

# Gartner Data & Analytics Summit

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## Value at AI Velocity: Navigating the Now and Next

Join us for the must-attend conference for data, analytics and AI leaders.



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Vice President

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# Transform your data, analytics and AI journey in 2026

## Value at AI Velocity: Navigating the Now and Next

The pace of AI innovation is forcing data, analytics and AI leaders to deliver measurable business value faster than ever before. As AI accelerates change across industries, leaders must deliver immediate impact while preparing for future developments.

**Gartner Data & Analytics Summit 2026** is dedicated to helping you overcome challenges like scaling AI, managing disruption and balancing risk through governance — unlocking data's full potential for lasting success.

Explore the latest in AI agents, GenAI, governance and data architecture this September in Mumbai. Join analyst-led sessions, hands-on workshops and connect with industry leaders to gain the strategies and skills needed for impactful, data-driven results.



Gain insights you can trust. Join us for the only data, analytics and AI conference shaped by data-driven insights and more than 200,000 annual conversations between Gartner analysts and the data, analytics and AI community.



Strengthen your network. Join 1,000+ data, analytics and AI executives at a conference that prioritizes meaningful interactions and powerful connections.



Validate your strategy. Our global team of 20+ on-site analysts helps you create and validate your game plan using actionable insights based on proprietary Gartner insights and tools — including personalized one-on-one meetings.



Discover cutting-edge solution providers. In a tech-driven world, access is everything. Evaluate 25+ solution providers at the forefront of technology and explore how they can advance your organization's mission.

### What's new for 2026?

- **Introducing for 2026:** AI Leadership spotlight. Build world-class AI strategies with new sessions on delivery models, agentic AI and AI governance.
- **Launch of Signature Series sessions.** Featuring the most impactful and influential Gartner insights, designed to empower data, analytics and AI leaders with actionable insights and proven strategies. Sessions include: State of D&A 2026, Top Data and Analytics Predictions for 2026 and The Future of AI.

### Who should attend

- Chief data and analytics officers (CDAOs), and heads of data and analytics
- Chief AI leaders and heads of AI
- Analytics and business intelligence (BI) leaders
  - BI and analytics program leaders
  - Analytics and BI practitioners
  - Business analysts
- Analytic developers
- Analytic architects
- Analytic engineers
- AI leaders
- Data scientists
  - AI engineers/architects
- Heads of data governance
  - MDM program managers
  - Data stewards and governance board
- Heads of data management
  - Database managers
  - Data integration managers
- Data architects
- Data engineers
- Data analysts
- IT leaders
  - Enterprise architects
  - Application architects and managers
- Information management
  - Information architects



# Keynotes

## Gartner Opening Keynote: Navigate AI on Your Data and Analytics Journey to Value

AI is accelerating new possibilities for data and analytics everywhere. Success isn't always about being the fastest, but about finding your own path to value, while managing risk and cost. Join this Gartner Opening Keynote to discover how a thoughtful approach to speed and direction helps you prepare for what's next, no matter where you are today.



**Gareth Herschel**  
Vice President



**Robert Thanaraj**  
Senior Director



# Plan your experience

Sessions as of 15 May 2026, and subject to change

## Agenda tracks

**A: Leadership**  
A track designed for CDAOs and data, analytics and AI leaders tasked with delivering business value through data, analytics and AI. These leaders deliver value and mature a data-driven culture by building trust and managing data while evolving technology capabilities.

**B: Artificial Intelligence**  
This track covers everything you need to be successful with AI, including: AI strategy, responsible AI, risk and governance, generative AI, LLMs, retrieval augmented generation, prompt engineering, data science, ML and scalability. A track designed for leaders responsible for AI, as well as AI experts, architects and engineers.

**C: Analytics**  
This track covers everything you need to be successful with analytics and business intelligence, including: self-service analytics, the adoption and impact of generative AI, agentic analytics, ecosystems, composability, natural language query, metrics and dashboards, data storytelling and decision intelligence. This track is designed for D&A leaders and practitioners, such as heads of analytics, business analysts, analytics developers, analytics architects and engineers.

**D: Data Management**  
This track covers everything you need to be successful with data management, including data fabric, data products, data observability, cost optimization, scalability, resilience and reliability of data management architectures. This track is designed for leaders responsible for data management, as well as data architects and data engineers.

**E: Governance**  
A track designed for D&A leaders responsible for governance, as well as those who take on governance roles like stewardship. This track covers everything you need to be successful no matter where you are in your D&A governance journey, including: adaptive governance, achieving stakeholder buy-in, establishing your governance operating model, the impact of AI on D&A governance, the future of D&A governance roles and evolution of D&A governance platforms.

## Hot topics

- Strategy and operating models
- Delivering business value
- Talent development
- Building a data-driven culture
- Evolving technology capabilities

- AI strategy
- AI agents (and agentic AI)
- Cost management
- Responsible AI
- AI risk and governance

- Self-service analytics
- Agentic analytics
- Impact of GenAI

- AI-readiness for data
- Federated data management
- Data management platform convergence
- DataOps
- Data products
- Cost optimization
- Data fabric for scalability
- Resilience of data management architectures

- Adaptive governance
- Stakeholder buy-in for governance programs
- D&A governance operating model
- AI impact on D&A governance
- Future of D&A governance roles
- Evolution of D&A governance platforms

# Plan your experience (continued)

## Spotlight tracks



### Heads of AI and AI Leaders

This spotlight track is designed for AI leaders tasked to building a world-class AI strategy and organization. It covers AI use cases, developing robust AI systems and delivery models, including agentic AI, while ensuring safe and scalable operations, through strong AI governance.



