Editor's Note

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THE WORLDS OF THE PRESENT, POST-AGI, AND SUPER INTELLIGENCE WILL BE bridged by the policies we establish. After all, the construction of our future is a human endeavor. Our imagination must therefore be as expansive as our technological ambition, even when doing so carries us far beyond familiar intellectual and political terrain.

Futurecraft provided its authors the opportunity to begin charting that unfamiliar territory. The proposals enclosed in these fifteen essays are by no means definitive, and the questions they confront are far from settled. The arguments advanced here are, however, stakes planted in the ground, serving as guideposts for those who will venture further.

The Foundation for American Innovation thanks each contributor for rising to this challenge and engaging seriously with the premise. The collection reflects FAI's conviction that shaping the future demands the foresight to redefine the institutions, assumptions, and policies through which we govern it.

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