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**From:** jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 6, 2015 4:04 PM  
**To:** Joi Ito  
**Subject:** Re: Jeff Hawkins

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On Thu, Aug 6, 2015 at 11:59 AM, Joi Ito [REDACTED] wrote:

Buy something in Boston. :-)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 6, 2015, at 08:46, jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com <<mailto:jeevacation@gmail.com>> > wrote:

never met. . . There are a bunch of beautiful schools for sale. . . I'm thinking about buying one and populating it with the unusual.

On Thu, Aug 6, 2015 at 9:40 AM, Joichi Ito [REDACTED] wrote:

Hmm.

BTW, do you know Jeff Jonas? He's smart about data stuff. I'm using his boat for the next 3 days. He's an investor in my fund. He is the guy who busted the MIT Blackjack team. He's at IBM, but he lives in Vegas and busts bad guys using data.

Decoding Jeff Jonas, Wizard of Big Data

<<http://news.nationalgeographic.com/news/innovators/2014/05/140505-jeff-jonas-big-data-gambling-computers-technology-ibm>>

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He might be fun for you to meet.

- Joi

On Aug 6, 2015, at 8:38 AM, jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:

i think ibm took numenta in ho=se

On T=U, Aug 6, 2015 at 9:36 AM, Joichi Ito <joi@media.mit.edu> w=ote:

> Begin forwarded message:

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> From: Ed Boyden

> Subject: Re: Jeff Hawkins

> Date: August 6, 2015 at 8:33:31 AM PDT

> To: Joichi Ito

> Reply-To:

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> I have talked to his second-in-command, Donna Dubinsky. In fact =he

> guest lectured for my neuroventures class, about their AI/brain

> startup, Numenta (she is CEO).

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> Off the record comments:

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> One key issue with their work is that it's a model that attempts t=

> mimic brain maps -- but again, as with the European Human Brain

> Project, we don't yet have brain maps. So there are a lot of=br> > assumptions built

into their models.

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> Perhaps as a result, their models haven't done much. I think=Numenta

> finally kind of gave up on trying to develop big hits with their AI

> <http://numenta.org/>

> But I'm not sure any major outputs have happened yet.

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> Best,

> Ed

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> On Thu, Aug 6, 2015 at 9:30 AM, Joichi Ito

<<mailto:joi@media.mit.edu>> > wrote:

>> Have you guys talked to Jeff Hawkins?

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>> Is his AI/brain stuff interesting?

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>> - Joi

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