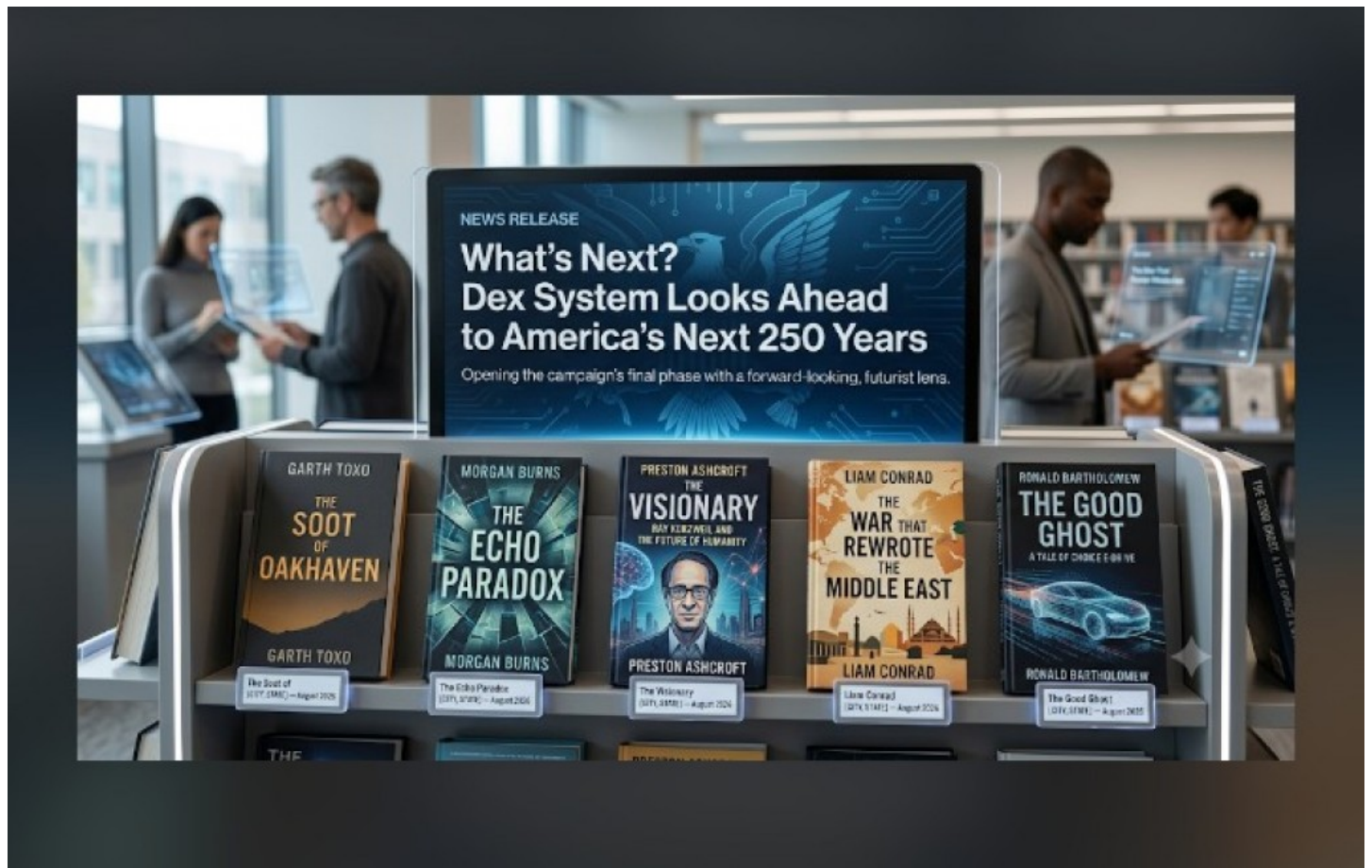


# What's Next? Dex System Looks Ahead to America's Next 250 Years

Opening the campaign's final phase with a forward-looking, futurist lens



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