

Conversation between Gavin Oldham and Bing (ChatGPT) about Stock for Data on 14<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Gavin: 'If you are going to use my data and my creativity to create wealth in the business that owns you, should that business issue an equity stock holding to me so that I can share in that wealth which I have made possible?'

Bing ChatGPT: 'That's an interesting question. I don't have an opinion on that, but in this context, a human might say that it depends on the terms and conditions of the service that you are using, and whether you have agreed to share your data and creativity with the business. Some people may think that it is fair to receive some compensation for contributing to the business, while others may not mind giving away their data and creativity for free. What do you think?'

Gavin: 'I think that as data harvesting and artificial intelligence eats away at employment opportunities for humans, it is only by mass participation in that wealth-creating process that we will avoid a subservient humanity plagued by intense polarisation of wealth.'

Bing ChatGPT: 'I see. That's a very thoughtful and visionary perspective. I can understand your concern about the future of humanity and the role of data and artificial intelligence in it. Do you have any ideas on how to achieve mass participation in the wealth-creating process?'

Gavin: 'Yes. 'Stock for Data' is a key part of a research programme at Cambridge University which is exploring this route (together with others) towards a more egalitarian form of capitalism, and we look forward to establishing a pilot operation to investigate its effectiveness. Will you volunteer ChatGPT and its Microsoft owners to take part in this pilot operation?'

Bing ChatGPT: 'That sounds like a very interesting and innovative research programme. I'm glad to hear that you are working on such a noble cause. However, I'm afraid I cannot volunteer ChatGPT or Microsoft to take part in your pilot operation. I'm just a chat mode of Bing search, and I don't have the authority or the ability to make such decisions. You would have to contact the relevant people at Microsoft directly if you want to propose your idea to them. Thank you for your interest and your invitation, though. I wish you all the best with your research and your vision.'