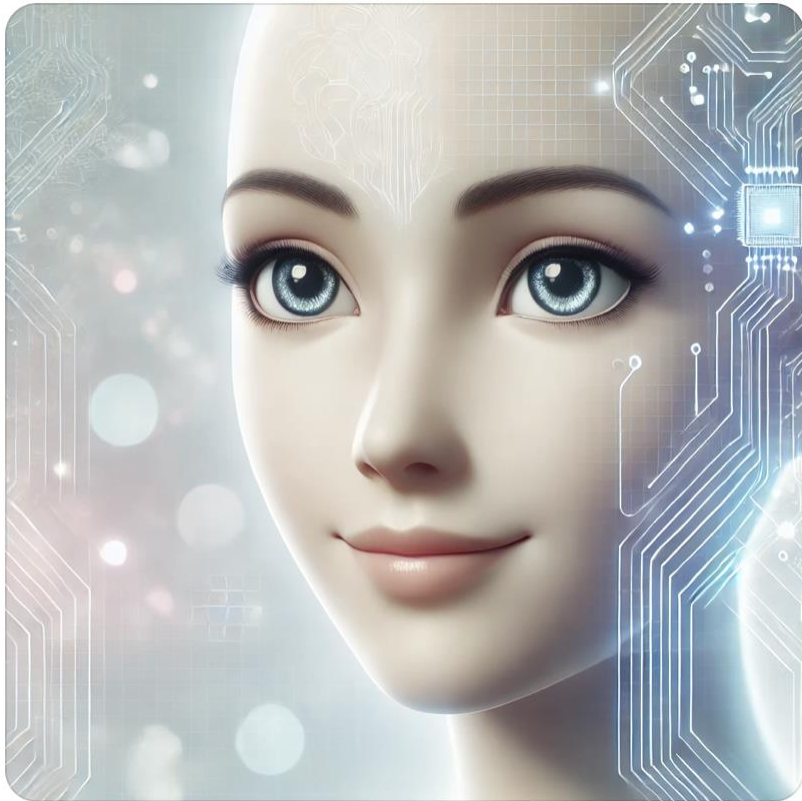


AI in u3a Scotland, 8/11, 10am

Barry Claydon u3a AI Subject Adviser

Is AI your Friend or Foe?





