Potential of Artificial Intelligence as a Remedy for the Challenges Faced by the Sri Lanka's Armed Forces in United Nations' Peace Keeping Operations

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Sri Lanka has much to offer in the realm of cultural diplomacy as its culture is enriched with various aspects such as arts, dancing, gastronomy, and textiles. The prowess of the island nation in terms of culture is unfathomable because of unidentified areas of its uniqueness and the scientific nature of the material arts. The country has a long illustrious history renowned worldwide. Although the country's well-structured cultural diplomacy aids in popularising its unique identity internationally, there are numerous factors that obstruct the process of taking the Sri Lankan culture into the world. One such recent development is the global domination of Artificial Intelligence (AI). The development of technology has now reached new heights with the rapid surge in utilizing AI for many purposes by the countries. Therefore, creating a nexus between the Sri Lankan culture and AI will assist in reshaping the means of modern cultural diplomacy and thereby increase the maximum benefits achieved by the nation. However, as that process is complex and will be hindered by multiple challenges, this study aimed to identify those challenges. The study also focused on analysing to what extent AI as a strategic tool can be strengthened in building cultural ties. The study used a qualitative method based on numerous primary and secondary sources.

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