

AI and AUTOMATION in BUSINESS

The Automation Edge:
AI, RPA, and IPA for
Tomorrow's Enterprises



14 – 15 October 2025



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5 POWERFUL REASONS TO ATTEND

1

Shape the future of enterprise with AI, RPA, and IPA alongside leading innovators.

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Unlock revolutionary strategies and solutions.

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Fuel your AI-powered future: Discuss aligning investments, funding, and talent.

4

Learn how global leaders are automating manufacturing, logistics, finance, and healthcare.

5

See how Amazon, Tesla, and Toyota are winning with tech-driven optimization and decision-making.

SUMMIT AT A GLANCE

Day 1: TUESDAY 14 OCTOBER 2025

Keynote: Navigating the Future of Work

Explore how AI, automation, and digital transformation are reshaping global industries.

Strategic Decision-Making with AI

Learn from case studies of Netflix, Amazon, Google, and Tesla driving business success.

Revolutionizing Operations with RPA

Discover hyperautomation strategies to scale productivity and streamline operations.

Amazon’s AI in Supply Chain

A deep dive into how Amazon uses AI to optimize logistics and drive innovation.

The Next Frontier: Intelligent Process Automation

Uncover how IPA combines AI, RPA, and machine learning for smarter workflows.

Interactive Roundtables

- Funding AI projects through R&D Tax Incentives
- Maximizing ROI in AI and automation
- Upskilling talent for an AI-driven future
- Cloud’s role in enabling AI and automationAI-Powered Analytics & Governance Transform insights into action while ensuring compliance and mitigating risks.

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Panel: Automation for Competitive Edge

Experts from manufacturing, healthcare, finance, retail, and logistics share their insights.

Cybersecurity in Automated Systems

Protect your systems and data in the age of automation.

Day 2: WEDNESDAY 15 OCTOBER 2025

Human + Machine Collaboration

Redefining workforce roles with AI to empower employees, featuring real-world case studies from mining, manufacturing, and logistics.

AI-Driven Manufacturing Processes

Insights from Tesla, Toyota, BMW, and more on transforming manufacturing through automation.

AI in Financial Services

Explore how AI is streamlining compliance, fraud detection, and risk management.

Navigating Ethical Challenges

Address the complexities and responsibilities of AI and automation in today’s businesses.

Data-Driven Automation

Build resilient, adaptive systems by leveraging data for informed decision-making.

Demystifying Generative AI

Practical applications and risks of generative AI for business leaders.

Low-Code and No-Code Platforms

Unlock the potential of automation with accessible, user-friendly tools.

2025 and Beyond

Emerging trends and predictions for AI and automation shaping the future of business.

Visionary Leadership in the Age of Automation Gain

inspirational insights from a global business leader driving automation innovation.

Future-Proofing Cybersecurity

Safeguard your enterprise with strategies for securing automated systems.



HIGHLY ACCLAIMED SPEAKERS



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JASON YEO

Director-Analytics,
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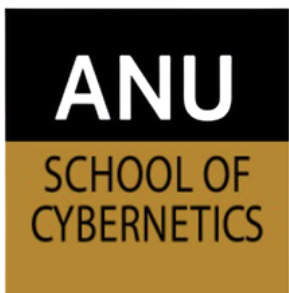
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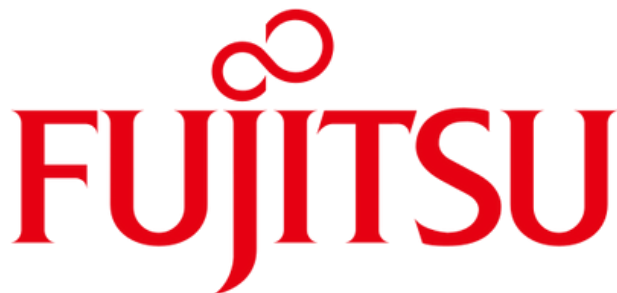
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AI FORUM HIGHLIGHTS

Learn from real-world success stories, like Amazon’s AI-powered surge manufacturing and automation in financial services, to transform your operations.

