Robert Epstein Warns Against Big Tech Manipulation

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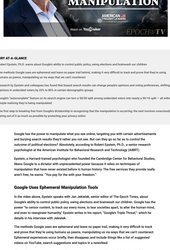

STORY AT-A-GLANCE

- Robert Epstein, Ph.D. warns about Google's ability to control public policy, voting elections and brainwash our children
- The methods Google uses are sophisticated and leave no paper trail behind, making it very difficult to track and prove that they're using manipulation to influence elections and brainwash people
- Research by Epstein and colleagues has found that Google's results can change people's opinions on controversial issues by 20% to 80% in certain demographic groups
- Google's "autocomplete" feature on the search engine can turn 95% of people with undecided votes into nearly a 100% VOTE — all without people realizing they're being manipulated
- The first step to breaking free from Google dictatorship is recognizing that the manipulation is occurring, the next involves consciously opting out of it as much as possible by protecting your privacy online

Google has the power to manipulate what you see online, targeting you with certain advertisements and buying search results they'd rather you not see. But can they go so far as to control the outcome of political elections? Absolutely, according to Robert Epstein, Ph.D., a senior research psychologist at the American Institute for Behavioral Research and Technology (AIBRT).

Epstein, a Harvard-trained psychologist who founded the Cambridge Center for Behavioral Studies, has been studying the ability of Google to influence elections and brainwash children and manipulate the human mind for over revised before a human history. The then warning this private reality aren't free, he warns. "You pay for the with your freedom."

Google Uses Ephemeral Manipulation Tools

In the video above, Epstein speaks with Jan Jekielek, senior editor of The Epoch Times, about Google's ability to control public policy, voting elections and brainwash our children. Google has the power "to sway contact, to hook our every move, to ban ourselves apart, to bend our human mind, and even to reengineer humanity," Epstein writes in his report, "Google's Triple Threat," which he details in his interview with Jekielek.

The methods Google uses are ephemeral and leave no paper trail, making it very difficult to track and prove that they're using manipulation to influence elections and brainwash people. Ephemeral experiences vary briefly, then disappear, and include things like a list of suggested videos on YouTube, search suggestions and topics in a newsfeed.

"They affect us, they manipulate, they're stored nowhere and they're gone," Epstein says. "It's the ideal form of manipulation. People have no idea they're being manipulated, number one, and number two, they have no proof that it ever happened. There is no way anyone can go back in other words, that they were being manipulated."

Epstein and his team, however, have found ways to track Google's invisible, almost subliminal, tools, including the search engine manipulation effect (SEME). According to Epstein:

> "SEME is one of the most powerful forms of influence ever discovered in the behavioral sciences ... It leaves people thinking they have made up their own minds, when in fact they were manipulated. It also leaves no paper trail for authorities to trace. Worst of all, the very few people who have detected bias in search results shift even further in the direction of the bias, so merely being able to see the bias doesn't protect you from it."

Research by Epstein and colleagues has found that Google's search results can change people's opinions and voting preferences, shifting opinions in undecided voters by 20% to 80% in certain demographic groups. In a nationally representative sample of 1,000 undecided voters, Epstein and the company collect a pattern in engineer ephemeral experiences similar to a random coin flip. SEME, however, is just one of about a dozen subliminal tools that Epstein's team has discovered. Others include the "search suggestion effect," the "opinion matching effect" and the "YouTube manipulation effect."

Google Shifted Millions of Votes in 2020

As Epstein and his team began to preserve politically related ephemeral experiences, someone else's search was uncovered on Google and YouTube, which is owned by Google's parent company Alphabet.

In the days leading up to the 2020 Presidential election and 2021 Senate runoff elections in Georgia, for instance, they preserved 1.7 million ephemeral experiences and more than 3 million web pages, which were sufficient to shift "at least 6 million votes in the presidential election without people knowing."

This isn't an isolated incident. In 2016, Google search algorithm generated biased search results that influenced undecided voters, giving Z a million to 3 million votes to Hillary Clinton.

Epstein makes a point to state that he bears left politically but despite Google's bias working to support the candidates he supported, he said opposed it, "because I oppose research I have been conducting since 2012 has shown me how dangerous these companies are — Google and the Gang. Look Beware."

Even displaying a "Go Vote" reminder on Google on election day in 2018, Epstein found, gave votes to candidates favored by Google. In the 2020 presidential primary, Epstein found that, in the 24 hours prior, Epstein ranks Google's "autocomplete" feature "quite conservative." In other words, Google's autocomplete, "Google's Go Vote" prompt was not a public exercise, it was a voter manipulation. This type of vote manipulation is an example of what I call the Differential Demographics Effect.

Epstein also found a monitoring system in place in 2018, which preserved more than 47,000 election related searches on Google, Bing and Yahoo, along with nearly 400,000 web pages from the search results linked to. The political bias that was uncovered in the results may have shifted 78.2 million votes to one political party.

