**
- **Introducing James Stowe, President and CEO, and honoring past leaders**
  - Myra Christopher, Founding President and CEO
  - John G. Carney, Immediate Past President and CEO
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- **Celebrating our past and visioning our future**



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## AI Ethics and the Productivity Trap

The recent surge in AI hype has been accompanied by growing concerns about unforeseen risks these technologies may bring with them. AI systems have been shown to reproduce biases found in the data used to create them, often worsening existing societal inequities. Adoption has been rapid, risks are known to exist, and best practices for managing these risks have yet to reach broad adoption.

In this piece, [Matthew Pjecha, MS](#), Ethical AI Program Coordinator at the Center, considers what will happen when future best practices run up against material interests in increased production. Which will give way to the other? Will society ever get beyond asking how these models are made to address why they are used?

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