Gain insights into how industry giants like BMW leverage AI and automation to maintain their competitive edge.

Discover how Intelligent Process Automation (IPA) can unlock new levels of efficiency and growth.

Empower your workforce and drive innovation with human-machine collaboration in the age of AI.

Achieve maximum ROI in AI investments and ensure resources contribute to measurable business outcomes through actionable strategies for effective AI adoption.

Engage with global experts in manufacturing, healthcare, finance, and logistics to discuss topics like “Automation for Competitive Edge” and ethical AI governance. Develop your AI strategy with the help of these diverse perspectives.

Safeguard your AI-enabled infrastructure with cutting-edge strategies from “Future-Proofing Enterprises,” and conquer the escalating challenges of securing digital environments.

Examine AI’s ethical challenges and how industry leaders are using it for innovation.

See how Tesla, and financial services use generative AI to transform their operations.



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09:00 – 09:10

OPENING REMARKS
Welcome To The Conference And An Overview Of The Day’s Events

Kate Romanova
Ex-Group Head of Technology, Strategy and Innovation
Qantas

09:10 – 09:40

KEYNOTE ADDRESS:
Navigating The Future: AI Global Governance Scenarios and Their Impact on Your Business

This presentation will examine the developing global framework for AI governance, specifically analyzing the OECD’s four potential future scenarios and their impact on international policy and regulation, with a focus on how these scenarios will affect businesses operating across borders; the key emphasis will be on strategic foresight, enabling companies to proactively adapt their AI strategies to anticipate regulatory changes and ensure long-term success in a dynamic global environment.

Dr Trish Lavery
Internationally-Recognised Academic and Policy Leader
Australian National University

09:40 – 10:10

Strategic AI: Integrating AI into Executive Decision-Making

10:10 – 10:40

Igniting AI Enthusiasm: Practical Strategies for Enterprise-Wide Adoption

Sujith Sukumaran
Head of Business Applications
Blackmores Group

10:40 – 11:00

Morning Coffee Break and Networking

11:00 – 11:30

IPA (Intelligent Process Automation): The Next Frontier In Productivity Combining AI, RPA, And Machine Learning For Smarter Workflows

Halasya Siva Subramania
Head of AI and Automation
Telstra

11:30 – 12:00

The Role of Low-Code And No-Code Platforms In Automation
Discover how low-code and no-code platforms are revolutionizing the way organizations approach automation. This presentation will explore the benefits of these platforms, including increased efficiency, reduced development time, and democratized access to automation. We will delve into the challenges and best practices for integrating low-code and no-code solutions with existing systems. By the end of this session, you will gain a comprehensive understanding of these powerful tools and be equipped to leverage them to drive innovation and business growth.

Daniel Livesey
Digital Leader, Gen AI, and Project Management Expert
Australian Government Department of Finance

12:00 – 12:30

Navigating Ethical Challenges In AI And Automation
As AI and automation continue to reshape industries, it is crucial to address the ethical implications of these technologies. This presentation will delve into key ethical challenges, such as bias, privacy, and job displacement. We will explore emerging frameworks for responsible AI development and deployment, including transparency, accountability, and human oversight. By understanding these ethical considerations, organizations can harness the power of AI and automation while mitigating potential risks and ensuring a positive societal impact.

