



DAN FITZPATRICK

FOUNDER, THE AI EDUCATOR

BA (Hons), MA, PGCE, PGDip

PROFILE

Dan Fitzpatrick is one of the most recognised voices on artificial intelligence in education. He has trained more than 150,000 educators across over 30 countries and advises schools, colleges and government bodies around the world. He has worked with the UK Department for Education, Dubai's KHDA and the Kazakhstan Ministry of Education, alongside government bodies in Scotland, England and the USA.

Dan is originally from Gateshead. A former secondary school teacher, school leader and further education Director of Digital Strategy, his passion for leading technology change has developed from the classroom to government.

WHAT HE DOES

Through his work with The AI Educator, Dan helps schools, colleges and education systems adopt AI with clarity and confidence. He spends most of his time in the UK and USA. His work spans keynotes, strategy and policy consultancy, CPD, and leadership programmes. All five of his books have become number one bestsellers and he writes weekly on AI for Forbes.

BEYOND THE WORK

Dan lives in Stanwix, Carlisle, with his partner Julia, who is co-director of their company Thirdbox Ltd, and their two young children. He serves as a trustee at their local primary school. He is practical, warm and plain-speaking, and he is known for turning a complex, fast-moving subject into something leaders can act on.

WHAT PEOPLE SAY

"Dan Fitzpatrick offers a practical path forward for those ready to rethink and reshape education for the digital era."

DANIEL PRIESTLEY · Author & Entrepreneur

"Dan Fitzpatrick offers a bold and transformative vision for the future of learning in the AI era."

JENNIFER WOMBLE · Future of Education Technology Conference, USA

"Dan's expertise is second to none, and his enthusiasm has empowered our teachers to want to be at the forefront of AI driven learning."

BENJAMIN SHARRATT · GEMS Wellington International School, Dubai, UAE

AT A GLANCE

- #1 Bestselling Author
- Forbes Weekly Contributor
- International Keynote Speaker
- Leadership Coach & Mentor

HOW HE THINKS

"Outsource the doing, not the thinking."

AI should take on the routine work so people can spend more time on judgement, relationships and creativity. His approach rests on three values:

- **Curiosity over fear:** meet new technology with questions, not panic.
- **Evolution over revolution:** change that people can actually absorb and sustain.
- **Humanity at the centre:** technology serves learning, never the other way round.

EDUCATION

BA (Hons), MA
Durham University

PGCE, Secondary Education
UCL

PGDip, Innovation & Design Thinking
Emeritus, in collaboration with MIT Sloan, Columbia Business School Executive Education and Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth

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