



Building New Partnerships

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Coffee served in the Pavilion Foyer

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Welcome

John P. Holdren

Assistant to the President for Science and Technology
Director of the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy

Farnam Jahanian

Co-chair of the Subcommittee for Networking & Information Technology R&D
Assistant Director for the CISE Directorate, National Science Foundation

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Thomas Kalil

Deputy Director for Technology and Innovation
Office of Science and Technology Policy

David Logsdon

Senior Director for Federal Civil, Global Public Sector
TechAmerica

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A Bold New Collaboration

"Harnessing the Potential of Data Scientists and Big Data for Scientific Discovery"

Chris Mentzel

Program Officer, Data-Driven Discovery
Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation

Joshua Greenberg

Program Director, Digital Information Technology
The Alfred P. Sloan Foundation



Ed Lazowska

Bill & Melinda Gates Chair in Computer Science & Engineering
Director of the eScience Institute
University of Washington

Yann LeCun

Silver Professor of Computer Science and Neural Science,
Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, and
Director of the Center for Data Science
New York University

Saul Perlmutter

Director of the Berkeley Institute for Data Science
Professor of Physics, University of California, Berkeley
Senior Scientist, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

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[Partnership Panel Discussion](#)

“Data Innovation Across Sectors”

Marjorie Censer (Moderator)

Washington Post

Jake Porway

Founder and Executive Director
DataKind

Annika Jimenez

Global Head of Data Science Services
Pivotal

Michael Flowers

Analytics Director, Office of Policy and Strategic Planning
City of New York

David McQueeney

Vice President, Technical Strategy & Worldwide
IBM Research

danah boyd

Principal Researcher
Microsoft Research



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345 Breakout Sessions

Education and Workforce Development

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To discuss collaborative projects that focus on either improving the data workforce or educating the general public about data science and engineering. These could include: undergraduate and graduate curriculum and practicum; training and certification programs; K-12 education; informal Big Data and data analytics education; and improving access to the Big Data talent pool for organizations needing data scientists

Michael Rappa (Moderator)

Director, Institute for Advanced Analytics
North Carolina State University

Deborah Nolan

Professor, Department of Statistics
University of California, Berkeley

Roy Campbell

Director of Graduate Admission and Advancement
Sohaib and Sara Abbasi Professor
University of Illinois

Research and Development

MERIDIAN ROOM DE

To discuss new research partnerships across federal, academic, private, and non-profit sectors. Topics could include: core techniques and technologies; scientific and technical computing; cross-sector research centers; and cyberinfrastructure to support data science and engineering.

Stanley Ahalt (Moderator)

Director of the National Consortium for Data Science
Professor, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Michael Franklin

Director of the Algorithms, Machines and People Lab
University of California, Berkeley



Robert Ross

Deputy Director
The SciDAC Institute of Scalable Data Management,
Analysis and Visualization

Innovation

MERIDIAN ROOM C

To discuss how the data community can come together to foster the innovation ecosystem and promote the use of data science and engineering to address the challenges our nation faces. These challenges could include: national and regional economic development, education, healthcare, energy, climate change, transportation, and others.

Christy Wilson (Moderator)

Vice President of Product Operations
Splunk

Eng Lim Goh

Chief Technology Officer
SGI

Joris VanDam

Strategic Projects Leader, Pharmaceutical Development
Novartis

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[Closing](#)

George Strawn

Director of the National Coordination Office
Networking and Information Technology R&D Program

