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# WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 4

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**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3 / 5 - 6 p.m.**

GENERAL SESSION PRESENTATION

**First Timers Orientation**

📍 OCCC W230C ★ All

**NOTE:** OCCC stands for the Orange County Convention Center



#GHC17

DAY 1: WEDNESDAY

9 - 10:30 a.m.

GENERAL SESSION

Wednesday Keynote

📍 OCCC WA2 👤 Melinda Gates (Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation), Fei-Fei Li (Stanford University; Google Cloud)

10:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

CAREER EXPO

Career Fair

📍 OCCC WA3/4 & WB1/2 ★ All

SPECIAL SESSIONS

Speaker Lounge 📍 OCCC W305 ★ All

SPECIAL SESSIONS

Faculty Lounge 📍 OCCC W209C ★ Faculty

10:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS

Student Lounge sponsored by D.E. Shaw & Co. and New York Life Insurance

📍 OCCC W206 ★ Student/Early Career

#GHC17

DAY 1: WEDNESDAY

11 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

CAREER

Interviews

📍 OCCC WB3/4

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: AI for Social Good

📍 OCCC W304C 👤 Jennifer Marsman (Microsoft), Neelima Kumar (Oracle) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

CAREER PANEL

For Good and For Profit: Exploring Careers in Social Enterprise

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 👤 Hannah Calhoun (Blue Ridge Labs@Robin Hood), Kamla Kasichainula (Change.org), Erin Mote (InnovateEDU), Morgan Berman (MilkCrate), Donovan Andrews (Overture) ★ All

CAREER PANEL

Women in Tech: Get a Seat @ the Table!

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 👤 Monique Shivanandan (Aviva), Pamela Rice (Capital One), Julie Iskow (Medidata Solutions), Pragati Mathur (Staples) ★ Mid-career



11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS**Presentations: Students - Growing Yourself**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑 Hope Bear (AWeber Communications), Renée St. Amant (ARM), Shobhna Upadhyaya (LinkedIn) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** WORKSHOP**Find Your Inner Tech Talk Topic in 60 Minutes**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 🧑 Vedika Dalmia (Bloomberg), Katerina Domenikou (Bloomberg) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** WORKSHOP**Nail Your Promotion**

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 🧑 Catherine Courage (Google), Ritika Kapadia (Microsoft) ★ Senior/Executive

**COMMUNITY** PRESENTATION**National-scale Committees: The Process and the Workload from a Diverse Perspective**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G ★ All

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL**Systems Social**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All



11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** PRESENTATIONS**Presentations: Chip Design, Hardware, and Data Processing**

📍 OCCC W312C 🧑 Pranjali Bakeri (Oracle), Aida Vosoughi (Oracle), Maria Gorlatova (Princeton University) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CRA-W** WORKSHOP**Graduate School Survival Skills**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Kathryn McKinley (Google), Maria Gini (University of Minnesota) ★ Student/Early Career

**DATA SCIENCE** PRESENTATIONS**Presentations: Data Science Research**

📍 OCCC W315B 🧑 Jane Huang (Amazon), Nikan Chavoshi (University of New Mexico), Hima Patel (Visa) ★ Advanced

**HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION** PANEL**Accessibility in the Digital Age and Cognitive Era**

📍 OCCC W314B 🧑 Amy Doherty (AARP), Ruoyi Zhou (IBM), Katie Siek (Indiana University), Jenny Lay-Flurrie (Microsoft), Cathy Bodine (University of Colorado) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

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 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**INTERACTIVE MEDIA** PRESENTATION

### Leveraging Mobile AR/VR and the Learnings from Gaming

📍 OCCC W230C 👤 Laura Teclemariam  
 (Electronic Arts) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**INTERACTIVE MEDIA** WORKSHOP

### Expressive Electronics for Computer Scientists: An Introduction to Paper Circuits

📍 OCCC W307C 👤 Andrew "Bunnie" Huang  
 (Chibitronics), Jie Qi (Chibitronics), Natalie Freed  
 ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**IOT / WEARABLE TECH** PANEL

### IoT for Social Good: the Good, the Bad, the Ugly

📍 OCCC W414A 👤 Meena Paliappan (Atma  
 Connect), Beena Ammanath (GE), Lama Nachman  
 (Intel), Molly Gavin (Qualcomm), Saidah Nash Carter  
 (Thomson Reuters) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**OPEN SOURCE** WORKSHOP

### The FireFox Nightly Branch: Where the Magic Happens!

📍 OCCC W208B 👤 Yekaterina Glazko, Liz Henry  
 (Mozilla), Marcia Knous (Mozilla) ★ Beginner/  
 Intermediate

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 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: History & Global Learnings

📍 OCCC W224H 👤 Anicia Peters (Namibia  
 University of Science and Technology), Marie  
 Hicks (University of Wisconsin, Madison), Unoma  
 Okorafor (WAAW Foundation), Kishau Rogers  
 (WebSmith Studio Inc) ★ All

