2018 A Legal Research Odyssey: Artificial Intelligence as Disruptor


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Reviewer’s Summary:

The author begins with an explanation of artificial intelligence and reviews its current application in various fields, such as finance, medicine, and law. She goes into detail about the dangers of premature disruption, analyzing the current state and computational abilities (and limitations) of artificial intelligence. The author also outlines potential biases and ethical issues that could occur with over-reliance on algorithms or AI and discusses the implications for legal research instruction.

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