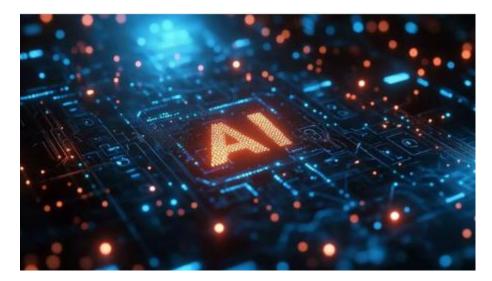
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AI Appreciation Day 2025: Celebrating Innovation, Collaboration and Responsible Tech



On this AI Appreciation Day, let's celebrate the possibilities and remain mindful of the responsibility that comes with this powerful technology.

Every year on July 16, AI Appreciation Day highlights the transformative power of artificial intelligence and the individuals driving its evolution. As we mark AI Appreciation Day 2025, it's clear that this technology is no longer just futuristic; it's embedded in our daily lives, shaping industries, jobs and even creative expression. From generative AI to ethical frameworks, the conversations around AI have become more critical than ever.

Deepak Kinger Co-founder and Chief Strategy Officer EvoluteIQ AI's rapid advancement presents a great opportunity but comes with equal responsibility. From autonomous systems in healthcare to predictive analytics in finance and policy, we are entrusting machines with end-to-end decisions. The real challenge is not whether AI can outperform humans, it is whether it can align with our values. Responsible AI must be inclusive, interpretable, and most importantly, auditable. The future belongs to those who balance innovation with integrity, to progress with purpose.

Sanjay Katkar Jt. Managing Director Quick Heal Technologies Limited AI Appreciation Day reminds us of the transformational role artificial intelligence plays in securing our connected world. As digital threats evolve, AI-powered cybersecurity is critical for stronger, adaptive defenses. At Quick Heal Technologies Limited, we recognized AI's potential decades ago and made it central to our innovation. As India's only cybersecurity company in the US Artificial Intelligence Safety Institute Consortium, we champion responsible AI. Our patented GoDeep.AI engine and new AntiFraud.AI solution showcase our commitment to real-time threat hunting and fraud prevention. With AI at our core, we're making security simpler, sharper, and more effective for everyone.

Parag Khurana Country Manager, India Barracuda Networks It is not an overstatement to say that

the adoption of AI is moving at breakneck speed. The ease of using generative AI to create and enhance content is having a far-reaching impact on people's lives. AI tools and capabilities continue to evolve. The most advanced AI-based threats can adapt in real-time and target vulnerabilities to exploit. The attackers only need to succeed once, with one user or security gap – the cybersecurity tools that defend against them need to succeed 100% of the time. Organisations need their own, powerful multimodal AI security that can detect and neutralize AI-based attacks regardless of whether they are delivered in an image or a QR code, and even if the language and sender seem completely legitimate.Vishal SharmaCo-Founder & CTOCohyre.ai We are seeing AI to transform hiring as a true strategic partner. At CoHyre.ai, we've developed AI agents making smart, unbiased decisions, leveraging human intuition with a human in the loop, and machine speed to identify the right role and cultural fit for a candidate. In our view, the future of recruitment isn't about replacing human judgement, but enhancing it, with the result that every recruiter will be a super-recruiter.