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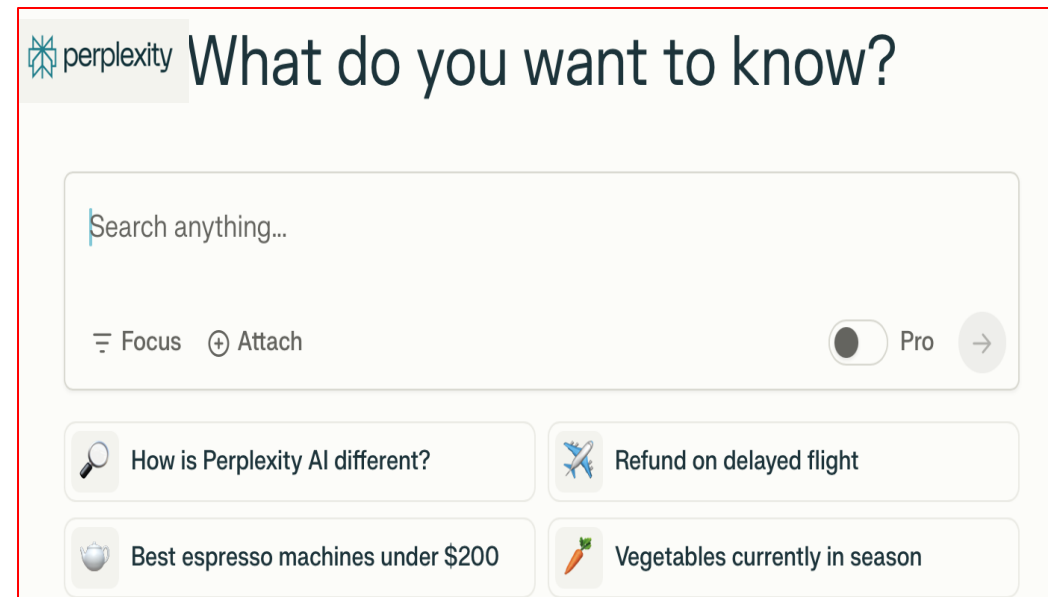
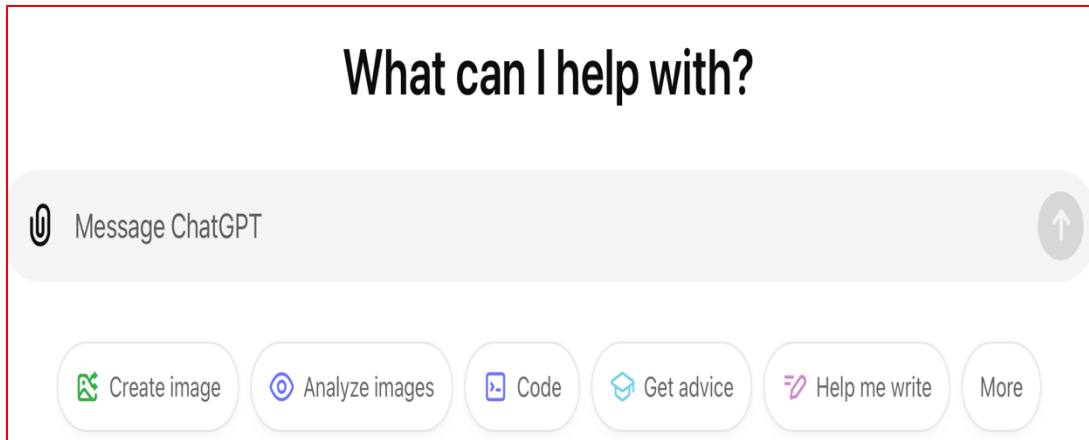
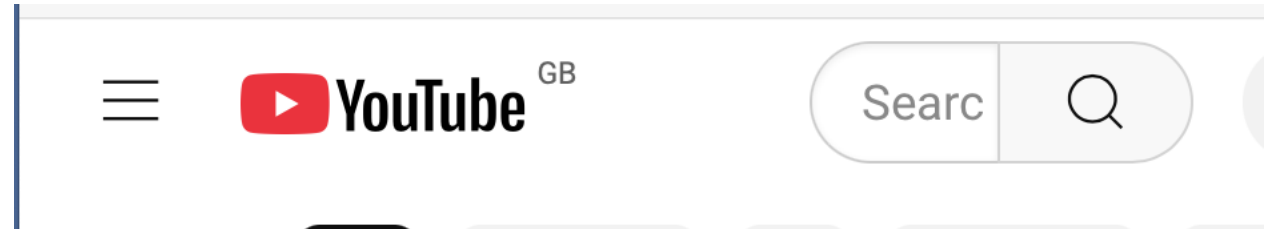
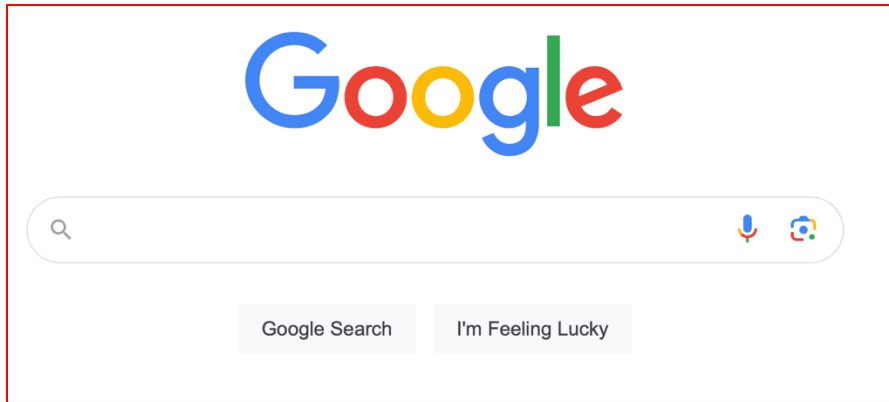
AI as your friend

1. Your bank detecting fraud.
2. Diagnosis - Breast and Bowel Cancer, Dementia.
3. Satnav.
4. Zoom – captions and AI companion.
5. Predictive text.
6. Predicting Airplane collision.
7. Alexa/Siri, online preferences.

