



Future of AI Educational Leadership

Summary of Dai et al. (2025)

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This summary explains how the future of education with AI is transforming educational leadership. AI systems are increasingly used to support administrative decisions. These include data analysis, forecasting, and scheduling. The study proposes a framework for shared decision making. AI performs well in structured and data heavy tasks. Human leaders manage values, ethics, and negotiation. These aspects cannot be automated. The study highlights risks of over reliance on AI systems. Professional judgment and accountability may weaken. Educational leadership remains a social and political process. AI should support leaders rather than replace them. Clear role boundaries are required. The study concludes that strong human oversight is essential. This balance protects educational values in AI driven systems.

Apply These Now

- Use AI for routine data tasks
- Keep complex decisions human led

Add These in Your Lesson

- Analyse AI supported leadership cases
- Debate ethical limits of automation

Avoid This Mistake

- Accepting AI recommendations without human judgment

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Reference

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