



WOMEN IN DATA SCIENCE BUFFALO

AGENDA- DAY 1 SATURDAY, 30TH JANUARY, 2021

SESSION 1

11:00-11:15 ET

WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS

Lama Moukheiber, WiDS Ambassador
WiDS Stanford Opening Video

11:15-11:45 ET

KEYNOTE

“How To Maximize Your Data Science Super Power”
Sarmila Basu, Head of Data Science at Microsoft Consulting Services
Laura Edell, Chief Data Scientist, AI Markets & Innovation at Microsoft

11:45-12:45 ET

PANEL DISCUSSION

“AI in Cross-Industry: Use Cases & The Road Ahead”
Panelists
Curren Katz, Director of Data Science, R&D at Highmark Health
Jo Ann Tan, SVP, Head of Infrastructure at City National Bank
Joyce Weiner, Principal AI Engineer in the Client Computing Group at Intel
Kristen McGarry, Data Scientist and Financial Services Industry Lead at IBM

12:45-1:00 ET

BREAK

SESSION 2

1:00-1:30 ET

KEYNOTE

“Advancing Health Equity Through Ethical AI”
Irene Dankwa-Mullan, Deputy Chief Health Officer and Chief Health Equity Officer

1:30-2:15 ET

PANEL DISCUSSION

“Practical Measures Organizations Need To Take To Ensure Explainable & Sustainable AI”
Panelists
Sheila Ambruster, Director Data Science at The Illation Group
Victoria Stasiewicz, Data Governance Evangelist at Northwestern Mutual
Ann-elise Delbecq, Program Director-Data Science and AI Elite team EMEA at IBM



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AGENDA- DAY 2 SUNDAY, 31ST, JANUARY, 2021

SESSION 1

11:00-11:10 ET **INTRODUCTION & WELCOME**

Lama Moukheiber, WiDS Ambassador

11:10-11:40 ET **KEYNOTE**

"Top Trends To Watch In 2021 For Cloud"

Sandy Carter, Vice President at Amazon Web Services

11:45-12:45 ET **PANEL DISCUSSION**

"Accelerating Digital Transformation: Infusing AI and Building Smarter Businesses"

Panelists

Karin Jenson, Director of Business Analyst AI Success at DataRobot

Silvina Moschini, President and Founder of TransparentBusiness and SheWorks

Tannaz Khaleghi, Data Scientist at FCA Fiat Chrysler Automobiles

Korin Reid, CEO at Ellison Laboratories

12:45-1:00 ET **DATA ROBOT DEMO**

Cory Kind, Customer Facing Data Scientist at DataRobot

1:00-1:15 ET **BREAK**

SESSION 2

1:15-1:45 ET **KEYNOTE**

"Health Innovations & The Pandemic: Navigating The Change and The Path Ahead"

Aashima Gupta, Director, Global Healthcare Strategy and Solutions, Google Cloud

1:45-2:45 ET **PANEL DISCUSSION**

"The Expanding Role of AI In Healthcare"

Panelists

Nina Kottler, Associate Chief Medical Officer, Clinical AI at Radiology Partners

Bonnie Clipper, Chief Clinical Officer at Wambi

Ashveena Gajeelee, Co-Founder and Partner, DuraNova Consulting

Nadine Hachach-Haram, Founder at Proximie

2:45-3:00 ET **CLOSING REMARKS**

Lama Moukheiber, WiDS Ambassador
