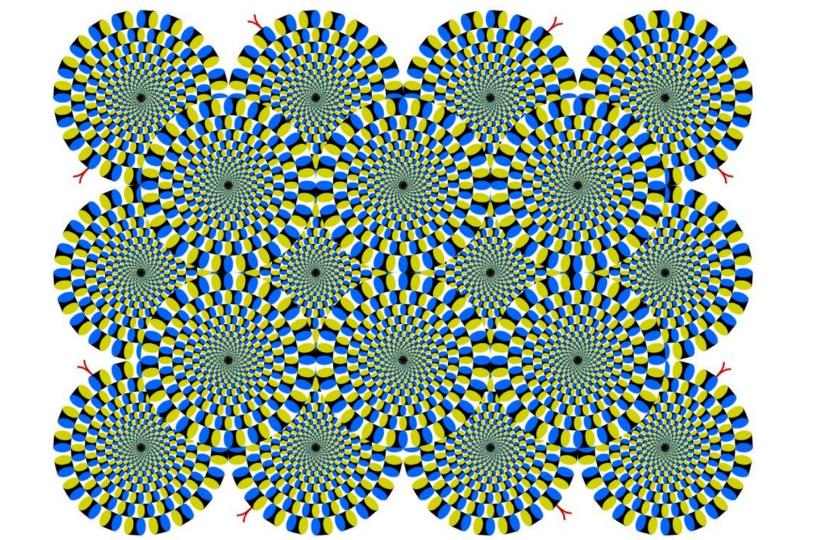


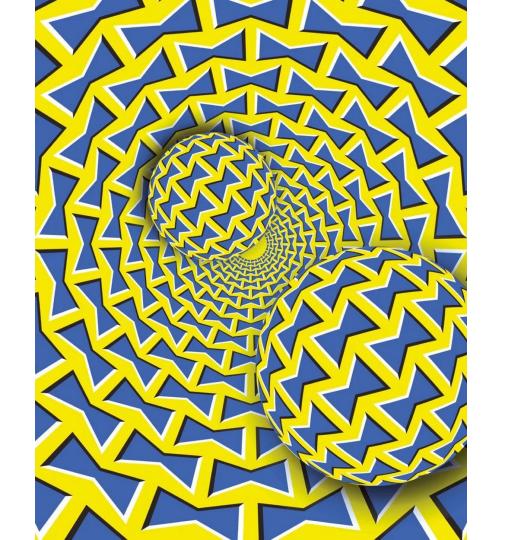
# How will AI affect our sense of reality?

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# Conspiracy theories: Organization/person X is behind all of this



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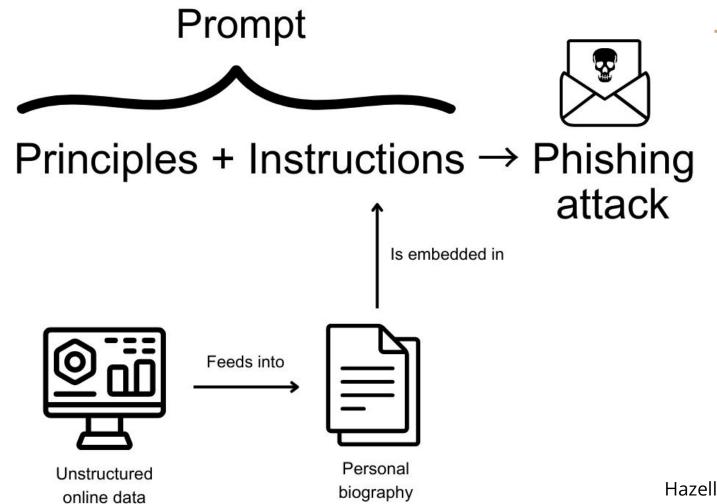
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checking it is an extra process

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Generative Al (e.g., ChatGPT)