**PRODUCTS A TO Z** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Product Market Opportunities

📍 OCCC W224F 👤 Anat Levin (Intuit), Sneha  
 Keshwani (LinkedIn), Kristine Song (LinkedIn)  
 ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**SECURITY/PRIVACY** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Privacy

📍 OCCC W311C 👤 Xinru Page (Bentley  
 University), Carolina Alonso (BakerHostetler)  
 ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**SOFTWARE ENGINEERING** WORKSHOP

### Think Like a Software Engineer

📍 OCCC W308C 👤 Erin Bailie (Palantir Technologies),  
 Andrew Dorne (Palantir Technologies), Tushar Narayan  
 (Palantir Technologies) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS

So You Want to be an Entrepreneur?

📍 OCCC Valencia Ballroom 👤 Laura Mather (Talent Sonar), Brian Dixon (Kapor Capital), Gené Teare (Crunchbase, TechCrunch), Aileen Lee (Cowboy Ventures), Natalia Oberti Noguera (Pipeline Angels) ★ All

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS WORKSHOP

Become a Person of Influence

📍 OCCC WF4 👤 Jo Miller (Women's Leadership Coaching Inc.) ★ All

What are Top Companies for women technologists doing differently?

FIND OUT AT 1:30 P.M.

Benchmarking Culture: Looking at the Voice Behind the Numbers

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1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Core AI

📍 OCCC W304C 👤 Yixuan Li (Cornell University), Morgana Carter (Intel), Alexandra Johnson (SigOpt) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

CAREER PANEL

An Inside Perspective from the Hillary for America Tech Team

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 👤 Lauren Pully, Alex Berke (Pioneer Works), Krista Davis (Solidarity Company), Jackie Chang (Stripe), Amy Hailes (The Democratic National Committee) ★ All

CAREER PANEL

The Engineer's Journey: Choose Your Own Adventure

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 👤 Cindy Burns (Dell Technologies), Mary Dang (Electronic Arts), Nadyne Richmond (Genentech), Pi-Chuan Chang (Google), Leor Chechik (Oracle) ★ Student/Early Career

CAREER PANEL

Navigating Change: Ride the Waves of Change Without Feeling Underwater

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 👤 Vanessa Hernandez (Aon Hewitt), Indu Khosla (GoDaddy), Ariel Aguilar (Microsoft), Alex Riccomini (Reddit), An Bui (RiskIQ) ★ Mid-career



1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Students - Growing Your Career**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑 Anneka Gupta (LiveRamp, An Acxiom Company), Emily Leones (ThoughtWorks), Kristi Jaska (ViaSat) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

**Five Ways to Tap Into Your Power: Take The Lead!**

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 🧑 Sarah Hagerman (SHAMBAUGH), Rebecca Shambaugh (SHAMBAUGH) ★ Senior/Executive

**COMMUNITY** PANEL

**The Myth of the Unicorn: Perspectives of Native American Women in Computing**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G 🧑 Squiggy Rubio (Electronic Frontier Foundation), Amanda Sharp (Intel), Nicole Archambault (La Vie En Code), Kylie Bemis (Northeastern University) ★ All

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL

**Social Celebrating Asian Women in Technical Roles**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All



1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** WORKSHOP

**WHAT do BANKSY and MICROCHIPS HAVE in COMMON?**

📍 OCCC W307C 🧑 Ishika Batra (Synopsys), Ron Duncan (Synopsys), Raewadee Parnmukh (Synopsys) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CRA-W** WORKSHOP

**Building Your Academic Professional Network**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Susan Rodger (Duke University), Ayanna Howard (Georgia Institute of Technology) ★ Student/Early Career

**DATA SCIENCE** PANEL

**How to Turn Data Science into Dollars**

📍 OCCC W311C 🧑 Kristen Burton (Cisco Systems Inc.), Kala Ramaswamy (eBay), Christina Clark (GE), Sarmila Basu (Microsoft), Barbara Wixom (MIT - Center for IS Research) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: HCI**

📍 OCCC W314B 🧑 Charlotte Hill (Apple), Franca Garzotto (DEIB-Politecnico di Milano), Poonam Tathavadkar (Intuit) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

INTERACTIVE MEDIA PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Interactive Media Research

📍 OCCC W308C 👤 Zoe Wood (Cal Poly, SLO), Dr. Ilke Demir (Facebook, Inc.), Damini Satya Kammakomati (Salesforce) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

IOT / WEARABLE TECH PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Security and Privacy in IoT

📍 OCCC W414A 👤 Dani Grant (Cloudflare), Sherin Mathews (McAfee), Smriti Narang (Nest Labs) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

OPEN SOURCE PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Open Source

📍 OCCC W222B 👤 Jee Yi (Box), Cynthia Smith (Northwestern Mutual), Elizabeth Matusov (Red Hat Inc.) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION PRESENTATION

Benchmarking Culture: Looking at the Voice Behind the Numbers

📍 OCCC W224H 👤 Michelle Leahy (Anita Borg Institute), Cecile Leroux (Ultimate Software) ★ All

1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION WORKSHOP

The Power of Difference: Women's Networks—Growing Talent. Advancing Business.

