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EXPLORING RESEARCH DIRECTIONS

INVITED ▪ LECTURE

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Are We a Scientific or Fideistic Society?

To answer this question, one would have to be very competent in both the scientific and the fideistic/theological fields. Now if in the former I have years of experience that has evolved and been consolidated in the field, in the latter I feel like an amateur. In a very short time, we have witnessed great discoveries in both physics and biology (think DNA) that as a natural counterbalance have reinvigorated the never dormant need for a creative intelligence, or God. Will the introduction of AI into our daily lives succeed in being seen as the new creator God? In my dissertation I will highlight the scientific approach that a researcher must have for his or her work and will be compared with a fideistic approach. The possibilities of convergence or divergence in social, ethical and moral approaches between science and religion will be discussed.