

Houston CDAO Executive Summit

The Post Oak Hotel at Uptown Houston



June 24, 2019

6:00pm - 8:30pm **The Art of Innovation — Creativity at Work**

Noah Scalin, Artist, Innovation Consultant, Another Limited Rebellion

June 25, 2019

7:00am - 7:45am **Registration & Breakfast**

7:45am - 8:30am **Automation is Coming — And There's Nothing You Can Do to Stop It**

George Danner, Author, CEO & Futurist,

8:30am - 9:00am **Networking Break**

9:00am - 9:50am **University of Houston — A Next-Generation Talent Perspective**

Wenjiang Fu, Professor of Statistics, University of Houston
Xinhui Min, Graduate Student, University of Houston
Xiao (Joey) Zhang, PhD Candidate, Department of Natural Science and Mathematics, University of Houston

9:00am - 9:50am **Avoiding Pitfalls Along Your AI / ML Journey**

Victor Ghadban, Field CTO AI/ML, BlueData

9:00am - 9:50am **Accelerating and Securing Data Flow to Drive Enterprise Initiatives**

Brandon Brown, Director - Intelligent Operations, Chesapeake Energy

Nachiket Karajagi, Director - Enterprise Analytics & Automation, Anadarko Petroleum Corporation
Karun Bakshi, Vice President, Product Marketing & Strategy, Delphix

9:50am - 10:20am **Networking Break**

10:20am - 11:10am **A Fresh Perspective on Multi-Domain MDM's Time-to-Value**

Julio Vides, Director of Enterprise Information Management, Sysco

10:20am - 11:10am **Delivering ML and Enterprise AI Solutions at BHGE**

Ulysses David, Principal, Customer Success , Dataiku
Srinatha Nagaraju, Director, Data Science, Data & Analytics, BHGE

10:20am - 11:10am **Strategies for Tackling Defensive and Offensive Data Management**

David Meza, Chief Knowledge Architect, NASA Headquarters
Marcus MacNeill, VP, Product Management, ASG Technologies, Inc.

10:20am - 11:10am **Agile Data Makeover — Strategies for Data Operations and Data Engineering**

Stu Moffitt, Director, Business Intelligence and Data Warehousing, National Oilwell Varco
Boyan Vukichevich, Director of Application Development, JB Poindexter
Kevin Holder, Global Head of Solution Architecture, Infoworks

11:10am - 11:40am **Networking Break**

11:40am - 12:50pm **Achieve 100% Analytics Adoption With a New Class of Enterprise Intelligence**

Steve Holdridge, Senior EVP, Worldwide Services, MicroStrategy

12:50pm - 1:20pm

Networking Break

1:20pm - 2:10pm

Utilizing Knowledge Graph Architecture

David Meza, Chief Knowledge Architect, NASA Headquarters

1:20pm - 2:10pm

Delivering Data Democratization Through Cloud Data Warehouses

Kent Graziano, Chief Technical Evangelist, Snowflake

1:20pm - 2:10pm

Machine Learning Strategies for Data Quality and Analytics

Graeme Gordon, Exploration Senior Geological Advisor – Strategy, Planning & New Basins, Hess Corporation
Jackie Wallace, VP, IT Program Management – Divestitures, BHGE
Scott Demers, Head of Global Presales, Tamr

1:20pm - 2:10pm

Journey to the Intelligent Enterprise — A Data Leader's Roundtable

Adil Ahmed, Director, Information Architecture & Knowledge Systems, Bristow Group
David Harmon, Director of Business Services & Data Analytics, Oil States
Lynn Robinson, IT Chief Data Officer - Manufacturing, Shell Oil Company
Steve Holdridge, Senior EVP, Worldwide Services, MicroStrategy

2:10pm - 2:30pm

Networking Break

2:30pm - 3:20pm

Major League Analytics

Ryan Ferguson, Analyst, Research and Development, Houston Astros

2:30pm - 3:20pm

Championing Projects That Leverage New Technologies

Allen Wuescher, VP & CIO, Toshiba International

2:30pm - 3:20pm

Moving Enterprises to “Mostly” Data-Driven

Kevin Carroll, IT CDO Information Risk Management, Royal Dutch Shell

Frank Hayden, VP, Trading Compliance, Calpine Corporation

Anu Krishnan, Chief Data Officer & Data Services Integration, Shell Global Solutions Inc

Ash Munshi, CEO, Pepperdata

3:20pm - 3:40pm

Networking Break

3:40pm - 4:20pm

Pioneering Digital Innovation Through Executive Partnerships

Manolo Sánchez, Board of Directors, Fannie Mae

4:20pm - 5:00pm

Closing Reception & Prize Drawing