

DeepFakes: State of Affairs, State of Defense

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1. Post Truth

2. DeepFakes

3. Tech Defense

4. Human Defense



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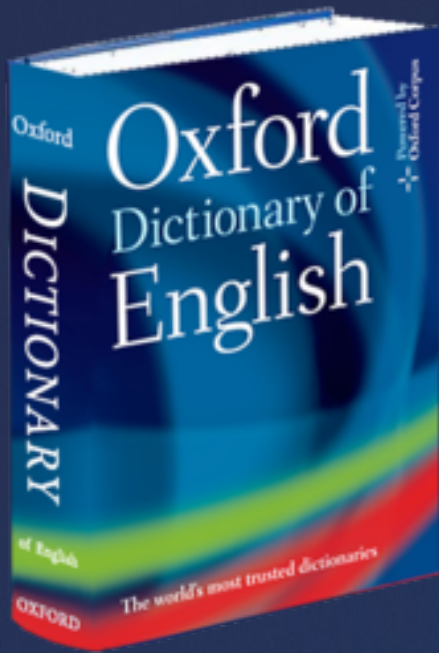
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DeepFakes are not happening in a *social* black hole.





post-truth

ADJECTIVE

Relating to or denoting circumstances in which objective facts are less influential in shaping public opinion than appeals to emotion and personal belief.

Competing Understandings of Reality



F A C T
K E

A close-up photograph of a hand placing a wooden block with the letters 'K' and 'E' on top of a row of four wooden blocks that spell out 'FACT'. The blocks are light-colored wood with black letters. The hand is positioned on the right side of the frame, with the thumb and index finger visible, resting on the 'K' and 'E' block. The background is a soft, out-of-focus grey.

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DeepFakes: An Evolving Term

* Loosely *

Fabricated “fake” media created through the use of Artificial Intelligence and/or *deep* learning methods.

DeepFakes: State of Affairs



Fake Photos



Voice Fakes



Video Alteration & Fabrication



Face
Swapping



Authentic voice
Lip Sync with
complementary
facial movement



DeepFakes: State of the Art

Fake Photo Generation

Source: thispersondoesnotexist.com



Produced by a GAN (generative adversarial network)
[StyleGAN](#) (Dec 2018) - [Karras](#) et al. and Nvidia
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Voice Fakes: Authentic Voice Replication



#VoCo. Adobe MAX 2016 (Sneak Peeks) | Adobe Creative Cloud

1,613,073 views

9.2K 477 SHARE SAVE ...



Adobe Creative Cloud
Published on Nov 4, 2016



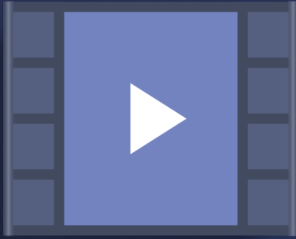
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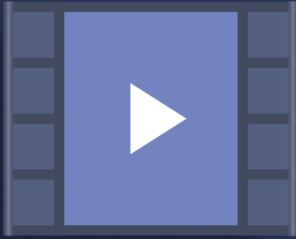
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- ✔ Create your own vocal avatar and use it wherever you want
- ✔ Integrate the vocal avatars of your users in your application

[CREATE MY VOICE](#)



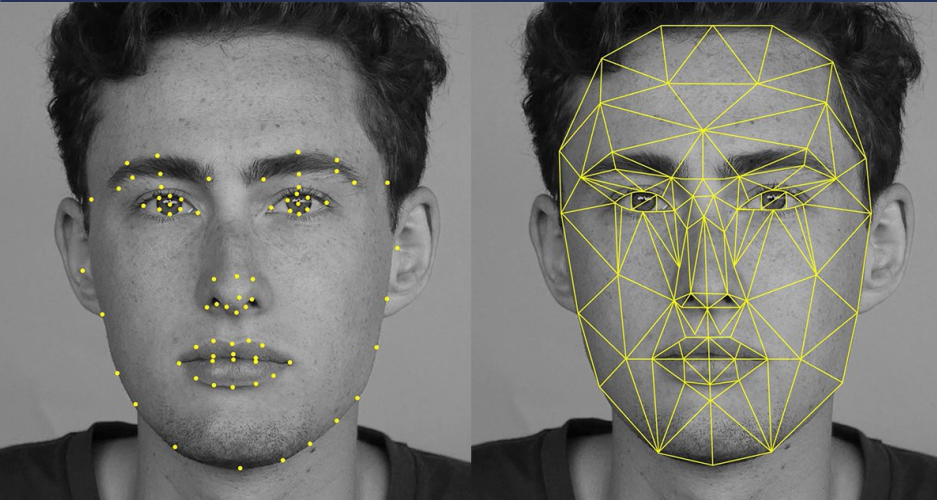
DeepFake Videos are not *Hollywood style Visual Effects (VFX)*





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Video Alteration: Face Swapping

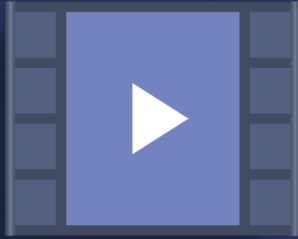


← Mapping the target actor's face.