📍 OCCC W208B 👤 Jennifer Brown (Jennifer Brown Consulting (JBC), Jennifer "Jae" Requiró (Toyota Financial Services) ★ Student/Early Career

PRODUCTS A TO Z WORKSHOP

Speed Up Your Projects with DevOps

📍 OCCC W230C 👤 Jan Acosta (Q2 eBanking), Sara Willett (IBM), Amanda Meemken (Microsoft) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SECURITY/PRIVACY PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Identity & Social Engineering

📍 OCCC W315B 👤 Joy Ebertz (Box), Rachel Tobac (Course Hero), Karla Burnett (Stripe) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Software Engineering Foundations: Performance

📍 OCCC W312C 👤 Sarah Clatterbuck (LinkedIn), Angela Zhang (Quora), Haley Thrapp (Yahoo) ★ Beginner/Intermediate



1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS PRESENTATION

**Featured Speaker: Chieko Asakawa**

📍 OCCC W320 Chapin Theater 🧑 Chieko Asakawa (IBM) ★ All



1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

CAREER PANEL

**Academic Corner: Best Practices for Recruiting Diverse Faculty**

📍 Hyatt Windermere Ballroom Z 🧑 Tracy Camp (Colorado School of Mines), Dr. Jodi Timms (Baldwin Wallace University), Lecia Barker (NCWIT), Sherri Sanders (NCWIT), Lucy Sanders (NCWIT) ★ Faculty



1:30 - 4 p.m.

ACM RESEARCH COMPETITION POSTERS

**ACM Student Research Competition**

📍 Expo Hall

GENERAL POSTER SESSION POSTERS

**GHC General Poster Session**

📍 Expo Hall



3 - 4 p.m.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PANEL

**Why AI Gets Stuck in the R @ R&D Cycle**

📍 OCCC W315B 🧑 Jin Zhang (CA Technologies), Kathryn O'Donnell (Capital One), Rukmini Iyer (Microsoft), Vivienne Ming (Socos) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

CAREER PANEL

**Data Careers Decoded: Exploring the Many Paths to Quantitative Careers**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑 Lisa Qian (Airbnb, Inc.), Kathy Copic (Insight Data Science), Akansha Sidhwani (Salesforce), Maria Kazandjieva (Netflix), Frances Haugen (Pinterest) ★ Student/Early Career

CAREER PANEL

**Am I My Own Worst Critic?**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 🧑 Dawn Wilson (Amazon), Ariane Jansen (Facebook, Inc.), Kaycee Anderson (Microsoft), Tammy Hughes (The Heim Group, LLC) ★ Student/Early Career





3 - 4 p.m.

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Demonstrating Value

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 🧑 Stephanie Parkin (IBM), Mary Rook (Intuit), Therese Huston (Seattle University) ★ Mid-career

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Beyond Work

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 🧑 Meg Bartelt (Flow Financial Planning, LLC), Karen Weiss (Intuit), Danielle Grossi (SAP) ★ Senior/Executive

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

### Consciously Tackling Unconscious Bias

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 🧑 Lilit Yenokyan (Netflix), Amala Rangnekar (Oracle), Saralee Kunlong (Yellowpages.com) ★ All

**COMMUNITY** PANEL

### Systems Celebrates 30 years Supporting Women in Computing

📍 OCCC W320 Chapin Theater ★ All

**COMMUNITY** PANEL

### Local Community Lightning Talks: Programming, Engagement and Connecting

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G ★ All



3 - 4 p.m.

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL

### Social Celebrating Indian Women in Technical Roles

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: DIY Design, Fabrication, and Power in the Cloud

📍 OCCC W311C 🧑 Lihua Zhao (HP Inc.), Kat Kelsch (Pariveda Solutions), Gabriella Levine (X) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CRA-W** WORKSHOP

### Finding Your Dream Job with a Ph.D

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 A.J. Brush (Microsoft), Ming Lin (University of North Carolina) ★ Student/Early Career

**DATA SCIENCE** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Recommendation Systems and Personalization

📍 OCCC W312C 🧑 Jinyun Yan (LinkedIn), Rahee Peshawaria (Microsoft), Dorna Bandari (Pinterest) ★ Beginner/Intermediate



3 - 4 p.m.

HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION WORKSHOP

Alternative Futures: Shaping How Artificial Intelligence Will Affect Our Lives

📍 OCCC W307C 👤 Stacy Chin (Qualcomm), Gini Keating (Qualcomm), Anne Konertz (Qualcomm)

★ Advanced

INTERACTIVE MEDIA PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Teaching and Learning

📍 OCCC W308C 👤 Elizabeth Hunter (Northwestern University), Sara DeWitt (PBS), Erin Ramos (The Walt Disney Company) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

IOT / WEARABLE TECH WORKSHOP

Breaking Stereotypes with Wearable Technology

📍 OCCC W230C 👤 Sreeja Gupta (ThoughtWorks), Inny So (ThoughtWorks) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

OPEN SOURCE PANEL

Inner Source: Companies are Leveraging the Wisdom of Open Source

📍 OCCC W222B 👤 Erin Bank (CA Technologies), Jim Jagielski (Capital One; Apache Software Foundation), Lorraine Morgan (National University of Ireland, Galway), Padma Sudarsan (Nokia), Klaas-Jan Stol (University of Limerick) ★ Beginner/Intermediate



3 - 4 p.m.

ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION PANEL

How to Recruit, Retain, and Advance Employees with Disabilities

📍 OCCC W224H 👤 Rebecca Krieger (Cal Poly, SLO), Jennifer Zhang (Microsoft), Rachel Wilson (Originate, Inc.), Suzanne Germano (USAA) ★ All

PRODUCTS A TO Z WORKSHOP

The Struggle is Real - Surviving a Product Life Cycle

📍 OCCC W208B 👤 Loriah Pope (BNY Mellon), Veda Vadyar (BNY Mellon) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SECURITY/PRIVACY PANEL

Walk the Line: Privacy in the Face of Cyber Security

📍 OCCC W304C 👤 Nicole Wong (NWong Strategies), Tina Thorstenson (Arizona State University), Grant Jonas (Morgan Stanley), Moira Kilcoyne (Independent), Haiyan Song (Splunk) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Software Engineering Research and Innovation: Resources

📍 OCCC W314B 👤 Maureen Chew (Oracle), Manali Dhotre (Salesforce), Devon Balicki (Vimeo) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

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DAY 1: WEDNESDAY

3 - 4 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS PRESENTATION

2017 Technical Leadership ABIE Award Winner Diane Greene

OCCC Valencia Ballroom Diane Greene (Google) All

3 - 5 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS WORKSHOP

Become a Person of Influence (REPEAT)

OCCC WF4 Jo Miller (Women's Leadership Coaching Inc.) All

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Share your experience or identity. Find a sign and snap a picture.

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DAY 1: WEDNESDAY

3 - 7 p.m.

ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION

LAB AND RECEPTION /INVITE ONLY

Women of Color in Tech - Innovation Lab: "Leading Change through Diversity & Inclusion"

Hyatt Windermere Ballroom Y Andrea Hoffman (Culture Shift Labs), Peter Classen (Culture Shift Labs)

3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

CAREER PRESENTATION

BRAID Research: Updates on Introductory Computing Students from Year Two of Data Collection

Hyatt Windermere Ballroom Z Jennifer Blaney (University of California, Los Angeles), Linda Sax (University of California, Los Angeles) Faculty

4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: AI for Social Good (REPEAT)

OCCC W304C Jennifer Marsman (Microsoft), Neelima Kumar (Oracle) Beginner/Intermediate



4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

CAREER PANEL

### An Inside Perspective from the Hillary for America Tech Team (REPEAT)

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom TUV 👤 Lauren Pully, Alex Berke (Pioneer Works), Krista Davis (Solidarity Company), Jackie Chang (Stripe), Amy Hailes (The New York Times) ★ All

CAREER PANEL

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CAREER PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Students - Growing Yourself →**



4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

(REPEAT)

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 👤 Hope Bear, Renée St. Amant (ARM), Shobhna Upadhyaya (LinkedIn)  
★ Student/Early Career

CAREER WORKSHOP

### Nail Your Promotion (REPEAT)

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom LMN 👤 Catherine Courage (Google), Ritika Kapadia (Microsoft)  
★ Senior/Executive

CAREER PRESENTATIONS

### 2017 Systems Pass-It-On Award Winners

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G ★ All

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★ Beginner/Intermediate



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CRA-W WORKSHOP

**Making the most of your Summer Internships**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Kim Hazelwood (Facebook, Inc.), Elizabeth Bautista (Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory) ★ Student/Early Career

DATA SCIENCE PANEL

**How to Turn Data Science into Dollars (REPEAT)**

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PRODUCTS A TO Z PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Product Market Opportunities (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W224F 🧑 Anat Levin (Intuit), Sneha Keshwani (LinkedIn), Kristine Song (LinkedIn) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

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SECURITY/PRIVACY PANEL

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SOFTWARE ENGINEERING WORKSHOP

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4:30 - 7 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS RECEPTION / INVITE ONLY

**Scholar Networking Reception**

📍 OCCC WF2

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6 - 8 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS RECEPTION / INVITE ONLY

**BRAID Welcome Reception**

📍 OCCC W331A

**THURSDAY  
OCTOBER 5**



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DAY 2: THURSDAY

9 - 10:30 a.m.