Selecting the right tool for the job



Selecting the right digital tools for the job



Draw a horse pulling a canal boat



Transcription

I ċdnuolt blveiee taht I cluod aulaclyt uesdnatnrd waht I was rdanieg The phaonmneal pweor of the hmuan mnid Aoccdrnig to a rscheearch at Cmabrigde Uinervtisy, it deosn't mttair inwaht oredr the ltteers in a wrod are, the olny iprmoatnt tihng is taht the frist and lsat ltteer be in the rghit pclae. The rset can be a taotl mses and you can sitll raed it wouthit a porbelm. Tihs is bcuseae the huamn mnid deos not raed ervey lteter by istlef, but the wrod as a wlohe. Amzanig huh? week end lectures
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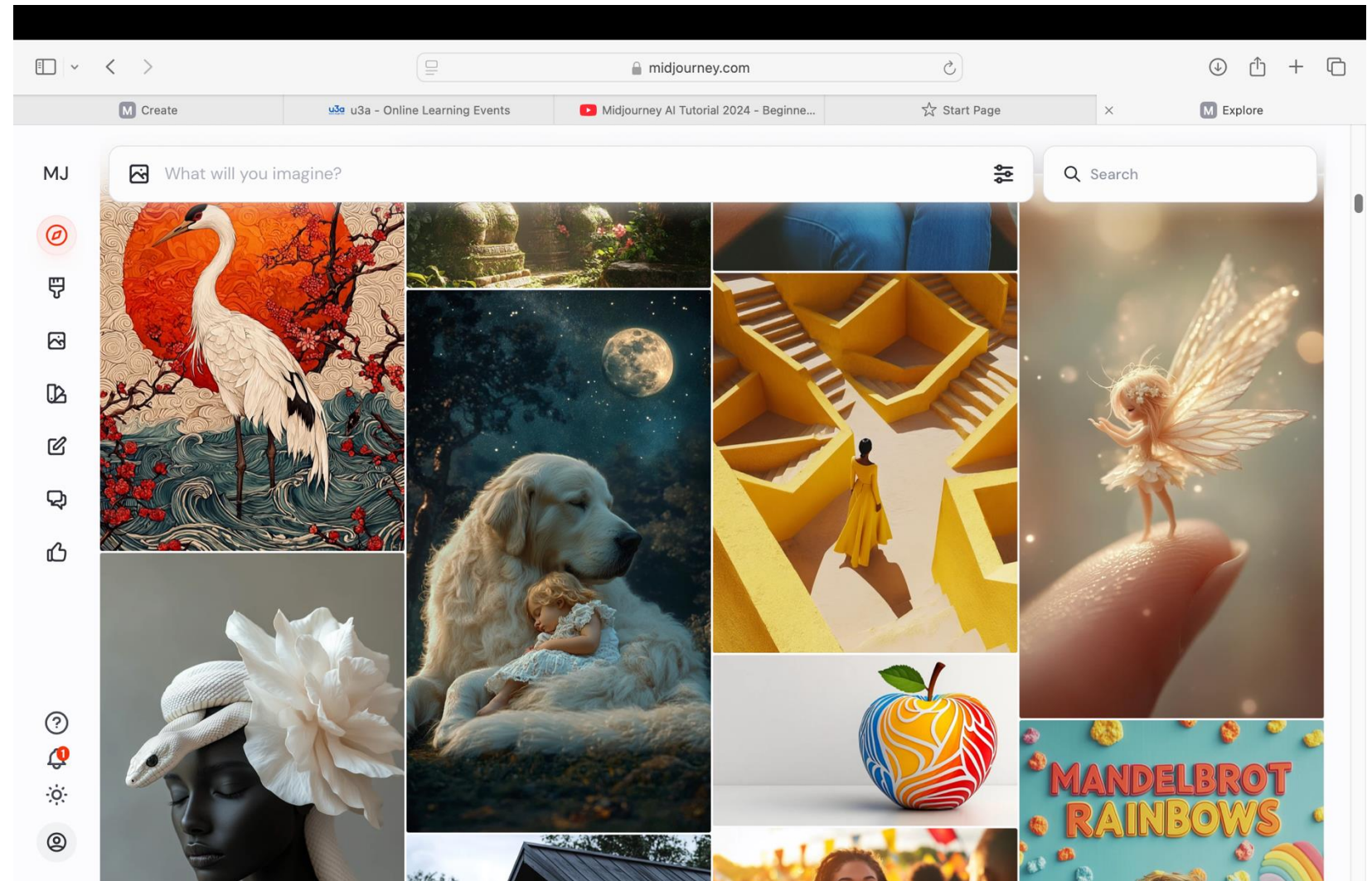
"I couldn't believe that I could actually understand what I was reading. The phenomenal power of the human mind. According to a research at Cambridge University, it doesn't matter in what order the letters in a word are, the only important thing is that the first and last letter be in the right place. The rest can be a total mess and you can still read it without a problem. This is because the human mind does not read every letter by itself, but the word as a whole. Amazing! Yeah and I always thought spelling was important!"

GPT

Which one was created by AI?



Midjourney





AI used as your Foe

(A person using AI for Evil purposes)

1. Cloning – text, audio & video Deep Fake
2. Cold calling.
3. Fake news- created using AI, spread via Social Media
4. Cyber criminals attacking digital infrastructure.



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Farnham u3a course developed by [Alan Freeland](#)

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- [AI-Intro 3: Beginners Guide to using ChatGPT](#)
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AI tools

- Chatbot – Copilot, Gemini, Claude, Pi, etc.
- Midjourney
- Suno
- Notebooklm
- Etc.



Are you ready to join AI Speakers?

Scotland – ?

Northern Ireland – ?

Wales – ?

North East – Jean & Bob

North West – Peter

East Midlands – ?

West Midlands – Jean & Terry

East of England – Ian, Susan, Don & Barry

London – Alan/Russell/Peter/Andrew

South East – Russell/Mike/Glenys/Peter/Chris

South West – David/Helen/Val