Source: <https://hackernoon.com/building-a-facial-recognition-pipeline-with-deep-learning-in-tensorflow-66e7645015b8> by Cole Murray

Arguably most popular:
Nicholas Cage DeepFake face swaps →





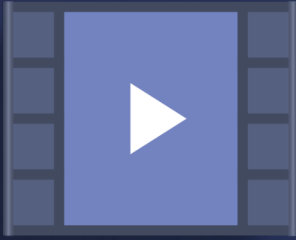
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Steve Buscemi Face and Jennifer Lawrence Body & Voice





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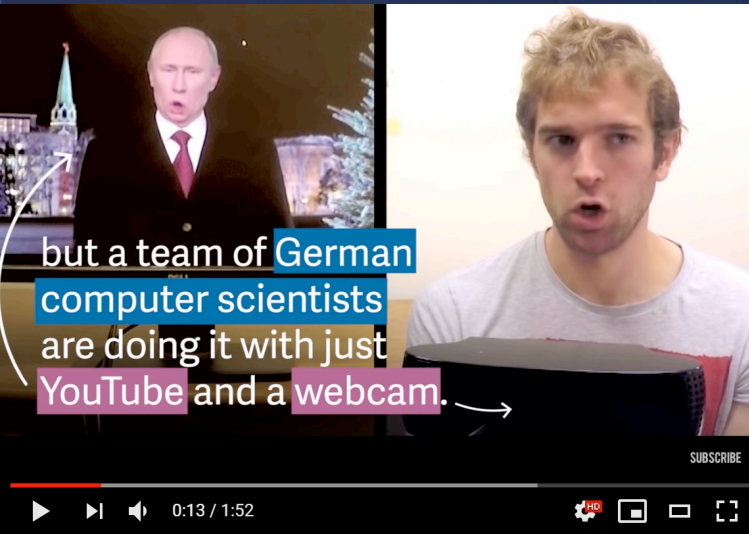


Deep Video Portrait (DVP)

Facial manipulation (not replacement), also referred to as facial reenactment and Video Puppetry.

DVP + Voice Fake

Authentic voice Lip Sync with complementary facial movement



Nothing is real: How German scientists control Putin's face

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Quartz
Published on Apr 6, 2016

A research team has created software that allows them to control the face of anyone in any video on YouTube. The result is a weird cross between Snapchat's "face swap" feature and the "gibberish" scene from Bruce Almighty.

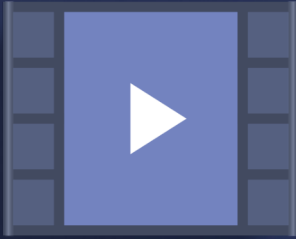


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Supasorn Suwajanakorn
Published on Jul 11, 2017

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SIGGRAPH 2017



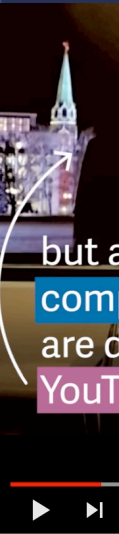
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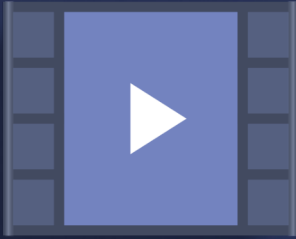


but a team of German
computer scientists
are doing it with just
YouTube and a webcam.



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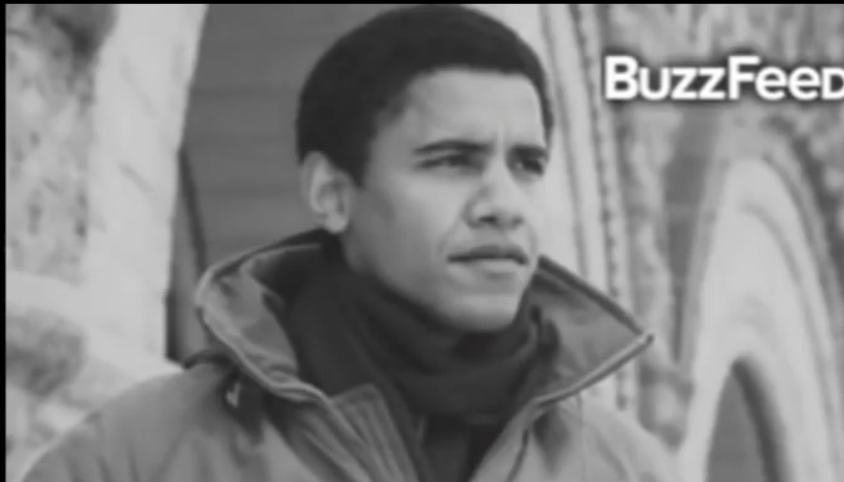
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**What can we do about this
from a security defense and
awareness perspective?**

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Tech Defense

There is good news!