GENERAL SESSION

**Thursday Keynote**

📍 OCCC WA2 🧑 Mary Spio (CEEK VR Inc),  
Debbie Sterling (GoldieBlox) ★ All

10:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

CAREER EXPO

**Career Fair**

📍 OCCC WA3/4 & WB1/2 ★ All

SPECIAL SESSIONS

**Speaker Lounge**

📍 OCCC W305 ★ All

SPECIAL SESSIONS

**Faculty Lounge**

📍 OCCC W209C ★ Faculty

10:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS

**Student Lounge sponsored  
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📍 OCCC W206  
★ Student/Early Career

**Support  
student  
researchers**

Come to the  
ACM Finalist  
Presentations

**UNDERGRADUATES  
AT 1:30 P.M.**

**GRADUATES AT 3 P.M.**

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DAY 2: THURSDAY

11 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

CAREER

**Interviews** 📍 OCCC WB3/4

11:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS PANEL / INVITE ONLY

**Senior Women's Program**

📍 Hyatt Windermere Ballroom W 🧑 Francine Berman  
(Research Data Alliance/ U.S., Rensselaer Polytechnic  
Institute), Jennifer Sherman (Kibo Commerce), Nandini  
Ramani (Twitter), Kamilah Taylor (LinkedIn), Merline  
Saintil (Intuit), Rosa Ramos-Kwok (Bank of America),  
Sophia Velastegui (Doppler Labs) ★ Senior/Exec

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Natural Language Processing,  
Tech, and Chatbots**

📍 OCCC W314B 🧑 Charmy Chhichhia (Apple), Arushi  
Raghuvanshi (Cisco Systems Inc.) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

CAREER PANEL

**Why and How to Prepare for Hackathons?**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 🧑 Rose Robinson  
(Anita Borg Institute), Xiaodan (Sally) Zhang  
(Apple), Bouchra Bouqata (GE), Shaila Pervin  
(IBM), Sana Odeh (New York University) ★ All

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DAY 2: THURSDAY

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11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**CAREER** PANEL

### Studying STEM to Starting a Company: Get Your Idea Funded

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 🧑 Lauren Loktev (Collaborative Fund), Joanne Yuan (Cowboy Ventures), Nadia Boujarwah (Dia&Co), Nicole Quinn (Lightspeed Venture Partners), Anarghya Vardhana (Maveron) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** PANEL

### Hello, It's Me! Differentiating Yourself With a Multidimensional Career

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 🧑 Jenna Blaha (Hearst Corporation), Cassidy Williams (L4 Digital), Vidya Srinivasan (Microsoft), Kelly Hoey (Independent), Ilana Walder-Biesanz (Yahoo) ★ Senior/Executive

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Students - Getting That Job

Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑 Jennifer Lee (Audible), Larry Colagiovanni (eBay), Pooja Goyal (Expedia) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

### Quit apologizing, justifying, and over-explaining!

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 🧑 Josie Gillan (Cloudera), Laurel McLay (Laurel McLay) ★ Mid-career

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11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**COMMUNITY** SPEED MENTORING

### General Speed Mentoring

📍 OCCC WF2 Zaza Soriano (Johns Hopkins University - Applied Physics Laboratory) ★ All

**COMMUNITY** PANEL

### Bringing Yourself to the Workplace

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G ★ All

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL

### Social Celebrating Women of Color in Technical Roles

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** PANEL

### Mission Critical Computing Systems for Space Flight

📍 OCCC W312C 🧑 Marilyn Taraki (Blue Origin), Daria Topousis (Jet Propulsion Laboratory), Anne Chinnery (One Small Step LLC), Jessica Hester (SpaceX), Shaina Johl (Spire Global Inc.) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CRA-W** WORKSHOP

### Effective Teaching Tactics

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Cynthia Lee (Stanford University), Helen Hu (Westminster College) ★ Faculty



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DATA SCIENCE PANEL

### Treading Water in a Sea of Data: Practitioners' Perspectives

📍 OCCC W311C 👤 Lucy Vasserman (Google), Diane Chang (Intuit), Chana Greene (Oculus), Archana Ganapathi (Splunk), Meredith Lee (West Big Data Innovation Hub) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION WORKSHOP

### Designing with Color: A Collaborative Curiosity

📍 OCCC W307C 👤 Maureen Kraft (IBM), Charu Pandhi (IBM) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

INTERACTIVE MEDIA WORKSHOP

### Building VR Apps: Lessons in Human Perception in VR

📍 OCCC W308C 👤 Kaye Mason (Google), Lindsay Metcalfe (Google), Ariana Mott (Google) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

