

3.2 Group 2: Value-Driven Techemoths

In this chapter, the results of Group 2 on Value-Driven Techemoths scenario are presented.

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Cool Things That Matter – Techemoths Offer Platforms for Talent



Elect Me If You Want to Live Forever

Zoltan Istvan wants to remove his own arms and replace them with stronger, robotic ones. He's also running for president.

On this week's podcast, we meet Zoltan and talk about all things transhumanism and immortality. We haven't exactly been beating around the bush with this week's Goodbye, Meatbags! theme, but on this episode of Radio Motherboard, we tackle the idea that our bodies are terribly limiting; and we talk at length with a guy who has fully bought into the idea that technological advances can not only extend our lives, but can perhaps help us conquer death.

Read more at:
<http://motherboard.vice.com/read/elect-me-if-you-want-to-live-forever>

It was only ten years ago that Alex, a Disruption Manager at Google, had to leave his San Francisco apartment every morning for a gruesome commute to Google Headquarters. The sight of armies of beggars and Standard Engineers made him shiver in disgust. Luckily for Alex, those are days long gone, as he has moved with his family to Google residential area.

–“It is such a pleasure to see this abundance of healthy smiles, smooth skins and sleek bodies around you every day. Thanks to Google, I Only Do Cool Things That Matter¹ with the smartest and the most talented people money can buy. I think the new Google best represents the Silicon Valley vision of emancipation, creativity and open source”, Alex tells The Neo Carbon Times.

In 2010s, Google was one of the first big companies to transform itself as platform for peer-to-peer worker teams. This radical change in organisation structures has proved lucrative for Google as well as many other technology companies, which have grown into Techemoths – companies resembling cities or city-states of the past in many respects.

Figure 8. Litany – Group 2 studied the Litany of Value-Driven Techemoths scenario.