

THE
LEGAL
SINGULARITY

How Artificial Intelligence Can Make
Law Radically Better

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Legal Singularity [**lee-guhl** sing-gyuh-**lar-i-tee**]

noun

a future state in which technology facilitates the ongoing *functional completeness* of the law.

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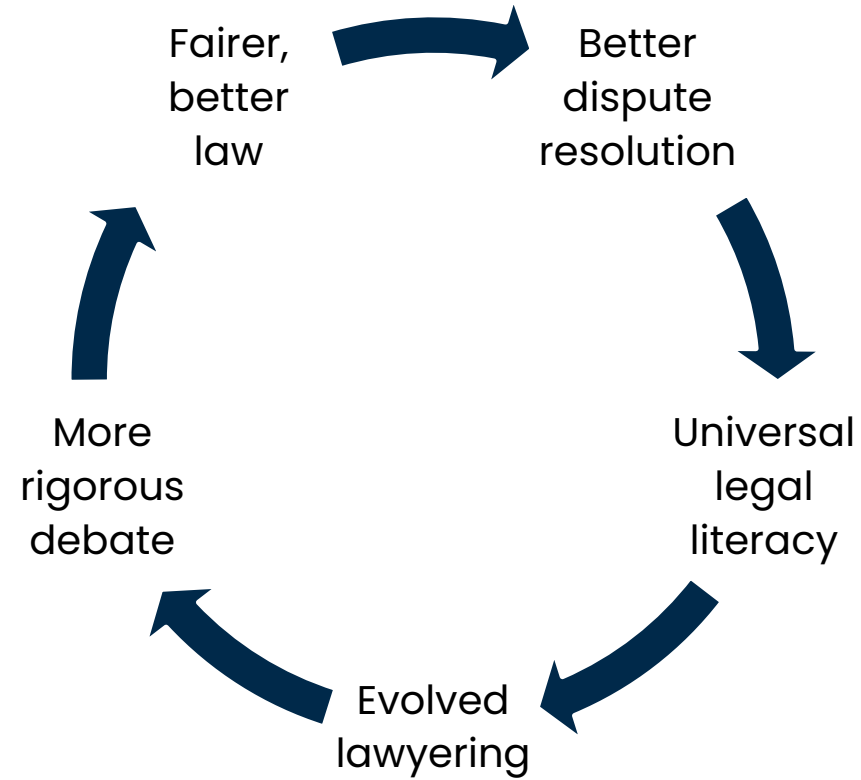


Prediction is law's long-held aspiration

“
The prophecies of what
the courts will do in fact,
and nothing more
pretentious, are what I
mean by the law.”



What do we stand to gain from the Legal Singularity?



CLAIM 1

Fairer, better law: Law will at once become more complex and specified, but also fairer, clearer and better calibrated.

CLAIM 2

Better dispute resolution: Judging will become more normative and policy-oriented and will better meet society's needs.

CLAIM 3

Universal legal literacy: The law will be knowable everywhere and on-demand. Individuals will have a real-time sense of their legal rights and obligations.

CLAIM 4

Evolved lawyering: Lawyering will become more pervasive but will change in ways that will demand more creativity and dynamism.

CLAIM 5

More rigorous debate: The proliferation of AI technology will require grappling with law's deep shortcomings *and* possibilities.

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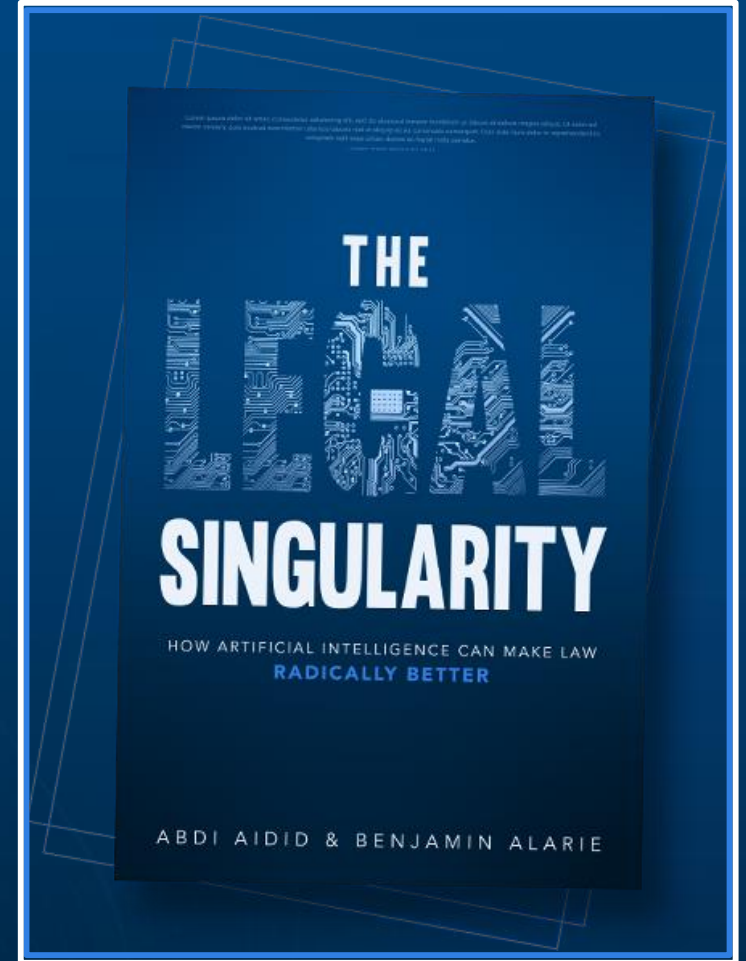
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