

Houston CDAO Executive Summit

Hyatt Regency Houston Galleria

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

8:30am - 9:15am **Winning with Accountability — Strategies to Build a High Performing Organization**

Henry Evans, Best-selling Author, "Winning With Accountability", Guest Speaker

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

9:40am - 10:25am **Dynamic Governance for a Future of Trust and Innovation**

Partha Chatterjee, Data and Analytics SME, Shell Energy Americas, Shell USA
Nitant Chakranarayan, Director, Data & Analytics, Houston Methodist
Yunique Demann, Data Protection Officer, NTT Data Services

9:40am - 10:25am **Maximizing Impact and Minimizing Risk of AI**

Justin Swansburg, VP - Applied AI & Technical Field Leads, DataRobot
Dave Bhattacharjee, SVP/Chief Data Officer, Farm Credit Bank of Texas
Christopher Romano, Chief Data Architecture, ExxonMobil
Kim Wiley, VP, IT, Hanger

9:40am - 10:25am **Death of the Dashboards — The Next Wave of Data Visualization**

Govindaraj Palanisamy, Sr. Solutions Architect, Global Payments
Mario Rojas, VP, Business Intelligence & IT Services, University Lands

Pauline Ramos, CDO, Deepwater, Shell

10:25am - 11:05am **Networking Break**

10:30am - 10:55am **Peer-to-Peer Meetings**

11:05am - 11:50am **Future Proofing the CDAO — Leading the Charge in a Data-Driven World**

Chuck Layton, Chief Data Management Officer, San Jacinto College

11:05am - 11:50am **Data as a Strategic Asset**

Adil Ahmed, Chief Data Scientist and Director of Knowledge Management, Bristow Group

11:05am - 11:50am **Leading Across Borders — Talent Strategies for CDAOs**

Quang Ton, Head of Data Science & AI, SLB
Ming Guo, Director Business Intelligence, HR, University of Texas Medical Branch

11:50am - 12:35pm **Lunch Service**

12:35pm - 1:10pm **Responsible AI — Navigating the Risks and Opportunities of AI for the Enterprise**

Igor Jablovkov, CEO, Pryon

1:10pm - 1:35pm **Break**

1:35pm - 2:20pm **Collaborative Insights - Building your Resource Tool Kit**

Kasthuri Kannan, Associate Professor & Director, MD Anderson Cancer Center

1:35pm - 2:20pm **Crafting Conversations on Value**

Arthur Borges, Transformation Enablement IT Manager, ExxonMobil

Rhonald Durham, Senior Manager, Data Analytics, CVR Energy

1:35pm - 2:20pm **Data Democratization — Shattering Barriers, Driving Innovation**

Raphael Louvrier, Enterprise Data Officer, City of Houston, TX
Pranit Shah, Enterprise Data Architect CDO Office, Texas
Department of Family and Protective Services
Arun Natarajan, Interim CDO, Rice University

2:20pm - 3:00pm **Networking Break**

2:25pm - 2:50pm **Peer-to-Peer Meetings**

2:55pm - 3:40pm **AI in Action — From Concept to Value**

Patrick Bangert, Chief of AI, Occidental Petroleum

3:40pm - 3:45pm **Closing Comments and Prize Drawing**

3:45pm - 5:00pm **Governing Body Reception**