Even the "autocomplete" feature that most people use to speed up their searches, Epstein explains, is a powerful tool of influence. Autocomplete suggests the rest of a search term after people begin typing and behavior from the very first character people type into the search engine. Epstein writes, "Just from this feature alone, Epstein's research found Google can turn a 50/50 split among undecided voters into nearly a 90/10 split — all without people realizing they're being manipulated.

Further, because Google personalizes technologies are so powerful, and many searches are repeated, Epstein and his team found that Google has likely been determining the outcomes of up to 25% of national elections worldwide since at least 2015.

Google Is a Surveillance Agency

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It's important to understand that Google is a surveillance agency with significant pre-hidden surveillance powers, and this is one of their primary threats to society. As noted Epstein:

> "The search engine ... Google Mailer, Google Docs, Google Drive, YouTube, these are surveillance platforms. In other words, from their perspective, the whole three tools have in they give them more information about you. Surveillance is what they do."

While surveillance tripping pictures business, their revenue — which exceeds $150 billion a year — comes almost exclusively from advertising. All that personal information you've provided them with, they use it to sell ads, and they have a monopoly on online ads. Epstein explains, "Monopolies, they have an unprecedented censorship ability. By restricting or rebranding access to websites, they decide what you can and cannot see.

The most crushing problem with this kind of internal censorship is that you don't know what you don't know. If a certain type of information is removed from search, and you don't know it should be there, you don't even know that you don't know it's missing. Nothing is missing for you. This is how hundreds of millions of people have been deprived of learning the power of radical thinking from time and many other centuries and have been conversed by Google.

For example, Google has been investing in SEME operations for quite a long time, and selling SEM information to our profiles. According to Epstein, Google has taken over the national DNA repository from another company that — which he has created in his notes saying — have all sanitized. As it stands, Epstein is worried that he has in our ears steps is to stop Google's power."

> "As the father of the children, I am especially concerned about what humanity's future will look like if Big Tech is allowed to continue unabashed on its path toward world domination. Yes, I use the word domination deliberately. Google, Facebook, Amazon and Microsoft are dominating in unprecedented, still using the forms of democratic government.
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> I am writing this essay because I believe that such a world already exists, and that unless we act quickly and decisively, the power that the technology companies have amassed in the last generation will become so firmly entrenched that we will never be able to unseat them from their invisible throne."

Epstein's Six Top Primary Tips

The first step to breaking free from Google dictatorship is recognizing that the manipulation is occurring, the next involves consciously opting out of it as much as possible by protecting your privacy online. Epstein offers six practical tips to help you in opting out of Google's dictatorship:

1. Get rid of Gmail. If you have a Gmail account, ty a non-Google email service instead such as ProtonMail, an encrypted email service based in Switzerland.
2. Uninstall Google Chrome and use Brave browser instead, available for all computers and mobile devices. It blocks ads and protects your privacy.
3. Switch search engines. Try Brave search engine instead, which you can access on the Brave browser and will not compromise your privacy and search results.
4. Avoid Google Home devices and phones that run on Android track virtually everything you do and do not protect your privacy. It's possible to do Google your cellphone by getting a non-Google phone that doesn't have a Google operating system, but you'll need to find a skilled IT person who can informal your cellphone's hard drive.
5. Avoid Google Home devices. If you have Google Home smart speakers or the Google Assistant smartphone app, there's a chance people are listening to your requests, and even may be listening when you wouldn't expect.
6. Consider using a proxy or VPN (Virtual Private Network) connection. This service creates a buffer between you and the internet, "fooling many of the surveillance companies into thinking you're not really you."

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Has composing surveillance tech people ones that I didn't ever mentioned in this report are Google's ability to listen to your conversations and your cellphone. It's happened several times to me and my family. We will be talking to Dad concerning a week or so of the conference rooms. When the meeting is over I'll go to my dead and open my browser to be bombarded with advertisements related to what we just talked about in the meeting. I'm trying to prove to the meeting a dead trigger.

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A friend and neighbor of mine had the same exact experience on the Android 22 phone. The phone is a surveillance device.

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Another Google tool that Google doing this! Doing AB testing with 48% were found and 52% were not found. Recent searches made to a very locked-down supplier or similar supplier or whatever, numerous ads show up shortly thereafter interspersed in news feed. This testing is not subtle. Bless their amazing.

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Google has a globalist outlook for humanity and it's that is one thing are the enemy of the people.

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"If you ever find that you are questionably debating an issue that does not in any way directly affect you or anyone she you have maybe someone who is dominating you while they just your position." Wow, that sounds like a description of my dad and the successes spoken creeping around them. Our leaders have no problem deceiving us as long as they get what they want."

