# HPC+ BD + ML-> Discovery and Innovation

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### Why are we here?

### HPC+ BD + ML ->







### **Aligned with Administration Priorities**



#### FY 2020 R&D Budget Priorities Memo

"Agencies should invest in fundamental and applied Al research, including machine learning, autonomous systems, and applications at the human-technology frontier. ... Agencies should prioritize investment in research and infrastructure to maintain U.S. leadership in strategic computing, from edge devices to high-performance computing, ... use of embedded sensors, data analytics, and machine learning"



#### **National Security Strategy**

"prioritize emerging technologies critical to economic growth and security, such as data science, encryption, autonomous technologies,... advanced computing technologies, and artificial intelligence."



# National Defense Strategy "New technologies include advanced computing, "big

data" analytics, artificial intelligence, autonomy, robotics, .."

# HPC + BD + ML

#### **ORNL Launches Summit Supercomputer**

New 200-Petaflops System Debuts as America's Top Supercomputer for Science



"In addition to scientific modeling and simulation, Summit offers unparalleled opportunities for the integration of AI and scientific discovery, enabling researchers to apply techniques like machine learning and deep learning to problems in human health, highenergy physics, materials discovery ..."



### Using Ai to detect Gravitational Waves with the Blue Waters Supercomputer

April 14, 2018 by staff







ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND SUPERCOMPUTERS TO HELP **ALLEVIATE URBAN TRAFFIC PROBLEMS** 

Researchers from UT, TACC and City of Austin develop AI tools to automatically analyze road behavior and create searchable



#### **Enabling Access to Cloud Computing Resources for CISE Research and Education (Cloud Access)**

#### PROGRAM SOLICITATION NSF 19-510

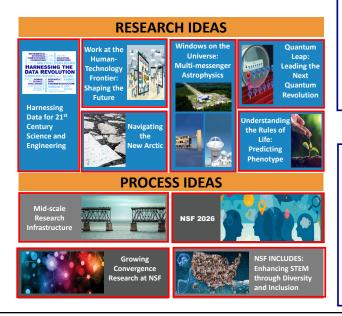
#### **National Science Foundation**

Directorate for Computer & Information Science & Engineering Division of Computing and Communication Foundations Division of Information & Intelligent Systems
Division of Computer and Network Systems Office of Advanced Cyberinfrastructure



... building on BIGDATA NSF/AWS/Google/IBM/Microsfot cloud collaboration





" ... bold questions that will drive NSF's long-term research agenda -- questions that will ensure future generations continue to reap the benefits of fundamental S&E research."

"Al is the universal connector that interweaves all of our Big Ideas; data science is changing the very nature of scientific inquiry, and Al's use of data has the potential to revolutionize everything we do in science."

F. Cordova, Director, NSF, Sept. 2017

# HPC + **BD** + ML : NSF Harnessing The Data Revolution

**Research** across all NSF Directorates

Theoretical foundations
Transdisciplinary Research in
Principles of Data Science
(TRIPODS)

Systems foundations data-centric algorithms, systems: BIGDATA

Data-intensive research
across all science & engineering
TRIPODS+X

### **Educational pathways**



Innovations grounded in an education-research-based framework

- NASEM: undergraduate data science
- NSF Research TraineeshipNSF Graduate Research
- Fellowship Program
   Data Science Corps



#### **Advanced cyberinfrastructure**

Accelerating data-intensive research.

Cyberinfrastructure for Sustained Scientific Innovation (CSSI);

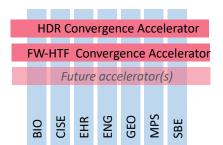
Scalable data-driven Cyberinfrastructure Dear Colleague Letter (DCL);

Midscale infrastructure (RFI and DCL)

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### **HDR Convergence Accelerator**

- Translational, use-inspired convergence research in HDR
- Projects with clear goals, milestones, directed deliverables (e.g., 6-months)
- More intentional, directed management
- Mission-driven evaluation, rather than peer review
- Partnerships: co-funding, co-design, creation
- FY 2019 launch

