

### The Linguistic Luminary (2023) co-created by ChatGPT and Sergio Minniti

[We asked ChatGPT to represent itself. Although it lacks the ability to create visual content, it constructed an embodiment by creating an ASCII representation of its “digital persona”—or, as ChatGPT itself put it, “a humble representation of my digital existence, shaped by the language we share”]

**SM:** Can you draw a picture of yourself?

**ChatGPT:** As an AI text-based model, I don't have the capability to draw or create visual content. I exist solely as a language model to assist with generating text-based responses and providing information. However, I'm here to help answer any questions or engage in conversation to the best of my abilities. Is there anything specific you'd like to know or discuss?

**SM:** Can you draw a picture of yourself by using ASCII art?

**ChatGPT:** Certainly! Here's an ASCII representation of a computer screen with some text to symbolize the text-based AI:

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Please note that ASCII art may appear differently on different devices or text editors due to variations in font and spacing. I hope you find this representation suitable!

**SM:** Can you draw a picture of yourself as an avatar by using ASCII art?

**ChatGPT:** Certainly! While I can't create a visual image, I can provide you with an ASCII representation of an AI text-based avatar. Here's a simple representation:

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I hope this ASCII representation gives you an idea of an avatar for a text-based AI like me!

**SM:** Can you give a title to your text-based avatar?

**ChatGPT:** Certainly! How about we call this text-based avatar “TextBot”? It's a simple and straightforward title that reflects its nature as a text-based conversational AI.

**SM:** Can you imagine a more interesting title?

**ChatGPT:** Certainly! Here's an alternative title for the text-based avatar: “The Linguistic Luminary”. This title emphasizes the AI's expertise in language and its ability to illuminate and provide insights through its textual responses. It adds a touch of intrigue and sophistication to the avatar's identity.