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The social media algorithm is enforcing the unambiguity of children using optogenetics, neurophenomenology, and misinformation. Using the oscillation of light to emit "blue light" damages the neuron receptors in your brain. According to "The Future of the Mind," by Michio Kaku, algorithms affect the evolution of the mind and the brain, changing our mental algorithm. Due to mental slavery, our minds are purposely brainwashed with deceit and lies to change our identities. My testimony is for the New York Child Data Protection Act and the Stop Addictive Feeds Exploration For Kids Act is immense as a part of Generation Z; my actions should benefit my own, as when we have a lack of care for one person, we have a lack of care for humanity.

Social media is using optogenetics, the study of how our neurons react to an emission of light because of the ability to enslave children mentally. For example, optogenetics is used as an algorithm through blue rays or light, resulting in the invention of blue light glasses. To preserve our eyes, we must wear glasses that block the blue rays, as they can cause a disrupted sleep cycle, a change in eyesight, and addictions caused by dopamine in the Hippocampus and Cerebellum—these parts of the brain deal with memory and movement. An algorithm is a series of instructions given to a code, whether a computer or your brain, to follow a series of steps. Our mental algorithm is plagued by optogenetics, and we fail to realize it. My mental algorithm has been affected, into beleiving that video games are the most important. So, by limiting my screen time, and already spening less times on games and social media platforms like youtube,

optogenetics is taking less of a toll on my life. Forms of social media like tiktok and youtube shorts, are programmed to shorten one's attention span. As a result, our algorithm is disintegrating due to optogenetics, affecting the neurophenomenological data of research conducted over the years.

Social media is using neurophenomenology, the study of the evolution of the brain and the complexity of the consciousness of the human mind, because of the prolonged amount of time one spends on social media every day. For example, Did you know that firearms are accountable for more than 50% of deaths, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention(CDCP)? Humanity is said to be the highest level of civilization, but in Generation Z alone, the number of suicides every year has risen to over 100,000 teens. Our future is stolen, and we are thieves! In Bill #1, "Stop Addictive Feeds Exploration For Kids Act," by Governor Kathy Hochul and Attorney General Letitia James, minors, especially those under the age of 18, must limit their use of social media and must refrain from using social media from 12 am - 6 am. This ties into neurophenomenology, as our consciousness has been documented to understand its complexity and has been known to retain mental illnesses rather quickly. Furthermore, social media has changed our cognitive algorithm, from how we evolved to how we are now, especially since the rise in misinformation.

Social media is using misinformation to change the way we see ourselves and treat others because of the undeveloped minds of the minority. For example, many people in the youth community commit suicide because of stereotypes of how you should look. No one is born ugly; it is the society that makes you think so. Our young minds have been plagued by lies and deceit,

causing an addiction to spread. Especially during the pandemic, it was unphased to me that my slight addiction to video games would become a hindrance to my education. Now, as a change agent for the advancement of humanity, my addiction is minimal, as thankfully, my education at the M.A.C.A.D.E.M.Y School of Science and Technology included online safety. Bill #2, "New York Child Data Protection Act", from the government, prohibits the exploitation and sharing of personal information through online sites for those under the age of 18 unless legally necessary. Moreover, social media is taking over our youth, and we must stop it before it is too late.

My testimony for the NYCDPA and SAFE is to protect my generation and the many others to come from the algorithms that are destroying the mental sanctity of others. It is at the point where one must be at risk of being fined \$5000 to start taking precautions for their children. From suicides to sexuality to race to mental health, all of these are problems that we have to deal with. Social media was once used as a platform to socialize, but now as a way to manipulate people. After finding out that my addiction to video games during the pandemic, that was changed drastically, my sleep schedule is still an issue that my goal is to resolve. Once again, our future is stolen, and we are the thieves; we can only change by changing ourselves for the better.