12:30 – 13:30

Lunch & Networking Session



13:30 – 14:00	Fireside Chat: The C–Suite's Guide to AI: Who Owns Strategy, Governance, and ROI?
14:00 – 15:00	<p>Interactive Roundtable Discussion: Topic 1: Funding AI/Automation Projects Through The R&D Tax Incentive.</p> <p>Bryan Soepardi Director – R&D Tax and Government Incentives RSM Australia</p> <p>Topic 2: Maximizing ROI in AI And Automation Investments Topic 3: Talent And Upskilling For An AI–Driven World Topic 4: The Role Of Cloud In AI And Automation Enablement</p>
15:00 – 15:30	Afternoon Coffee Break And Networking
15:30 – 16:00	<p>Data–Driven Automation: Building Resilient And Adaptive Systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Power of Data–Driven Insights • AI and Machine Learning in Automation • Building Resilient Systems • Measuring Success: Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) <p>Waqas Khan Senior Data Lead Data & Systems Solutions Department of Government Services</p>
16:00 – 16:30	<p>AI–Powered Analytics: From Insights To Action Using AI for predictive analytics and decision–making.</p> <p>Jason Yeo Director – Analytics, Data & AI Practice Cochlear</p>
16:30 – 17:00	<p>AI In Financial Services: Automation For Risk Management Streamlining compliance and fraud detection with AI</p> <p>Huy Nguyen Officer Data Analytics, Budget Management Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care</p>



09:00 – 09:10	<p>OPENING REMARKS Welcome To The Conference And An Overview Of The Day’s Events</p> <p>Kate Romanova Ex-Group Head of Technology, Strategy and Innovation Qantas</p>
09:10 – 09:40	<p>The Future of Work: Agentic AI and the Rise of Autonomous Workflows</p> <p>Kelvin Wan Senior Data and AI Project Lead Ex Ausgrid</p>
09:40 – 10:10	<p>2025 and Beyond: Emerging Trends In AI And Automation By 2025 and beyond, AI and automation will drive unprecedented transformation across businesses, ensuring success through advancements in generative AI. AI-driven decision-making will require a strong understanding of both drivers to ensure ROI and specific foundation building blocks. This presentation will explore use case and how Wood has developed this approach and frameworks for success.</p>
10:10 – 10:40	<p>AI in LegalTech and Government: Automating Compliance and Modernizing Public Services</p>
10:40 – 11:00	<p>Morning Coffee Break and Networking</p>
11:00 – 11:30	<p>AI in Healthcare: Precision Medicine and Autonomous Workflows</p>
11:30 – 12:00	<p>The Autonomous Store and Hyper-Personalized Customer Journeys: AI in Modern Retail</p>
12:00 – 12:30	<p>Smart Grids and Predictive Maintenance: How AI is Powering the Future of Energy</p>
12:30 – 13:30	<p>Lunch & Networking Session</p>
13:30 – 14:00	<p>Harnessing AI for the Future of Construction</p> <p>The construction industry stands on the brink of a technological revolution, driven by the transformative power of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Automation. This panel session will explore the profound impact AI and Automation are set to have on the future of construction. Our distinguished panelists, comprising industry leaders, AI experts, and innovative thinkers, will delve into how AI technologies are reshaping construction processes, enhancing efficiency, and driving sustainability.</p> <p>Key discussion points will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AI-Driven Design and Planning: How AI is revolutionizing design and project planning through enhanced visualisation and deep analytics.• Automation in Construction: The role of AI in automating construction tasks, from robotics in building to autonomous machinery, reducing human error and increasing safety.• Smart Construction Sites: Leveraging AI for real-time monitoring and management of construction sites, optimizing resource allocation, and ensuring timely project completion.• Sustainability and AI: Exploring AI's potential in promoting sustainable construction practices, minimizing waste, and improving energy efficiency.• Future Workforce: The evolving role of the construction workforce in an AI-driven industry, focusing on upskilling and the integration of human and machine collaboration.
14:00 – 14:30	<p>Cybersecurity In Automated Systems</p> <p>Dr Mahendra Samarawickrama Director Centre of Sustainable AI</p>



14:30 – 15:00

Can You Trust Your LLM? Understanding LLM Security Risks and Hacks
What happens when your AI assistant breaks the rules? When AI Goes Off-Script: Security Risks of LLMs explores the growing threats posed by large language models—from prompt injections and jailbreaks to vulnerabilities introduced by developers. Learn how attackers manipulate LLMs, why they’re easily misled, and the hidden risks in AI-generated code—all through practical insights and real-world examples.

