

HAI-Q

Hyper/Super AI Questions Initiative

An Open Event in GAI-HyperI 2026

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Vision and Motivation

Questions shape the evolution of science and technology. “Can machines think?” helped open the age of AI. What comes next in AI’s evolution? Hyper AI? Super AI? The next era of intelligence may begin with the questions we ask together.

Great questions can outlive their answers. Over a decade, [Top10Qi](#) and [Top10Cs](#) invited people worldwide to propose and vote on fundamental questions and challenges. Expert committees and the wider community produced remarkably similar top rankings. More than a decade later, questions such as “Can machines be creative?” still resonate today.

A new era calls for new questions. Since 2020, the IEEE Hyper-Intelligence Technical Committee ([HITC](#)) has opened a broader exploration of what intelligence may become. The Hyper/Super AI Questions Initiative (**HAI-Q**) now invites the global community to discover the fundamental questions that may shape the next era of intelligence.

HAI-Q Process

Stage 1: Ask — Question Collection.

We invite people worldwide to submit one to three questions, fundamental, forward-looking questions about Hyper/Super AI through the [online Google Form](#) by **September 10, 2026**. The goal is to gather diverse questions, perspectives, and concerns about what may come next in the evolution of AI.

Stage 2: Organize — AI-Assisted Question Analysis and Ranking.

Submitted questions will be analyzed using current tools and LLMs to identify semantic similarities, recurring themes, and emerging concerns. Questions with similar meanings but different wording may be grouped or consolidated, with human review to preserve their original intent. The resulting questions will then be analyzed and ranked to identify those that emerge most strongly from the collective input.

Stage 3: Explore — Question Discussion and Future Directions.

The top-ranked questions, together with key patterns and insights revealed by the analysis, will be presented and explored at a dedicated panel of [GAI-HyperI 2026](#). The goal is not simply to produce a ranking but to stimulate discussion, inspire new ideas, and open directions for future research on Hyper/Super AI.

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