

ITU EVENTS

AI for Good Global Summit

15–17 May 2018
Geneva, Switzerland

*Accelerating progress
towards the SDGs*

#AlforGood

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GOAL OF 2018 AI SUMMIT

- identify **practical applications of AI** with the potential to **accelerate progress** towards the **United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals**.
- formulate strategies to ensure **trusted, safe and inclusive** development of AI technologies and **equitable** access to their benefits.

SUMMIT SNAPSHOT

AI for GOOD
GLOBAL SUMMIT

- 3 day summit on 15-17 May 2018, +- 400 people
- **Partners:** XPRIZE, ACM & sister UN agencies
- **Day 1:** Plenary with AI/SDG storytellers, show & tell, AI implementations, & interactive panels
- **Day 2:** Action-oriented sessions, curated by 'AI Breakthrough Teams'
- **Day 3:** Breakthrough pitches in plenary, real-time feedback, action-oriented next steps, match-making & closing keynotes

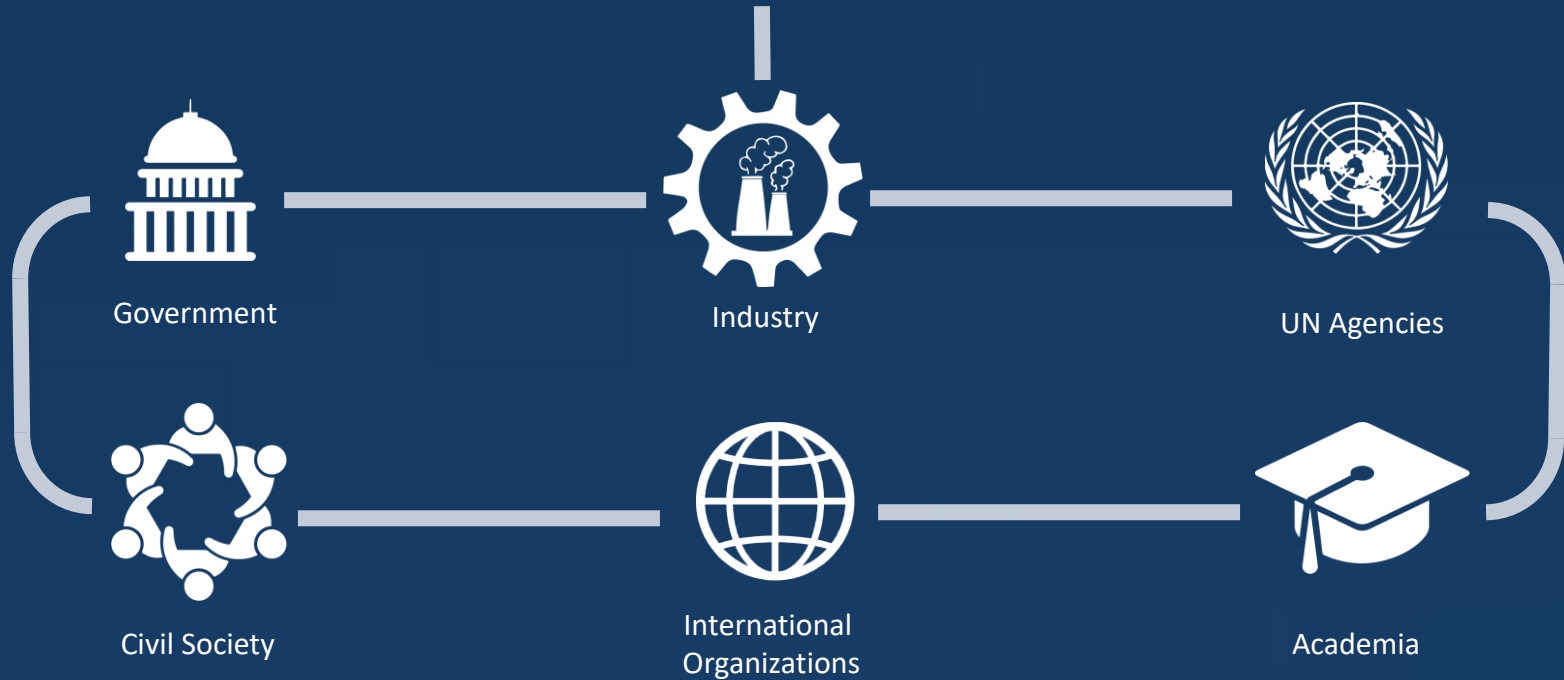
2017 PARTICIPANTS

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- 499 participants
- 93 countries
- 32% women
- +5000 webcast
- Multi-stakeholder
- Interdisciplinary

- 43% Industry
- 29% UN & NGOs
- 13% Academia
- 9% Government
- 3% Exhibitors
- 3% Media

MULTI-STAKEHOLDER APPROACH



27 UN PARTNERS



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Educational, Scientific and
Cultural Organization



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Organization



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Programme

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Environment Programme



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UNISDR
United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction

A long-exposure photograph of a night sky showing star trails. The trails are concentric circles centered on a point in the sky, likely the North Star. The background is a sunset or sunrise over a dark landscape with silhouettes of trees and hills. The sky transitions from a deep blue at the top to a bright orange and yellow near the horizon.

