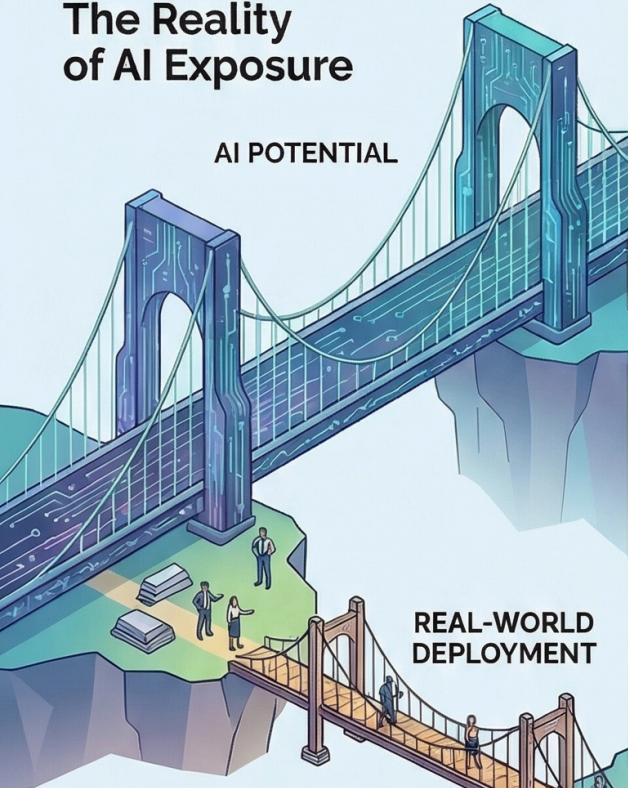


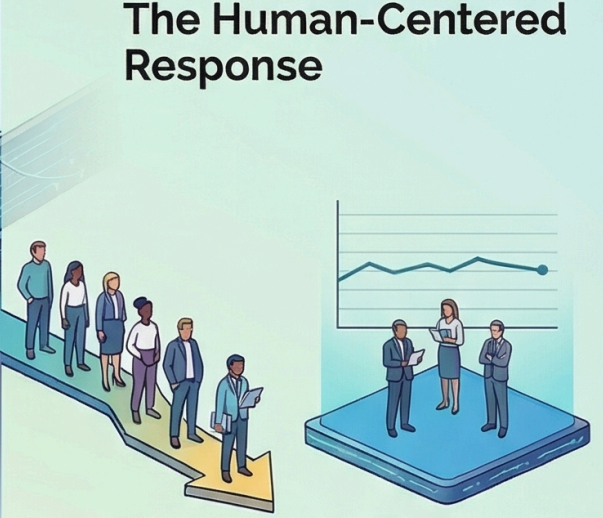
# The Currency of Curiosity:

## Navigating the AI-Shaped Labor Market

### The Reality of AI Exposure



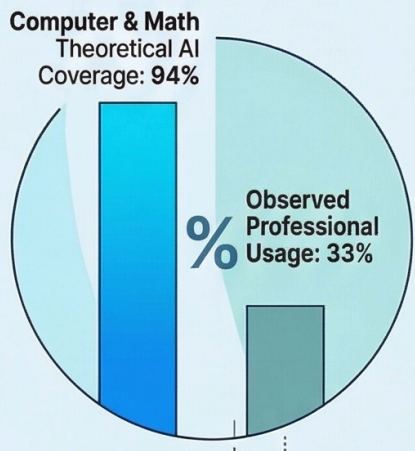
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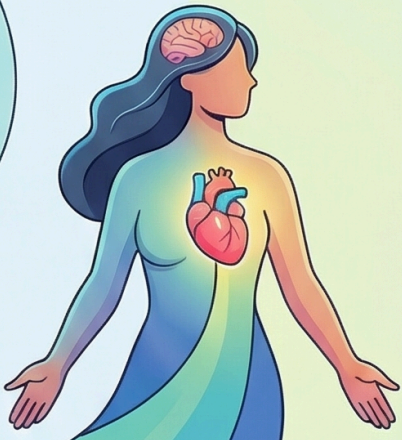
**Entry-Level Hiring Slowdown**  
Hiring for workers ages 22-25 in AI-exposed roles has declined by approximately 14%.

**Stability for Incumbents**  
Aggregate unemployment rates for highly exposed occupations have not increased systematically since 2022.

### The Deployment Gap



**Invest in "Meta-Skills"**  
Prioritize learning agility and curiosity over narrow, perishable technical skills.



**The Judgment Advantage**  
AI struggles with ambiguity and novelty, leaving strategic planning and ethics to humans.



**Task Redesign over Replacement**  
Leading firms like JPMorgan Chase redeploy staff to high-value advisory roles after automating routine tasks.