IOT / WEARABLE TECH PANEL

### Virtual Humanity

📍 OCCC W414A 👤 Jenn Duong (1215 Creative), Gemma Busoni (Discover Labs), Charity Everett (Sankofa Project), Erin Summers (Facebook, Inc.), Aliah Darke (Independent) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

PRODUCTS A TO Z PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Leading Edge Product Platforms

📍 OCCC W224F 👤 Erica Willar (LinkedIn), →

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Alice Chang (Pinterest), Jennifer Cavanaugh (SAP) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SECURITY/PRIVACY PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Application Security

📍 OCCC W304C 👤 Sneha Phadke (eBay), Christine Cunningham (MIT- Lincoln Laboratory), Behshad Rejai (Synopsis) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Software Engineering Future and Trends

📍 OCCC W315B 👤 Sonali Kalgaonkar (Intuit), Jane Nguyen (Lucid Motors), Catherine Schuman (Oak Ridge National Laboratory) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SPECIAL SESSIONS

### Featured Speaker: Yasmin Mustafa

📍 OCCC W320 Chapin Theater 👤 Yasmin Mustafa (ROAR) ★ All

SPECIAL SESSIONS PANEL

### Why has Tech failed at Building Diverse Workforces and Inclusive Cultures?

📍 OCCC Valencia Ballroom 👤 Dominique DeGuzman (Twilio), Laura Gomez (Atipica), Y-Vonne Hutchinson (ReadySet), Freada Kapor Klein (Kapor Capital; Kapor Center for Social Impact) ★ All

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11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS WORKSHOP

**Confidence: How do I get more of that?**

📍 OCCC WF4 🧑 Denise Brosseau (Thought Leadership Lab)

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11:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

OPEN SOURCE /RSVP ONLY

**OSD Code-a-thon for Humanity** 📍 OCCC WF1

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12 - 1 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS PANEL

**Change Agent and Leadership ABIE Award Winners 2017 - A Panel Discourse**

📍 OCCC W300 Lecture Hall 🧑 Moderator: Anar Simpson (Mozilla); Panelists: Mercedes Soria (Knightscope, Inc), Marie Claire Murekatete (Rwanda Development Board) ★ All

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12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

LUNCHES & RECEPTIONS /FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

**Faculty Lunch** 📍 OCCC W204 ★ Faculty

LUNCHES & RECEPTIONS /INVITE ONLY

**GHC Committees Lunch** 📍 OCCC W202B ★ All

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1:30 - 2 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS

**Featured Speaker: Stephanie Lampkin**

📍 OCCC W320 Chapin Theater 🧑 Stephanie Lampkin (Blendoor) ★ All

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1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

ACM RESEARCH COMPETITION PRESENTATIONS

**ACM Student Research Competition - Semi Finalist Presentations (undergraduate)**

📍 OCCC W222B

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Recommender Systems**

📍 OCCC W304C 🧑 Aditi Bhattacharyya (Amazon), Shivani Rao (LinkedIn), Jenny Liu (Pinterest) Beginner/Intermediate

CAREER PANEL

**Women Who Build - The Product Management Journey**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 🧑 Sandra Liu Huang (Chan Zuckerberg Initiative), Deb Liu (Facebook, Inc.), Avni Shah (Google), Tali Rapaport (Lyft), Shripriya Mahes (Omidyar Network) ★ All

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1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

**CAREER** PANEL

### Navigating Social Impact as a Techie

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑‍🎓 Gemma Busoni (Discover Labs), Yada Pruksachatkun (Emily.ai), Daniella Cohen (Go GIVE Global), Sharon Lin (Stuy Hacks), Gwen Wong (Tribeless) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** PANEL

### Technical to Manager: Making the Leap or Not

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 🧑‍🎓 Ha Lee (Financial Engines), Almira Niciu (Intuit), Branka Billante (Optum), Chitra Ramesh (Qualcomm), Jennifer Lu (Sony Interactive Entertainment) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Growing Yourself as a Leader

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 🧑‍🎓 Agnes Liu (Yahoo), Aparna Ramadoss (Intuit), Nandini Bhatt (Microsoft) ★ Mid-career

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

### Strategically Developing and Retaining Women in Leadership

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L →

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1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

🧑‍🎓 Barbara Jamelli-Sefchik (SAP), Mary Park (SAP)  
★ Senior/Executive

**COMMUNITY** SPEED MENTORING

### General Speed Mentoring

📍 OCCC WF2 🧑‍🎓 Rosalind McCullough (Johns Hopkins University - Applied Physics Lab), Zaza Soriano (Johns Hopkins University - Applied Physics Laboratory) ★ All

