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Accessibility and Ableism in the Age of Artificial Intelligence

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Thurs, June 4 | 5:30-7 PM

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1500 Spring Garden St #230,
Philadelphia, PA 19130

MORE ON THIS WEEK'S TOPIC:

Artificial intelligence is rapidly changing how people **work, learn, create, and communicate**. It is becoming part of daily life for many Philadelphia residents, from translating speech to text, explaining new concepts, identifying surroundings, and even providing customer service. It appears in **all aspects of our society**, including our personal and professional lives.

Accessibility, or the lack thereof, remains a major concern nationally and locally. **Navigating ableism** through microaggressions or overt discrimination can be challenging for people **living with a disability**.

As **helpful** as artificial intelligence can be, what are some of the **risks** it poses? How has AI positively and negatively impacted your own life? **What tools exist**, and what are the gaps? How do we build a city where information and **opportunity are accessible to everyone**?

WHAT IS BRIDGING BLOCKS?

Bridging Blocks is a series of neighborhood discussions aimed at bringing together culturally and politically diverse households for civic dialogue and understanding.

Join **WHYY News Community & Engagement team** for **Bridging Blocks**, in partnership with **The Free Library of Philadelphia, PECO**, and supported by the **Sutherland Family**.



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This event will be **live-streamed** for attendees who wish to **join virtually**. A viewing link will be sent on the day of the event to **all registered participants**.