

EXERCISE 6

Read the numbered quotes in bold (1–6) from the third paragraph of the article. Is each person expressing a positive view, a negative view or are they making a claim? Choose the correct answers.

Carter thinks differently: **(1) 'If we introduce more automation, we don't have to pay wages to so many employees,'** he explains, **(2) 'and then we will have more money to invest in further learning and training for more people, so that they can qualify for jobs they really want to do.'** So will there still be enough jobs for people if robots replace human workers? Joanna Harding, a lecturer in music technology at Mapplethorpe University, makes an interesting point about job creation and loss: **(3) 'Recent developments in technology mean we can all listen to music when and where we want. Certainly, these developments have created jobs for people in the digital music industry, especially in engineering and in factories,'** she says. **(4) 'However, those same developments have unfortunately caused huge job losses in the traditional music industry. It's this kind of dramatic change we often find hard to imagine.'** Harding explains that because of the digital music industry, and the fact that millions of people download music illegally, many record companies can no longer afford to pay songwriters, producers, technicians and marketing teams. **(5) 'A large number of people download music illegally'** just because everyone else seems to be doing it – but really, **(6) they ought to consider what consequences their selfish actions could have on other people, in this case, loss of employment.'**

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