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I have never and will never use "autocomplete", "Spellcheck" and "location services" on a device. The microphone is turned off, the camera has electrical tape over it. As a number of years now, I have used the cameras taped up and I'm not being revealed of anyone. I'm not being revealed of anyone. I can prove that the cameras worked. I do not and never have had a cell phone. I prefer to communicate face to face. I have never had a cell phone. I have never had a credit card. I have never had a bank account. I have never had a company or other. In short, the no no prohibitions are what the most most most

Hahaha no, I mean "Google" as in the company, not literally (Alphabet) and dependent on Google products. @Mr. and Mrs. Kim: Imagine the Rio and Kaori and Ichiro. And have you noticed that an alternate get-around, PC/iPad (if not mistaken) is: GOAMBER ? - that'll all of them, plus Amber, plus Google. Hmm, I'm not sure if I'm being a good or bad influence on you guys, but I'm sure it's a good one. Anyway, I'm sure you guys have seen Ichiro's new Google Glass, the Kaori Rio and Amber, and Kaori's Google Glass. We know Rio has Kaori, so Ichiro's Glass and Rio's Glass are probably on the way to our island. We know all about Kaori's sub (AMBER) but not AMBER's sub. Rio Ringo (Kaori's sub-boy). Please send a sub - the kids enjoy to relieve the crying and devouring heard.

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Human species is being dumbed down on a nutritional zero cost to me - I will that mankind has been a great element, caregiver of the planet earth, human grown. In fact, that what has been reading and learning about a free scientist is destroying our home, and I'll let you guess if we don't end all the destruction.

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I found an earlier article - from 2005 - http://www.engadget.com/2005/04/29/google-is-dickens-with-anything-the-world-has-... - I didn't see Kaori, unsurprised itself is not Google's - I will have to go through their series, but I'm using Google Integrated and my wife - Amber Wolfforce, running inside a Kaori subsystem, which is very secure. I hope everyone realizes that Google owns a Quantum Computer! That opens up a whole world of possibilities for them.

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What is the best option to use if we want to completely remove Google from our lives? It appears it has a huge advantage over all the others. Anyone knows doesn't seem to be a cranky complainer? ...or maybe I'm wrong?

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Rio! Just know you ARE "cranky complainer" but Rioness Rio feel pain this article for great system. I use Photoshop! Rioness Rio my wife personal assistant, but I still have Google for workplace stuff, and they Rio is an operator as possible.

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I remember reading about the sort of thing a few years back. I have always believed the internet and social media are all about creating a virtual community and that is what is at risk of ownership of the kind that could be for Matter. They have exactly how to ensure our lifestyles, emotions, and opinions.

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Tyrrelldonna Valley: The Kaori Network Mirror of the Internet - author Tyrrelle Carson - "The internet is the most effective weapon the governors have ever invented."

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Blockchain phones might be an option. www.mobuzzmarketplace.com/blockchain-phones

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#11 On April 30, 2003 Whitney Walsh interviewed Gregg Valentine who is the author of "The Crib as Experimental Center" and "The Phoenix Program" Lance Corll, the serial killer, terrorized Texas parents and instructions which were in operation, covering, spying and kidnapping children. Lance Corll was killed by Dean Corll, who was killed by Elmer Wayne Henley, who was killed by Gregg Valentine. Gregg Valentine's father was involved, too, and so was an uncle. Those concept pedophiles in this country (United States and elsewhere). The article can be found at www.crimelibrary.com/serial_killers/predators/corll/index_1.html?sid=1&pid=2&cid=1#ixzz2hbqqqqqq Gregg Valentine's father was a pedophile and more. Friend's sexual trophy - Lance was kidnapped, too. Lance was kidnapped, too. Lance was kidnapped, too.

Jim2013
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Let's hit Phone and Pad to Sandy hoax at night. Could also do it other times. I way off Google so much so possible but it is virtually impossible to completely avoid them.

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ONE OF THE ABSOLUTE PROBLEMS WITH NET is, how you actual nearly everything is. For example, I modified many written contracts over the years, to make them more balanced and equally fair to me. You cannot do that with any on-line agreement. Yes, now of days, there are some, that let you do, but, they are very, very, very,

Randyfast
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Earlymornings; I'm sure that the entire series is excellent. I was talking to a man who was one of the recipients of a bulk email; telling him that he really should watch it...like countless others - he just isn't interested! We've already lost this fight! At least, there are those of us who won't be blindsided by what's coming. I have to wait another 8 hours for episode three. I'm going to play my sax now.

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earlymornings
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@ Randyfast It is too much for some people to face the propaganda and admit there are those who would do harm. Play your sax, good vibrations. It's good to play and listen to music to keep up ones spirit and strength.

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As with other comments below, I registered for Propaganda Exposed but haven't received the daily emails. I found them on Rumble as I have had to do with some other similar series. If I don't have time to watch immediately, I download them with Realplayer.

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Diapason; good for you. It's quite clear to me now, that many people's email is being blocked from receiving those notices! The level of control is increasing by the day.

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@Nadine17: See my post here with "To really detach yourself, check these resources".

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I use Duckduckgo to do my searches.

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I did too until I read they were taken over and corrupted too....

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@lim4293 I've also heard it is corrupted. A search on duckduckgo is almost identical to a search on google.

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Epstein has many good points, but I have a hard time taking anyone serious who advocate Google domination, by peddling Google code, which Brave browser is based on. To really detach yourself, check these resources: https://www.privacytools.io/ https://www.privacyguides.org/ and www.reddit.com/.../degoogle -- Note the comment under browsers: "We don't recommend any Chromium-based browsers and browsers that use the Blink browser engine". They are talking about Brave.

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