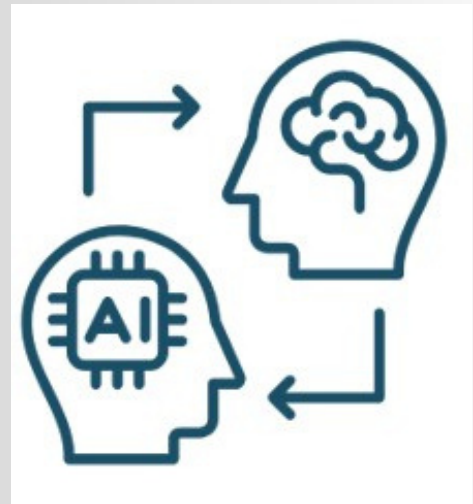


HUMAN EDGE PARTNERSHIP OVERVIEW



Connecting liberal arts thinking with AI innovation for a future that's as human as it is intelligent

What is Human Edge?

Human Edge is a collaborative framework that unites academia, industry, and civic leaders to integrate human-centered, liberal arts thinking into the rapidly evolving world of AI. Our mission is to ensure innovation remains ethical, inclusive, and grounded in critical thinking while driving economic growth and preparing the next generation of leaders.

The Human Edge model blends:

- Liberal arts strengths — ethics, context, communication, systems thinking
- Technical expertise — AI, data, engineering, and applied innovation
- Real-world collaboration — bridging classrooms, boardrooms, and communities

Where We Started

Human Edge began as a pilot initiative with students and faculty from liberal arts and technical institutions, including early programs at the College of the Holy Cross and Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

These pilots demonstrated the power of bringing diverse disciplines together to:

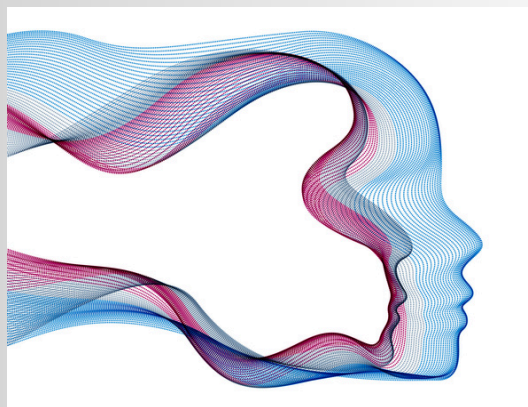
- Shape AI adoption with both technical and ethical considerations
- Create meaningful applied learning experiences
- Connect students with industry and civic leaders

Why Human Edge Matters Now

AI is advancing faster than education, workforce systems, and governance can keep pace. Without intentional action, the human side of innovation risks being overshadowed.

Human Edge bridges that gap by:

- Empowering students and professionals with the skills to guide AI responsibly
- Driving interdisciplinary problem-solving for real-world challenges
- Building cross-sector partnerships that accelerate ethical innovation



Partnership Opportunities



For Colleges & Universities

- Develop interdisciplinary AI + liberal arts curricula
- Host cross-disciplinary hackathons and innovation labs
- Engage alumni as mentors and project sponsors



For Industry Partners

- Co-create applied projects and case studies
- Offer internships and career pathways for students
- Contribute to AI ethics, governance, and workforce readiness dialogues



For Civic & Community Leaders

- Bring AI literacy and ethics programs to schools and nonprofits
- Co-host public dialogues on AI's role in society
- Develop workforce development pathways in emerging tech

Examples of Our Work

- **Multi-School Hackathon** — Bringing liberal arts and technical students together to solve real-world AI challenges
- **AI Literacy Lesson Series** — Helping students and educators understand the opportunities and risks of AI
- **Industry Dialogue Roundtables** — Facilitating conversations on ethics, governance, and innovation between public and private sectors

How We Work With Partners

- **Explore** — Identify shared goals and opportunities
- **Design** — Co-create programs, events, or research
- **Activate** — Launch with partner visibility and engagement
- **Sustain** — Build ongoing collaboration through shared resources and networks

Get Involved

Human Edge is ready to grow and we're seeking partners who believe the future of AI should be as human as it is intelligent.



- **Schedule a Partnership Conversation**
- **Request the Full Human Edge Playbook**
- **Learn more at www.strategicrowthandinnovation.com**