On the 120th anniversary of Erich Fromm's birth, the International Erich Fromm Society awards the British journalist and author

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With his radical criticism of society and his deep concern for humanism he has carried Erich Fromm's thinking forward into our present age. Erich Fromm believed that "the computer can serve the enhancement of life in many respects. But the idea that it replaces man and life is a manifestation of the pathology of today".

Paul Mason warns of the dangers stemming from the new right-wing populism and calls for technology to be placed in the service of mankind before we become slaves of artificial intelligence.

In his books, articles and public statements, he enlightens us in the best sense of the word, and pleads passionately for reason and solidarity with others.

Stuttgart, Hospitalhof, March 23rd, 2020

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