Technology is being developed to identify deep fakes!

Technology is a useful
defense against technological
manipulation.



#16 Fast Company's 50 Most Innovative Companies 2019

#1 in the Social Good Category

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can trust



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Use Cases:

News & Media,
Insurance,
Ecommerce,
Field Construction Documentation,
Laboratory Results

DARPA is funding new tech that can identify manipulated videos and 'deepfakes'

Taylor Hatmaker @tayhatmaker / 12 months ago

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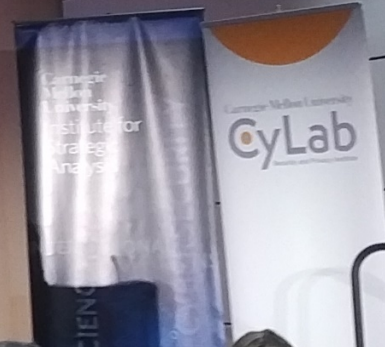
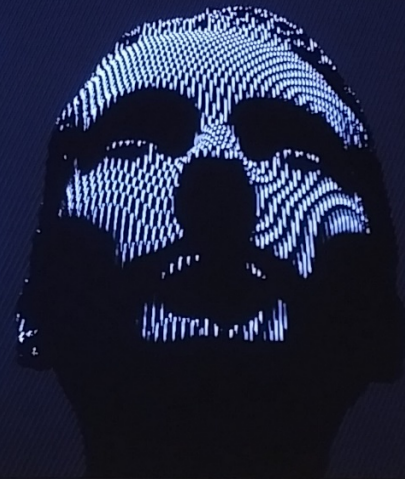
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State of the Art Voice Recognition Research

Voice carries information
your age, height, weight
your health
your background
your personality
your environment

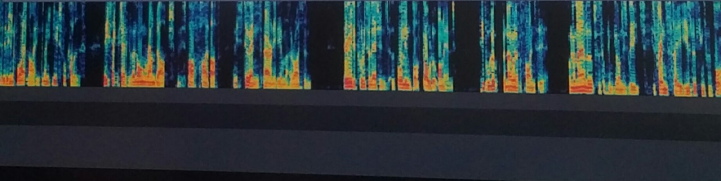
your face
much much more...





Demographic - Skeletal Structure

	<p>Caucasoid Skull</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long and narrow face Orthogonal (flat) face Prominent chin 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Narrow nasal opening Projecting nasal spine
	<p>Mongoloid Skull</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long skull length Shovel shaped incisors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wide zygomatics (cheekbones) Rounded orbits
	<p>Negroid Skull</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long skull length Post-premaxillary depression Alveolar prognathism Wide nasal opening 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Low skull height



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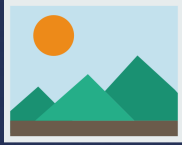
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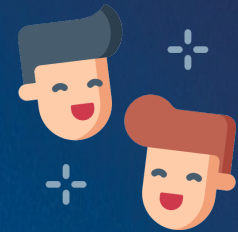
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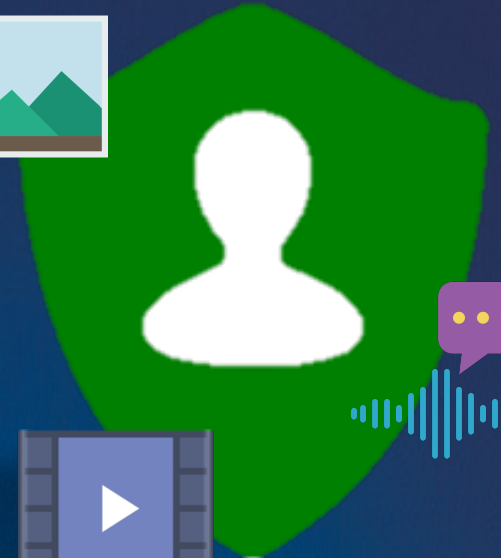
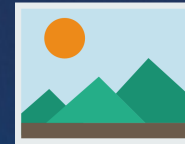
There is nothing inherently wrong with pushing the bounds of technology.
However...



Human Defense

We need to have awareness in understanding what our *'real'* reality is.

Cybersecurity awareness should expand to DeepFake awareness.



Two Items for Security Awareness Effectiveness

1.

Persistent
& Compelling
Storytelling



Two Items for Security Awareness Effectiveness

2.

Building a culture of technology agility



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Thank you!

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