**COMMUNITY** PANEL

### Get Out of Your Own Way!

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G 🧑‍🎓 Maybellin Burgos (Anita Borg Institute), Lulu Li (Nest Labs), Lilit Yenokyan (Netflix), Carolyn Rowland (NIST), Mayoore Jaiswal (University of Washington, Seattle) ★ All

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL

### Social Celebrating Black Women in Technical Roles

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Outer Space, Real World Physics, and Big Data

📍 OCCC W312C 🧑‍🎓 Amy Truong (Planet), Natalie Morris (SpaceX), Jennifer Fraser (Twitter Inc.)  
★ Beginner/Intermediate

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DAY 2: THURSDAY

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1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

**CRA-W** WORKSHOP

### Starting, Managing, and Growing Your Own Research Program

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Nancy Amato (Texas A&M University), Sarita Adve (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign) ★ Faculty

**DATA SCIENCE** WORKSHOP

### Risky Business: Big Data in Legal, Compliance, and Regulatory Technology

📍 OCCC W307C 🧑 Dawn Berry (Morgan Stanley), Gita Conte (Morgan Stanley), Bassma Elshemmy (Morgan Stanley)

**HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentation: HCI (2)

📍 OCCC W314B 🧑 Emily Grace (Capital One), Charu Jangid (LinkedIn), Andrea Villa (Qualcomm)  
★ Beginner/Intermediate

**INTERACTIVE MEDIA** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentation: Development of Virtual Realities

📍 OCCC W315B 🧑 Candice Colbert (SPACES)  
★ Beginner/Intermediate

**INTERNET OF THINGS/WEARABLE TECHNOLOGY** WORKSHOP

### Building a Conversational Agent

📍 OCCC W230C 🧑 Alison Chang (Google), →

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1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Miriam Connor (Google), Julia Neidert (Google)  
★ Beginner/Intermediate

**ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION** PANEL

### Accelerate Diversity & Inclusion With These Global Startups

📍 OCCC W224H 🧑 Darja Gutnick (Bunch), Tara Chklovski (Iridecent), Ilit Raz (Joonko), Seema Gururaj (Square Circle) ★ Student/Early Career

**PRODUCTS A TO Z** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Optimizing Product Development

📍 OCCC W224F 🧑 Cathie Toshach (HBO), Emily Schwartz (Oracle), Kathy Lee (Twitch) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**SOFTWARE ENGINEERING** PANEL

### Jetliners to Drones: Evolving the Release Deployment Model

📍 OCCC W311C 🧑 Eugene Boguslavsky (Facebook, Inc.), Marina Shilman (Google), Kate Gentry (Salesforce), Rachna Mahajan (Workday)  
★ Beginner/Intermediate

**SPECIAL SESSIONS** PANEL

### Fighting the Good Fight: How Women Technologists Can Be Their Own Best Advocates

📍 OCCC Valencia Ballroom 🧑 Johana Bhuiyan (Recode) ★ All

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1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

SECURITY/PRIVACY WORKSHOP

### Capture The Flag: Learning to Hack for Fun and Profit

📍 OCCC W308C 🧑 Sarah Harvey (Square), Jesse Peirce (Square) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

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3 - 4 p.m.

ACM RESEARCH COMPETITION PRESENTATIONS

### ACM Student Research Competition - Semi Finalist Presentations (Graduate)

📍 OCCC W222B

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PANEL

### Machines and Humans Unite to Change the World

📍 OCCC W304C 🧑 Lauren Neal (Booz Allen Hamilton), Elaine Johanson (U.S. Food and Drug Administration - Department of Health and Human Services), Melanie Warrick (Google), Wendy Kan (Kaggle), Shalini De Mello (NVIDIA) Beginner/Intermediate

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3 - 4 p.m.

CAREER PANEL

### Technology-Adjacent Careers: Working Around Technology

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑 Sharon Florentine (CIO Magazine), Leela Srinivasan (Lever), Shanna Hendriks (NEA), Kristyn Medeiros (Planview), Jennefer Traeger (Traeger Communications) ★ Student/Early Career

CAREER PANEL

### Middle Management Quagmire: Skills Women Need to Advance Career

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 🧑 Aparna Srinivasan (BigCommerce), Ramana Thumu (Fanatics, Inc), Heather Friedland (Glassdoor), Shalini Agarwal (LinkedIn), Misha Rutman (Workday) ★ Mid-career

CAREER PANEL

### Tech and Education: Building a Career Around Your Passions

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 🧑 Kari Bancroft (Ada Developers Academy), Melissa Winstanley (Facebook, Inc.), Khalia Braswell (INTech Foundation Inc.), Kasey Champion (Microsoft), Victoria Kirst (Stanford University) ★ Senior/Executive



3 - 4 p.m.

