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AI: Virtual Patchwork

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"Artificial intelligence is a continuously developing and increasingly essential technology with broad applications across sectors. Significant advancements in existing AI systems and in what the federal government titles "emerging AI technologies," such as generative AI, has led lawmakers and regulatory agencies to focus on how best to govern AI's development and use.

Earlier this year, the European Union enacted its Artificial Intelligence Act (EU AI Act), which aims to ensure the safe and ethical development, deployment, and use of AI. The U.S. has not been able to pass a similar comprehensive law governing AI.

Absent such a comprehensive law, the U.S. federal government and various states are attempting to regulate AI through a patchwork of narrow laws and agency regulations, each addressing only certain aspects of this technology.

While these ad hoc rules will govern the use of AI and set stringent related standards and compliance requirements, this fragmented approach creates a complex web of rules with which effected entities must constantly monitor, understand, and attempt to comply."

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