From: "▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮ on behalf of Ben Goertzel <▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮>"
To: Jeffrey Epstein <jeevacation@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: someone else's chat with Larry Page
Date: Fri, 09 Oct 2009 12:22:26 +0000

Will do...

On Fri, Oct 9, 2009 at 7:49 AM, Jeffrey Epstein <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:
> please have itimar send me a working example of his vision system.. he said
> it can distinguish between cats and dogs in various scales and positions, I
> would like to see a demonstration
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> On Thu, Oct 8, 2009 at 8:35 AM, Ben Goertzel <▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮> wrote:
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>> Hi,
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>> I'm working on a "mini version" of the proposal to send to some "big
>> name" acquaintances to recruit their endorsements for Itamar's and my
>> project...
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>> BTW though, I mentioned your comments about Larry Page to my friend
>> Rod Furlan (who knows Larry) and here was his reply
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>> We can see from his comments to Rod what Larry's view on AGI is: he
>> doesn't think a complex AGI architecture like mine or Itamar's is
>> needed ... he sorta thinks it's going to emerge from what Google is
>> already doing via processing masses of data. If he believe that then,
>> yeah, he'll believe there's lots of AI work going on at Google...
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>> ben
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>> ---------- Forwarded message ----------
>> From: Rod Furlan <▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮>
>> Date: Thu, Oct 8, 2009 at 12:13 AM
>> Subject: Re: Meeting w/ Epstein
>> To: Ben Goertzel <▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮▮>
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>> Larry Page told me something completely different just a few weeks
>> ago. He said that he finds it hard to get Googlers to seriously work
>> on AGI and that in fact, that he would be willing to invest on
>> external AI projects because in his view not enough people are working
>> on it right now. He also said that he believes that AGI will "emerge
>> from mountains of data, lots of computing power and a simple
>> algorithm" and then he went on to be completely wrong on his reasoning
>> of how simple intelligence must be because doesn't take much
>> information to express it in DNA.
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>> --
>> Rod Furlan
>> bitcortex.com
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>> "The first ultra-intelligent machine is the last invention that man
>> need ever make."

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Ben Goertzel, PhD
CEO, Novamente LLC and Biomind LLC
Director of Research, SIAI
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"Truth is a pathless land" -- Jiddu Krishnamurti