Futurecasting with kids

ABOUT FUTURECASTING WITH KIDS:

30 Kids4Tech participants visited the Mastercard's New York City Tech Hub and explored the future of artificial intelligence and cybersecurity concerns through hands-on interactive learning sessions. This was followed by a group session to explore possible futures and threats.

The Kids4Tech members imagined how they as future Cyber Professionals could work to make the future safer.

RESEARCH QUESTION:

What are future opportunities and threats from artificial intelligence and cybersecurity?

What can Cyber Professionals do to secure the future?

"Good AI teaches people to use technology safely"

Futurecaster Participant

SUMMARY:

In the future criminals will use AI along with other technologies to manipulate and steal people's identities while at the same time attacking banks and the broader financial industry. Criminals will use AI, biometrics, smart vehicles and other technologies to steal people's identities, making so many copies that it will be hard to know who or what is real.

To keep the future safe Cyber Professionals will need to work with local and federal law enforcement and the broader financial industry to use AI along with other technologies to fight AI driven crime and protect people's identities.

EXCITING FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS:

- Passphrases and biometrics to protect personal identities
- Autonomous vehicles for police and first responders
- Smart homes
- Brain to machine interfaces
- Teleportation, jet packs and flying cars
- AI & human teaming to make the world safer