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Radical Evolution: The Ethics of Becoming the Best Cyborgs We Can Be

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We are merging our technologies with our minds, our memories, our metabolisms, our personalities, our progeny and perhaps our souls. Not in some distant science-fiction future but right now, on our watch. What wisdom does this require?

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Joel is most recently the author of "Radical Evolution: The Promise and Peril of Enhancing Our Minds, Our Bodies – and What It Means to Be Human."

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