### What's Next?

This spotlight track highlights the emerging concepts organizations will need to build into their strategic plans, as well as the latest best practices to solve problems old and new.



### Create D&A Value

Learn how to demonstrate and realize value from D&A investments by building a value competency that is part of every decision and action.

## Hot topics

- AI delivery models
  - Agentic AI
  - AI governance
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- AI governance operating models
  - AI governance with AI architecture
  - Multiagent systems
  - AI agent landscape
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- Cost optimization
  - Accelerating AI value
  - Unlocking value through organizational change



# The CDAO Circle Program

The CDAO Circle Program\* is an exclusive experience designed for both New To Role, and experienced CDAOs and AI leaders to elevate their performance and brand. The program provides targeted content, focused workshops and valuable networking lunches. Join your CDAO peers to explore how you and your teams can use data, analytics and AI to drive better business value and improve culture, communication and change.

## What's included

- The opportunity to network and connect with a community of CDAOs and AI leaders
- Exclusive interactive sessions focused on the most pressing priorities of CDAOs and AI leaders
- Priority access to book interactive sessions and one-on-one meeting(s) with a Gartner analyst
- Exclusive meals, featuring keynote presentations from visionaries and industry leaders

“Attending the summit was an exceptional experience. The quality of the speakers and sessions was outstanding, with influential thought leaders sharing insights that were both practical and forward-thinking. What stood out even more was the opportunity to connect with peers – building meaningful relationships and opening up exciting possibilities for future collaboration.”

Head, Data and Analytics, Bridgestone India

## Featured sessions

- CDAO Circle Leadership Exchange: Shared Lessons From CDAO Agenda Survey 2026
- CDAO Circle Roundtable: Redefining D&A and AI Governance (Multigroup)
- CDAO Circle Leadership Exchange: How Ready Is My Organization for AI Agents?

\*Qualification criteria apply for the CDAO Circle Program. Interested candidates can complete an application during the registration process.

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“The conference was highly insightful and provided an excellent platform to engage with new vendors. It offered valuable perspectives on the latest developments in AI and ML, helping us stay informed and ahead of the curve. We look forward to exploring new technologies and continuing the connections made at the event.”

Associate Vice President, Business Intelligence Unit  
ICICI Lombard General Insurance

## Interact with analysts



### Roundtables\*

Moderated by Gartner analysts for exchanging ideas and best practices with your peers.



### Executive Stories

Accelerate your initiatives by sitting down with peers to hear their leadership stories, real world challenges, success factors and lessons.



### Workshops\*

Small-scale and interactive — drill down on specific topics with a how-to focus.



### Social engagements

Unwind, learn from peer experiences and grow your network during planned Meetups, receptions and special events.

## Network with peers



### Keynotes

Let the experience of visionaries, innovators and renowned thought leaders inspire you — and reframe your thinking about business and leadership.



### Gartner one-on-one meeting\*

Complimentary consulting with one Gartner analyst on the topic of your choice.



### Ask the Analyst sessions\*

Pose tough questions to a single Gartner analyst in an intimate, topic-driven session.

## Exhibit Showcase

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Learn about the current exhibitor landscape as you continuously evaluate and analyze product capabilities.

### Solution Provider sessions

Get an inside view of current marketplace offerings from the clients who deploy them and the solution providers that develop them.

### Theater sessions

Get a snapshot of the current solution landscape. Exhibitors reveal products and Gartner analysts present findings based on Gartner Magic Quadrant™ research and the Gartner Hype Cycle™ methodology.

### Face-to-face solution provider meetings

Meet with the solution providers that interest you most, and walk away with a shortlist and actionable solutions.

\*Space is limited and preregistration is required.



# Exhibit Showcase

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# Registration and pricing

## What's included

In addition to five tracks of the latest Gartner insights, your conference registration fee includes complimentary access to these special features:

- One Gartner one-on-one meeting\*
- Workshops\*
- Roundtables\*
- Ask the Analyst sessions\*
- Contract Negotiation Clinics
- Peer Meetups
- Exhibit Showcase
- Networking breakfasts, lunches and receptions
- CDAO Circle Program\*

\*Online preregistration is required. Reserve your place early, as space is limited.

## Group Rate Discount

Maximize learning by participating together in relevant sessions or splitting up to cover more ground, sharing your session take-aways later.

### Complimentary registrations

- 1 for every 3 paid registrations
- 2 for every 5 paid registrations
- 3 for every 7 paid registrations
- 4 for every 10 paid registrations

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## Early-bird discount

**Save INR 17,000 on the standard rate by 24 July.**

**Early-bird price: INR 1,11,100 + GST**

Expires 24 July 2026

Standard price: INR 1,28,100 + GST

Government price: INR 1,04,500 + GST\*

\*Proof of Government sector status required for verification. Price cannot be applied retroactively. "Government sector" definition: National government, state or local government, public administration.



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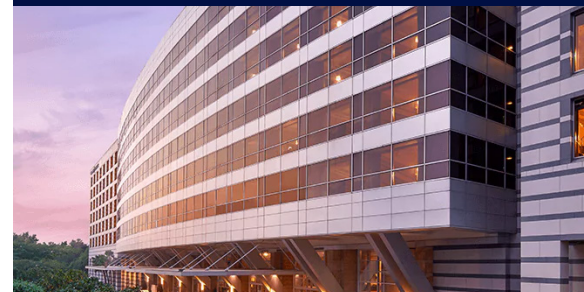
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8 – 10 March 2027 | Orlando, FL

10 – 12 May 2027 | London, U.K.

2 – 3 June 2027 | São Paulo, Brazil



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