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"We'll see human-level AI in the next 5 to 30 years"
The Jim Rutt Show with guest Ben Goertzel

"We'll see human-level artificial intelligence in the next five to 30 years," says Ben Goertzel, the man who coined the term "artificial general intelligence," or AGI. That's just one of the stunning predictions made in a [90-minute podcast](#) just released by ***The Jim Rutt Show***. Other surprises in the podcast include:

- Goertzel, the father of AGI, explains why AGI is "a bad term"
- Meet *the artificial toddler*, an imagined baby made by combining the work of Boston Dynamics + Hanson Robotics + iCub + SynTouch
- "Selling, Spying, Killing, Gambling" — the dominant uses for AI today
- Inside SingularityNET, an AI network on top of a blockchain network
- And much more, including OpenCog, WebMind, and Qualia!

The Jim Rutt Show is an interview podcast series examining cutting-edge thinking in science and technology and the future of our economic, political and social systems and institutions. Previous guests include George Mason University economist and author, [Robin Hanson](#), and Carnegie Mellon University physicist, [Simon DeDeo](#).

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About Ben Goertzel

Dr. Ben Goertzel is Chief Scientist of robotics firm [Hanson Robotics](#) and financial prediction firm Aidya Holdings; Chairman of AI software company Novamente LLC and bioinformatics company Biomind LLC; Chairman of the Artificial General Intelligence Society and the OpenCog Foundation; Vice Chairman of futurist nonprofit Humanity+; Scientific Advisor of biopharma firm Genescent Corp.; Advisor to the Singularity University and Singularity Institute; Research Professor in the Fujian Key Lab for Brain-Like Intelligent Systems at Xiamen University, China; and general Chair of the Artificial General Intelligence conference series.

His research work encompasses artificial general intelligence, natural language processing, cognitive science, data mining, machine learning, computational finance, bioinformatics, virtual worlds and gaming, and other areas. He has published a dozen scientific books, over 200 technical papers, and numerous journalistic articles.

About Jim Rutt

The host of ***The Jim Rutt Show*** is Jim Rutt, former CEO of Network Solutions. *The New York Times* referred to him as "["the Internet's bad boy"](#) due to his reputation for creative mischief. Jim is the past Chairman of the Santa Fe Institute, where he continues as a Research Fellow studying conscious cognition and evolutionary artificial intelligence.

Jim is a co-founder of the Staunton Makerspace, a membership maker shop and hacker space, and a member of the Board of Advisers of the Fralin Life Sciences Institute at Virginia Tech. Jim received his B.S. degree in management from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1975 and is a member of MIT's Visiting Committee for the Department of Brain & Cognitive Sciences. He was Executive Producer of the awarding-winning film [Zombiewood](#).

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