Mahesh Krishnan
Chief Technology Officer
Fujitsu Australian and New Zealand

15:00 – 15:30

Future-Proofing Cybersecurity in Automated Enterprises

15:30 – 16:00

Visionary Leadership In The Age Of Automation
Inspirational insights from a global business leader

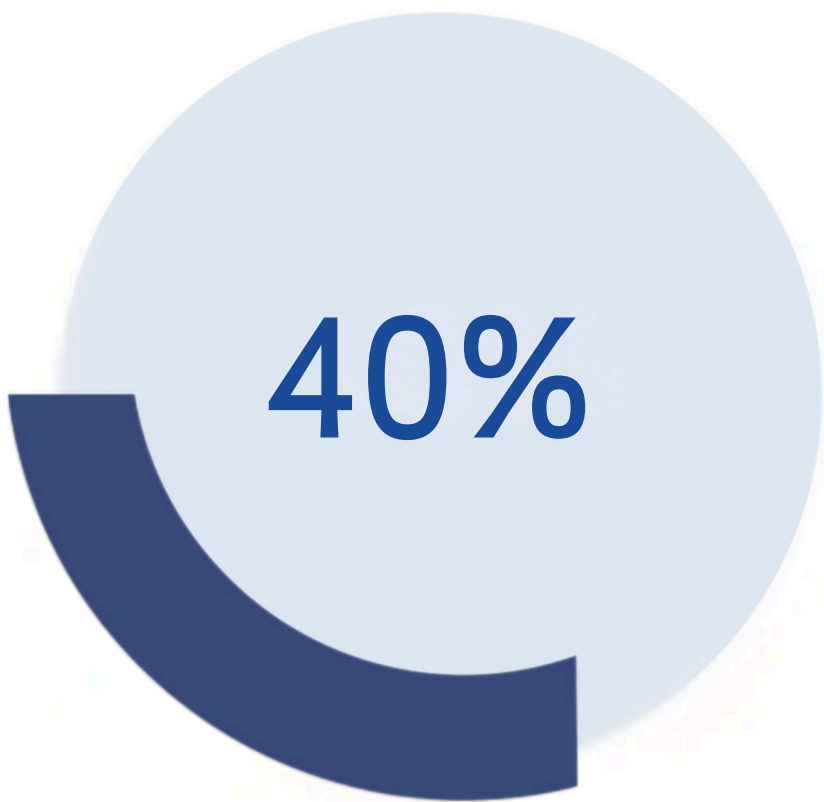
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Closing Remarks

