

# IEEE New Era World Leaders AI Summit

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

### Saturday August 24

7:30 - 8:30 AM

Registration & Check-in

8:30 - 11:20 AM

Morning Keynotes

8:30 AM

Welcome, **Sheree Wen**, New Era AI Chair

8:35 AM

Keynote/welcome, **Tom Coughlin**, IEEE 2024 President

9:00 AM

Welcome, **Tim Lee**, IEEE-USA 2025 President-elect

9:05 AM

Grand Keynote, **Ramesh Menon**, Chief Artificial Intelligence Officer, US DIA

9:30 AM

Grand Keynote, **Dr. Peter Lee**, President, Microsoft Research

9:55 AM

Grand Keynote, **Dr. Bill Dally**, Chief Scientist, Nvidia

10:20- 10:35 AM

Break (15 min)

10:35 AM Grand Keynote, **Dr. Blaise Agüera y Arcas**, CTO of Technology & Society, Google

11:00 AM

Grand Keynote, **Honorable Senator Maria Cantwell**

11:20 AM - 12:00 PM

Panel - Perpetual and Boundless AI

**Honorable Senator Maria Cantwell**, leader

**Dr. Peter Lee**, President, Microsoft Research, panelist

**Dr. Kristin Lauter**, Sr. Director FAIR Labs, Meta, panelist

**Dr. Chirag Shah**, Co-Founder RAISE, UW, panelist

**Dr. Blaise Agüera y Arcas**, CTO of Technology & Society, Google, panelist

**Dr. Sheree Wen**, President, UNESCO Washington, moderator

12:00 - 1:00 PM

Lunch & Research Breakthrough Showcase

1:00 - 4:15 PM

Afternoon Keynotes

1:00 PM

**Dr. Chirag Shah**, Co-Founder RAISE, UW

1:30 PM

**Dr. Stefano Soatto**, VP, AWS AI Labs and Professor, UCLA

2:00 PM

**Dr. Kristin Lauter**, Sr. Director FAIR Labs, Meta

2:30 PM

**Dr. Juan Lavista Ferres**, CVP, Chief Data Scientist, AI For Good Lab

3:00 - 3:15 PM

Break (15 min)

3:15 PM

**Prof. Steve Brunton**, NSF AI Institute in Dynamic Systems

3:45 PM

**Prof. Blake Hannaford**, ECE, ME and Surgery, UW

4:15 - 4:30 PM

Break (15 min)

4:30 - 6:00 PM

Lightning Talks

6:00 - 7:30 PM

After Party Networking Reception & Lightning Talk Awards

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12:00 – 1:00 PM Research Breakthrough Showcase

Topic	Presenter
Building AI solutions that fit the jigsaw puzzle	<b>Sourabh Kulhare</b> , Global Health Labs
AI and Accessibility: Risks and Opportunities	<b>Dr. Jennifer Mankoff</b> , Paul G. Allen School of CS
Real-to-Sim-to-Real: A Scalable Data Diet for Robot Learning	<b>Dr. Abhishek Gupta</b> , Paul G. Allen School of CS

4:30 – 6:00 PM Lightning Talks

Lightning Talk	Presenter
Data Quality in Intelligent Systems	<b>Sreyashi Das</b> , Senior Data Engineer at Netflix
PartyRock: Unleashing the Power of Generative AI in a Playground	<b>Karthikeyan Gopal</b> , Senior Software Development Engineer, Amazon
Building Trustworthy AI – Guardrails for a Responsible Future	<b>Ashish Vaidya</b> , Principal Software Engineer, Amazon
Artificial Intelligence for Sales and Marketing	<b>Harshita Asnani</b> , Applied Data Scientist, Amazon
Revolutionizing Organizational Security with Microsoft Copilot’s AI Capabilities	<b>Ankit Masrani</b> , Principal Software Engineer, Microsoft Security
SLIs for ML Models	<b>Sunandan Barman</b> , Production Engineer, Meta Platforms
Speeding Up Product Innovation: Leveraging Generative AI for Rapid Product Development and GTM Strategies	<b>Ram Joshi</b> , Staff Engineer at The Climate Corporation, and <b>Gunjan Paliwal</b> , Sr. Product Development & Marketing Manager
Bridging the Chasm: How Software Innovation is Outpacing Hardware in the AI Revolution	<b>Dr. Harisankar Sadasivan</b> , Member of Technical Staff SDE, AMD
Building Product Strategy for Modern Times	<b>Seema Bansal</b> , Product Manager, Microsoft



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