OVER 3 DAYS, WE HAVE A
COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM OF...

DRAFT AGENDA – Day 1

- **Welcome address**
- **Plenary 1**
 - **AI/SDG ‘Storytellers’**
 - **Interactive panels: AI state of play + Transformation on Horizon**
- **Plenary 2**
 - **Innovative applications of AI & Data Science in the field**
 - **Good Data exchange**
- **Plenary 3**
 - **AI breakthroughs that can impact and accelerate SDGs**
 - **Presentation of AI Breakthrough teams**

Day 2 - BREAKTHROUGH TEAMS

The heart of the Summit...



4 AI Teams
curate tracks &
propose ideas
for action



Address global
challenges (SDGs)
solved with a unique aspect
of AI

Framing of issues,
key research, insights
+ show & tell



Interactive
sessions
with Mentors



Ideas for action,
evaluated by
feedback panel &
mentors

AI BREAKTHROUGH TEAMS

AI satellite imagery
for crisis
management



AI powered
good health and
well being



Trust in AI



AI citizen
services in
Smart cities



Day 2 - 5 AI BREAKTHROUGH TEAMS

Team 1:



Chair



Stuart J. Russell

Professor of Electrical Engg. &
Computer Sciences, UC-Berkeley

Aim

- To overcome bottlenecks at the nexus of AI and satellite/aerial Imagery.
- Identifying pathways for practical projects.

Subject Areas

- Identifying poverty.
- Predict and assessing disasters – floods / air quality.
- Forecasting crops yield.

Day 2 - 4 AI BREAKTHROUGH TEAMS

Team 2:



Chair



Marcel Salathé
Associate Professor and
Head of Digital Epidemiology
Lab, École polytechnique
fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL)



**Ramesh
Krishnamurthy**
Senior Advisor, World Health
Organization (WHO)

Aim

- To identify AI implications in diagnosis, treatment, and prevention.
- Identifying pathways for practical projects.

Subject Areas

- Remote monitoring and diagnostics at mobile clinic.
- Rapid response in health emergencies and epidemics using social media and/or google search.
- Data for AI can be collected by using Chatbots in health education and early prevention.

Day 2 - 4 AI BREAKTHROUGH TEAMS

Team 3:



Chair



Renato de Castro

Suiphos, Smart Urban Control System,
Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Aim

- To identify AI implications to make life better for citizens.
- Identifying pathways for practical projects.

Subject Areas

- To make self-driving cars work in chaotic traffic.
- Predict and mitigate aggravated air pollution.
- Traffic management – using cell phones to predict traffic congestion.

Day 2 - 4 AI BREAKTHROUGH TEAMS

Team 4:



Chair



Francesca Rossi

Professor at University of Padova, and
Research Scientist at IBM Watson

Aim

- To improve transparency and traceability in order to remove bias.

Subject Areas

- Human-machine collaboration.
- Safety and Security.
- Data sources.



Stephen Cave

Executive Director,
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University of Cambridge



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DRAFT AGENDA - DAY 3

- **Plenary 1**
 - 5 AI team elevator pitches
 - Wild cards
- **Plenary 2**
 - Presentation of feedback results
 - Impact & action
- **WTISD celebration lunch**
- **Plenary 3**
 - Closing keynotes

With more than

+50

World-renowned speakers
& panelists



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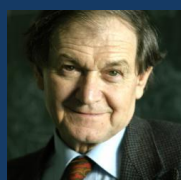
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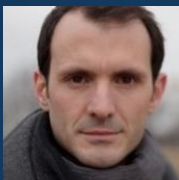
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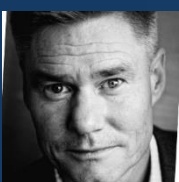
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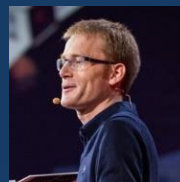
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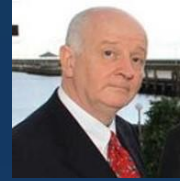
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- Exhibit area outside Popov
- Open to sponsors, universities, XPRIZE competitors, start-ups, etc...



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Demos include:

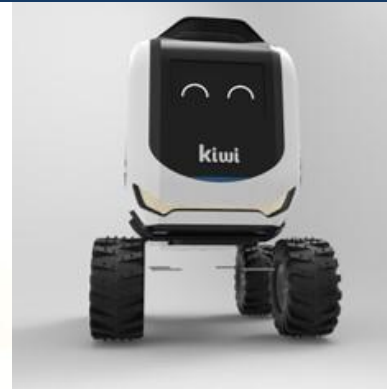
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- 47 Accredited press in attendance + documentary producer
- Estimated “potential cumulative” media reach +300 Million
- ITU goes viral with Sophia interview +3.5 million views
- #1 trending in Switzerland



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