

Minneapolis CDAO Executive Summit

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May 22, 2023

6:00pm - 8:30pm **Governing Body Welcome Reception**

May 23, 2023

7:45am - 8:30am **Registration & Breakfast**

8:30am - 9:15am **Unleashing Business Growth with Data Mastery**

Brian Robran, Senior Director - Analytics Strategy, Ameriprise Financial

Ines Davis, Vice President Marketing Strategy and Analytics, Information Management and Strategy, Ameriprise Financial

Kapil Narang, Chief Data and Analytics Officer, Ameriprise Bank

9:15am - 9:40am **Networking Break**

9:40am - 10:25am **Insights Rich – Outcome Driven Innovation**

Sravan Kasarla, Chief Data Officer, Thrivent

9:40am - 10:25am **Powering Business Value with Graph Intelligence**

Michael Moore, Principal, Partner Solutions and Technology, Neo4j

9:40am - 10:25am **Breaking Down AI Silos to Scale Data-Driven Impact**

Kjell Carlsson, Head of Data Science Strategy & Evangelism, Domino Data Lab

Pat Brickson, Director, Enterprise Data Systems, Digi-Key

Jon Foltz, VP of Data Science, Optum

- 9:40am - 10:25am** **Data Privacy, Governance and Security at Scale**
- Anshu Sharma, Co-founder & CEO, Skyflow
Brandt Vettel, Chief Data Officer, Metropolitan Council
QingHui Yuan, Senior Director - Data Science, Modeling, and Sensing, Donaldson
- 10:25am - 11:00am** **Networking Break**
- 10:30am - 10:55am** **Peer-to-Peer Meetings**
- 11:00am - 11:45am** **Sharpening Your Executive Pitch — An Interactive Exercise**
- Jeannie Furlan, VP, Data & Business Intelligence Strategy, Mutual of Omaha
Nait Grave, VP, Data & Analytics, MiTek
Karl Schultz, Director of Analytics, Prime Therapeutics
- 11:00am - 11:45am** **Using Data as a Counterweight to Economic Uncertainty**
- Scott Buckles, Business Unit Executive - Business Analytics, Data Science, and Unified Governance, IBM
Susan Yamin, VP, Data Governance Product Management, U.S. Bank
- 11:00am - 11:45am** **Empowering Your Entire Organization with Data-Driven Insights**
- Robert Ruppel, SVP - Global Sales, Actian
Teri Kaslow, Head of Enterprise Data & Analytics, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota
Matt Wells, Head of Business Intelligence & Analytics, Minnesota Wild
- 11:00am - 11:45am** **Refining Data Access Flows with ML and Generative AI**
- Michael Burke, Sr. Director AI & Machine Learning, Reltio
Luke Salzwedel, Senior Director, Analytic Innovation & Strategy, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota
Angie Schulke, Vice President - Applications, Data & Business Intelligence, Life Time
- 11:45am - 12:30pm** **Lunch Service**

- 12:30pm - 1:05pm** **The Business Case for Governance**
- Heidi Westfall, Global IT Director, Master Data & Governance Solutions, Medtronic
Dr. Jennifer Gionfriddo, Senior Director Data Governance, Greystar
Lisa Moschkau, Director of Business Intelligence & Analytics, Minnesota Twins
- 1:05pm - 1:30pm** **Break**
- 1:30pm - 2:15pm** **Leading with Data — The Future of the CDAO**
- Sky Ammann, Ph.D., Head of Product Insights & Analytics, Workiva
Rebecca Stay, Global Leader of Data Science, Cargill
Michael Brazys, VP - Data & Analytics, Allianz Life US
- 1:30pm - 2:15pm** **Culture of Insights - Building a Human-Centered, Data-Driven Future**
- Andrew Miller, Head of Data and Business Analytics, Danfoss
- 1:30pm - 2:15pm** **Fostering Data-Fueled Business Change**
- Dima Spivak, COO - Products, StreamSets
Anandh Asokan, VP, Head of Enterprise Integration Engineering and Services, Thrivent
Erik Erickson, Chief Data Officer, Hennepin County
Evan Loenser, Associate Director, Enterprise Data & Reporting, UCare
- 1:30pm - 2:15pm** **Changing the Game — The Rise of Self-Service AI**
- Conor Jensen, Americas Field CDO, Dataiku
Chris Fitzharris, Senior Director, Data & Analytics, C.H. Robinson
Jeremy Lembeck, Head of Data and Analytics, Land O'Lakes
- 2:15pm - 2:50pm** **Networking Break**
- 2:20pm - 2:45pm** **Peer-to-Peer Meetings**

- 2:50pm - 3:35pm** **Mastering Communication to Drive Data Team Effectiveness**
- Greg Albaugh, Senior Vice President, Data Architecture & Analytics, Synchrony Financial
Tonya Wilson, Organizational Effectiveness Strategist, Guest Speaker
- 2:50pm - 3:35pm** **Enterprise Readiness - Optimizing Database Environments for Performance and Scalability**
- Stacy Scoggins, Field CTO, EnterpriseDB
David Clemens, Vice President Enterprise Analytics Platforms, Sleep Number
Brad LeBlanc, Enterprise Architect, Minnesota Housing Finance Agency
- 2:50pm - 3:35pm** **Self Service Analytics For Agile Data**
- Rob Woollen, CTO, Sigma Computing
Sumeer Khosa, VP, Software Engineering, UnitedHealthcare
Ron Schmitz, Director, Information Services, Great River Energy
Charles Woosley IV, VP Data Analytics, Sedgwick
- 3:35pm - 4:00pm** **Break**
- 4:00pm - 4:35pm** **Synergizing Knowledge and Action for Operational Excellence**
- Keith Narr, VP, Chief Data Officer, Cargill
Todd Sobiech, Senior Director Global Data and Analytics, Cargill
John Thompson, Self-Service Analytics Product Owner, Cargill
Jack Vishneski, Principal Analytics Consultant, Cargill
- 4:35pm - 5:00pm** **Reception**