

Questions for the Record from Rep. Harriet Hageman for Greg Lukianoff
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1. Mr. Lukianoff, you summarized very clearly your concern of the impact AI and AI regulation can have on free speech and the creation of knowledge. Your concern is well founded; AI is not going to stop, and even for those of us who are concerned about it, we must move forward with AI if we are going to continue to compete with our adversaries, namely China. You have given examples of your fears about AI regulation – namely, a small group of individuals determining which speech and ideas would be permitted, thereby creating a government-empowered oligopoly, or a government monopoly on advanced AI. We are even starting to see the federal government engage on this issue, such as the October 2023 executive order on AI. We are truly at the outset of this developing technology, and Congress must adapt and evolve with it, not respond to what will eventually be an unfixable problem years down the road.
 - a. What do you recommend Congress does through legislation to prevent this government monopoly on AI, which poses the risk of endangering free speech and development before it begins?
 - b. What do you recommend Congress should focus on for oversight of AI?