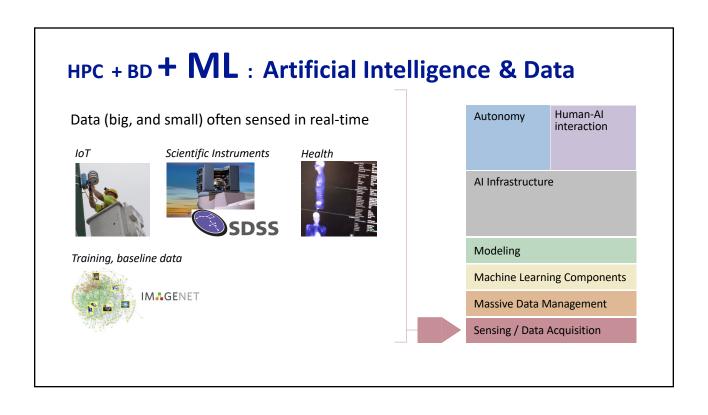


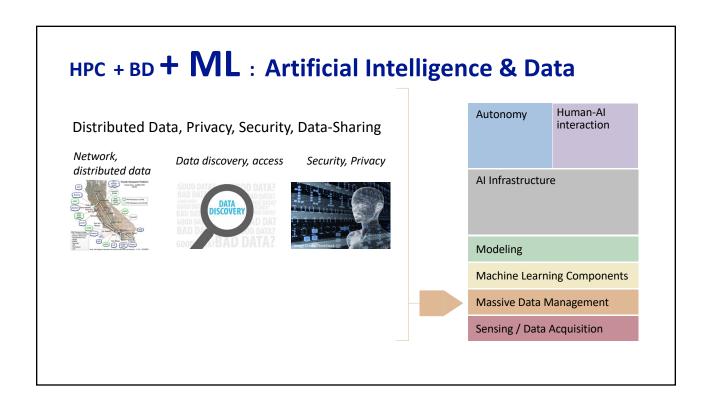
# HPC + **BD** + ML: Open Knowledge Network

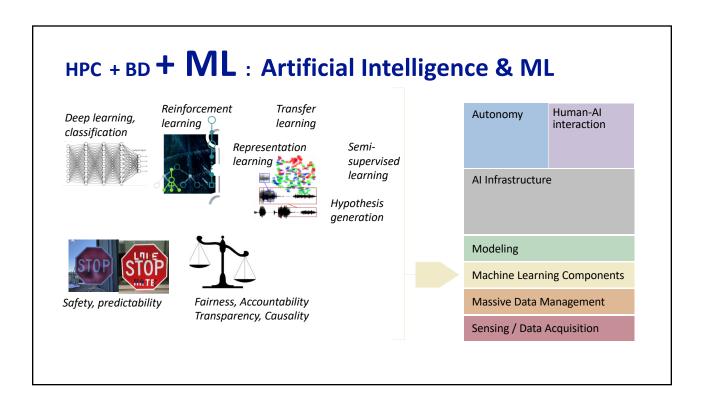


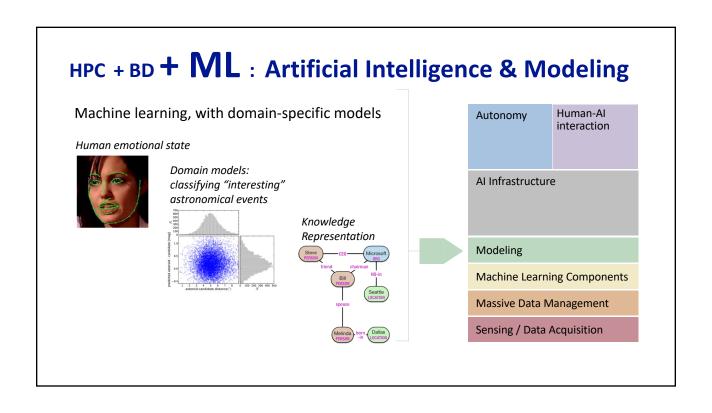
Goal: design, develop, prototype, and demonstrate an open knowledge network – an open semantic information infrastructure based on open standards for creating and maintaining a knowledge graph to enable discovery of non-trivial knowledge from multiple disparate knowledge sources, covering thousands of topic areas, especially scientific information