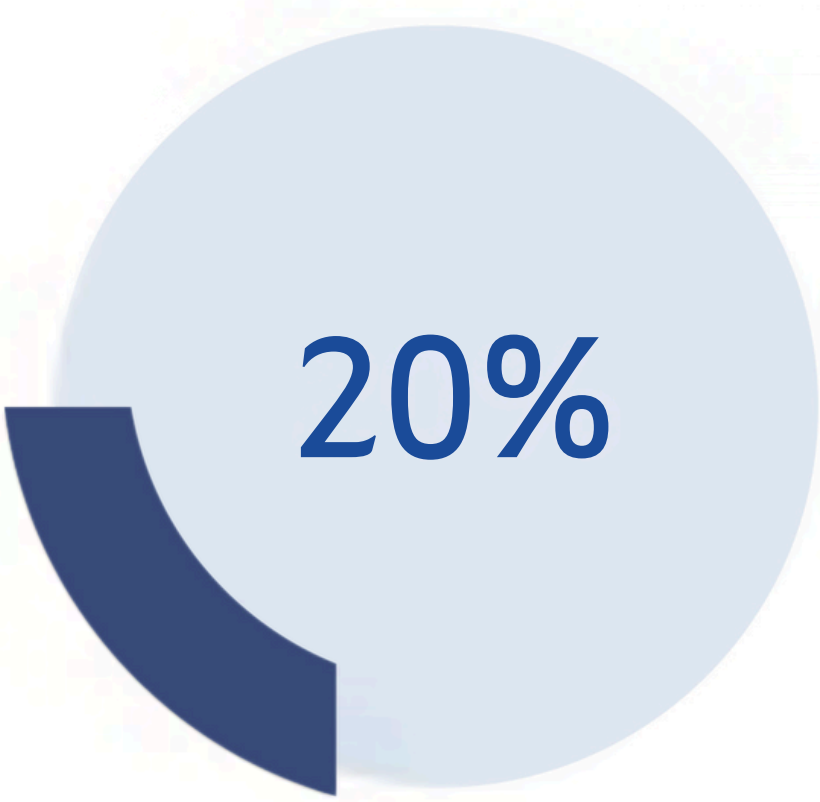
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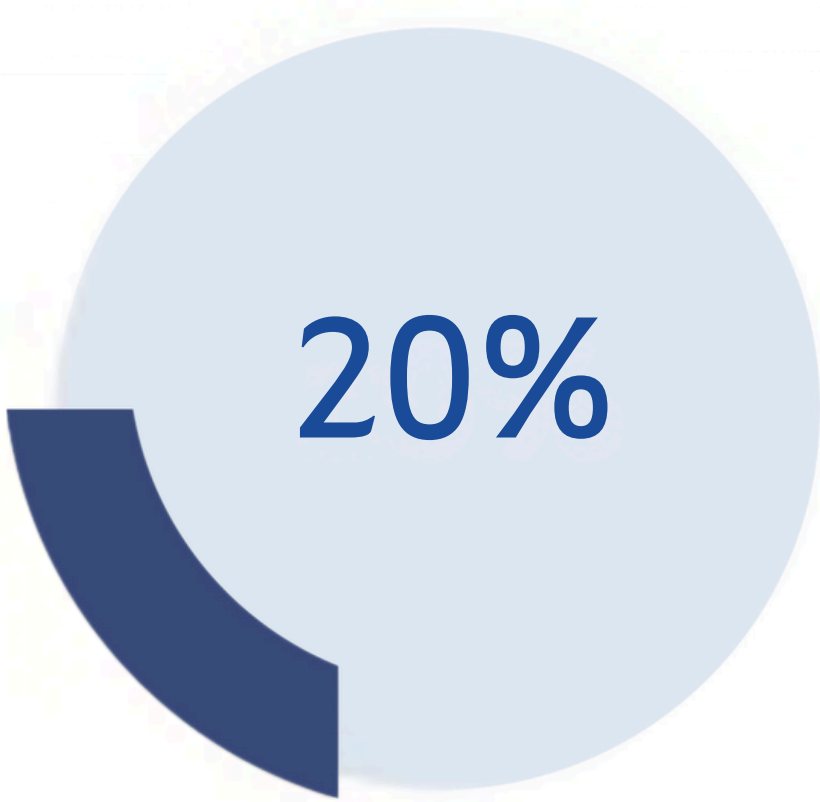
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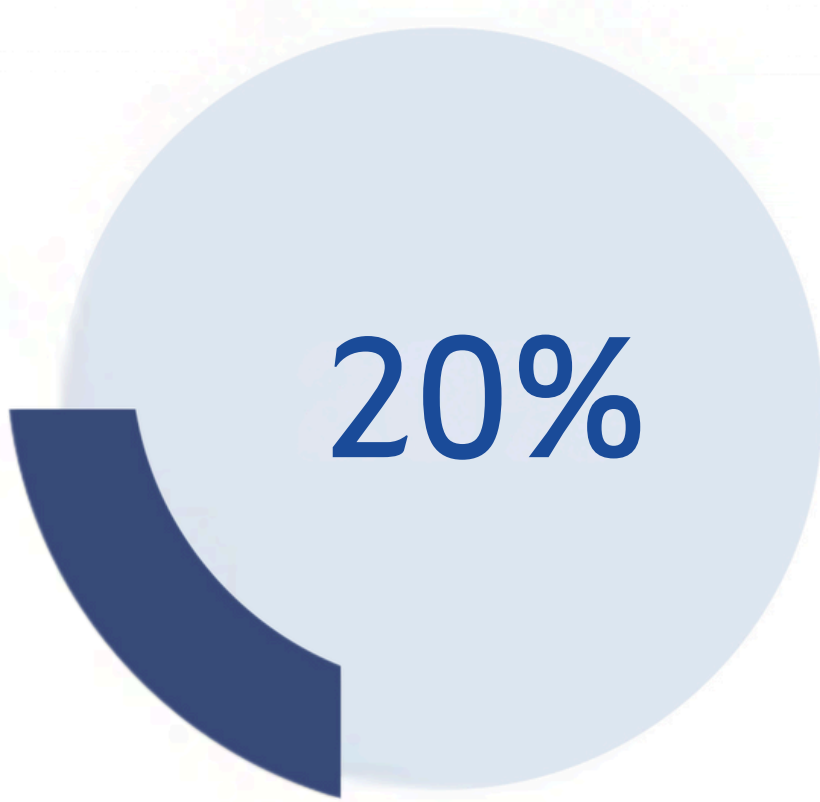
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Transformation



