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Automation of Control -- 4, Synthesis -- 5. Consolidation before Revolution -- 6. The Birth of the Computer -- Chapter 3. Computer Utilization -- 2. Social Investment in Computer Applications -- 3. General Features of the Computer Industry -- 5. Politics of Computers -- Chapter 4. Information Processing in Corporate Decision-Making -- 1. Information Processing in Management -- 2. Effects of Automation on Managers -- 3. The Corporate Computer Facility -- 4. Hierarchy as an Organizational Principle -- 5. Centralization of Control -- Chapter 5. The Changing Character of Work -- 1. Responses to Technological Change. 2. Automation and the Work Environment -- 3. Effects of Automation on Employment -- 4. The Role of Work in Contemporary Society -- Chapter 6. Education and the Growth of Knowledge -- 1. Computers and the Aims of Education -- 2. Some Innovative Systems -- 3. Prospects for Computer-Assisted Instruction -- 4. Computers in Research -- Chapter 7. Computers in Health-Care -- 1. Information Systems in Health-Care -- 2. Computers in Diagnosis and Treatment -- 3. The Changing Character of Medical Practice -- 4. Delivery of Health-Care Services -- 5. Computers, Health, and the Public Interest -- Part III. Challenge: Control of Disorder -- Chapter 8, Computer Utilities -- 2. Computer Network Development -- 4. The Coming Financial Computer Utility -- Chapter 9. Privacy and Surveillance -- 1. Forms of Surveillance -- 2. Public and Private -- 3. Privacy in a Pluralistic Society -- 4. Formal Mechanisms for Protecting Privacy -- 5. On the Efficacy of Formal Safeguards -- Chapter 10. Information and the Political Process -- 7. Databanks: Distribution and Variety -- 2. Databanks: Expected Contributions -- 4. Planning in a Democracy -- 5. Computers and Political Power -- Chapter 11. Systems Analysis and Political Decision-Making -- 1. Methods of the Information Age -- 2. Traditional Methods and the Systems Approach -- 1. Modeling Social Systems -- 2. Systems Analysis and the Public Interest -- Chapter 12. Information, Power and Complexity -- 2. Information, Choice and Structure -- 5. The Myth of Complexity -- Part IV. Identity and Uncertainty: The Machine as Mirror Image -- Chapter 13. Man-Machine Interaction -- 1. The Human Meaning of Mechanization -- 2. The Man-Machine Dichotomy -- 3. Symbiosis or Parasitism -- 4. Popular Attitudes Toward Computers -- 5. The Moral Imperative -- Chapter 14. Machine Intelligence and Human Identity -- 1. Computers and Intelligence. 2. The Uses of Intelligent Machines -- 3. Models of Human Behavior -- 1. Some Consequences of Reductionism -- 2. Identity and Conduct -- Chapter 15. Literary Perspectives on the Machine -- 1. The Problematic Machine -- 2. Abundance and Freedom from Toil -- 3. Control of Behavior -- 4. Challenge to the Gods -- 5. The Conquest of Will -- Chapter 3 -- Chapter 4 -- Chapter 5 -- Chapter 8 -- Chapter 9 -- Chapter 10 -- Chapter 11 -- Chapter 12 -- Chapter 13 -- Chapter 14.

Sommario/riassunto

Almost fifty years ago, the author wrote the first comprehensive critical study of social issues in computing, *The Conquest of Will* (1976). This new book revisits this seminal study, featuring an overview of technological advances over the past half century, and provides a unique comparison between what was believed and expected of computers back in 1976, and actual outcomes up to the present time. Despite the extraordinary changes in technology, much of what has emerged in contemporary society was anticipated fifty years ago, and we are still grappling with some of the same basic challenges. For example, the computer's threat to privacy has been a constant issue ever since the late 1950s, but the regulatory framework designed in the 1960s has been upended by the Internet. Artificial Intelligence too has

been a contentious issue since the late 1950s, but until recently discussion was largely confined to academia, and there was little urgency to regulate its further development and application. The comparisons offered in this book will highlight what we got right and wrong in the past, and point to the sources of good and bad predictions. While there have been many studies of social issues in computing published since *The Conquest of Will* appeared in 1976, this is an unusual and valuable longitudinal comparison of the current situation with what prevailed and was predicted half a century ago.

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Sommario/riassunto	<p>Here are collected five essays where themes concerning ethics, aesthetics and philosophy of religion are examined, which have their ideal reference in the problem of the edification of the human, of which Kant understood the idea in dynamic terms, as suggested by the concept of 'destination' as well as the program of a 'reform of the way of thinking'. Producing this change was a non-secondary aim of a philosophy that, in the spirit of modern reflexivity, had the pride of calling itself "critical", firm in the intention of reconciling the different needs of reason.</p> <p>Il volume raccoglie cinque saggi, in cui sono esaminati temi concernenti argomenti di etica, estetica e filosofia della religione, che hanno il loro ideale riferimento nel problema dell'edificazione dell'umano, di cui Kant intese l'idea in termini dinamici, come suggeriva il concetto di 'destinazione' così come l'idea di «riforma del modo di pensare».</p> <p>Produrre tale mutamento è stato un obiettivo non secondario di una filosofia che, nello spirito della riflessività moderna, ebbe l'orgoglio di definirsi "critica", ferma nel proposito di conciliare le diverse esigenze della ragione.</p>

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