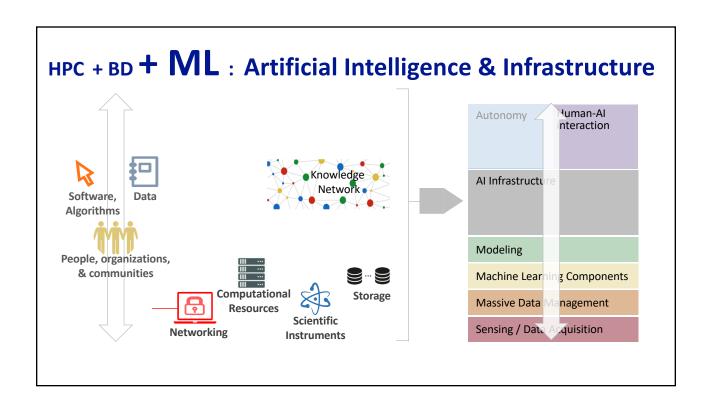
NITRD Workshops on an Open Knowledge Network: https://www.nitrd.gov/nitrdgroups/index.php?title=Open\_Knowledge\_Network

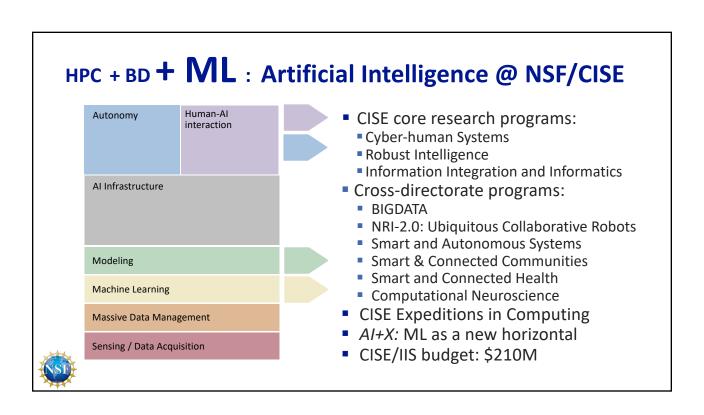


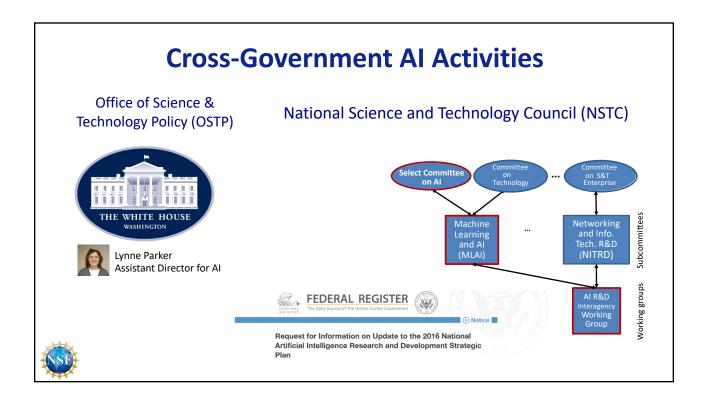


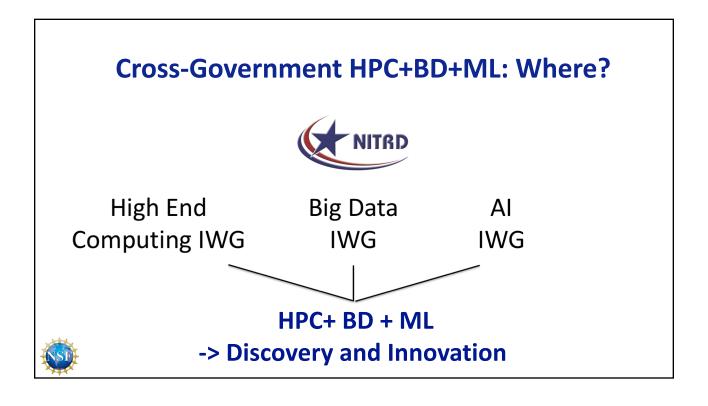












### Cross-Government HPC+BD+ML: Here!

- Suggestions for paths forward: actionable items
  - technical directions
  - achieving integration (HPC+BD+ML)
  - partnerships (federal, industry, academia)
- Believe it or not: high-quality workshop reports do matter!
  - · For impact to last beyond this meeting
  - Community voice into agency priorities, activities





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