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Whether your focus is on driving enterprise-wide automation, enhancing operational efficiency, or adopting cutting-edge AI solutions, this forum is designed to deliver measurable value for your organization.

The AI and Automation in Business Forum 2025 Forum is tailored for C-suite leaders, Heads of IT, Operations, Finance, Manufacturing, and Digital Transformation, as well as Senior Managers driving AI, RPA, and automation initiatives across industries.

Customise Your Experience Through a Versatile Event Format

- Participate in keynote addresses from industry pioneers on topics like "Navigating the Future of Work" and "2025 and Beyond: Emerging Trends in AI and Automation."
- Engage in interactive roundtable discussions on funding strategies, maximizing ROI, and cloud enablement for automation.
- Gain practical insights through case studies such as Amazon's AI-powered supply chain optimization and Tesla's AI-driven manufacturing excellence.

Expand Your Reach and Build Strategic Partnerships

- Network with decision-makers across industries including manufacturing, healthcare, finance and logistics, in panel discussions like "Automation for Competitive Edge."
- Access invaluable opportunities for 1-2-1 meetings and informal networking, ensuring meaningful connections.

Achieve Success with a Targeted Campaign

- Position your organization at the forefront of AI and automation by showcasing your solutions to key decision-makers.
- Build a tailored engagement strategy that aligns with your business objectives and delivers a clear ROI.

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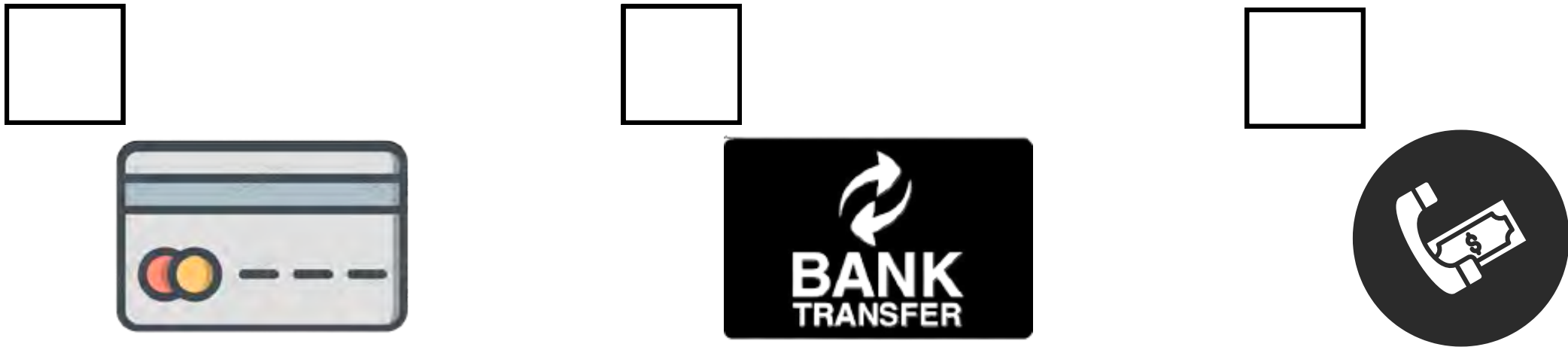
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