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Subject: Re: google policy conversation

Whoa, that's really interesting. Who called from Google?

On a separate note, I spoke with Atit (building owner) about the Stripe space. Sounds like he will come back to us with a more reasonable request.

> On May 20, 2016, at 7:35 PM, Greg Brockman <gdb@openai.com> wrote:
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> Google's policy people want to speak with me. Sounds like they are afraid that:
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> - We are going to attack them in the media and pressure them to
> release data or models, and
> - We'll build a public narrative that it's wrong to have any
> closed-open source AI
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> I don't see obvious benefit in us doing these things, though maybe
> they could be a tool against DeepMind.
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> I plan to say that I can't see why we would do that; our mission is to
> maximally benefit the world; and we don't have a problem with people
> keeping things proprietary – it's fine to make money off this stuff,
> and we may even generate revenue ourselves one day.
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> (LMK if you have alternate thoughts.)
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> - gdb