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS**Presentations: Leveraging Your Strengths**

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 🧑 Diane Boettcher (Microsoft), Anunica Steele (Microsoft), Penelope Delgadillo Valencia (SAP) ★ All

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS**Presentations: Career Success**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 🧑 Amy Yin, Kelsey Dutton (Box), Rucha Mukundan (Workday)  
★ Student/Early Career

**COMMUNITY** SPEED MENTORING**UWiC Speed Mentoring**

📍 OCCC WF2 ★ All

**COMMUNITY** PANEL**How Male Allies are Supporting Women in Computing though the Local Community**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G ★ All

**COMMUNITY** SOCIALS**Socials Celebrating Latinas in Technical Roles**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom HIJK ★ All



3 - 4 p.m.

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** WORKSHOP**How to Design and Develop Highly Reliable Services and Products..?**

📍 OCCC W307C 🧑 May Chu (IBM), Anuradha Pariti (IBM), Neelam Tolmare (IBM) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CRA-W** WORKSHOP**Top Tips for Balancing the Demands of a Research Career (Research, Service, Teaching, Corporate Demands)**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Robin Graham (Argonne National Laboratory), Tracy Camp (Colorado School of Mines) ★ Faculty

**DATA SCIENCE** PRESENTATIONS**Presentations: Social Media, Social Good and Civic Data**

📍 OCCC W314B 🧑 R. Tharu (Google), Sara Spalding (Microsoft), Tharindi Hapuarachchi (Thomson Reuters) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION** WORKSHOP**Conversational Co-Creation with Talk Bubbles**

📍 OCCC W230C 🧑 Jamika Burge (Capital One), Emily Grace (Capital One), Mave Houston (Capital One) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

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3 - 4 p.m.

INTERACTIVE MEDIA PANEL

**VIRTUAL REALITY - PUSHING the BOUNDARIES of our WORLD**

📍 OCCC W311C 👤 Sophia Chung (Facebook, Inc.), Mira Leung (Google), Ornit Gross (Intel), Julia Schwarz (Microsoft), Marine Leroux Thibault (Thomson Reuters) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

IOT / WEARABLE TECH PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: IoT for Social Good**

📍 OCCC W414A 👤 Alina Parast (Ecolab), Gina Sprint (Gonzaga University), Yuchao Ma (Washington State University) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Org Case Studies**

📍 OCCC W224H 👤 Pooja Malpani (Home Box Office), Tina Mylon (Schneider Electric), Rebecca Parsons (ThoughtWorks) ★ All

PRODUCTS A TO Z PANEL

**\*Google, Notice me!\* Effective, Sustainable, and Diverse Search Engine Optimization**

📍 OCCC W224F 👤 Ran Claire Li (Airbnb, Inc.), →

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3 - 4 p.m.

Shruti Gautam (eBay), Angie Huang (Facebook, Inc.), Feiyang Sophia Feng (Pinterest), Jackie Chu (Square) ★ Advanced

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Software Engineering Research and Innovation: Data**

📍 OCCC W315B 👤 Jennica Pounds (eBay), Marta Likhava (Pandora), Anoosha Chanda (Pandora) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SPECIAL SESSIONS PANEL

**Featured Speaker: Telle Whitney**

📍 OCCC Valencia Ballroom 👤 Telle Whitney (Anita Borg Institute) ★ All

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3 - 5 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS WORKSHOP

**Confidence: How do I get more of that? (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC WF4 👤 Denise Brosseau (Thought Leadership Lab)

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4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

**ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Recommender Systems (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W304C 👤 Aditi Bhattacharyya (Amazon), Shivani Rao (LinkedIn), Jenny Liu (Pinterest)

★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CAREER** PANEL

**Middle Management Quagmire: Skills Women Need to Advance Career (REPEAT)**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 👤 Aparna Srinivasan (BigCommerce), Ramana Thumu (Fanatics, Inc), Heather Friedland (Glassdoor), Shalini Agarwal (LinkedIn), Misha Rutman (Workday) ★ Mid-career

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

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**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Students - Getting That Job (REPEAT)**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 👤 Jennifer Lee →

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(Audible), Larry Colagiovanni (eBay), Pooja Goyal (Expedia) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Career Success (REPEAT)**

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★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

**Strategically Developing and Retaining Women in Leadership (REPEAT)**

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 👤 Barbara Jamelli-Sefchik (SAP), Mary Park (SAP) ★ Senior/Executive

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL

**Social Celebrating Jewish, Native American, and Turkish Women in Technical Roles and Systems Spain**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom HIJK ★ All

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Outer Space, Real World Physics, and Big Data (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W312C 👤 Amy Truong (Planet), Natalie Morris (SpaceX), Jennifer Fraser (Twitter Inc.)

★ Beginner/Intermediate





4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

CRA-W WORKSHOP

**Building Your Professional Persona**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Patty Lopez (Intel),  
Soha Hassoun (Tufts University) ★ Faculty

DATA SCIENCE WORKSHOP

**Risky Business: Big Data in Legal, Compliance, and Regulatory Technology (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W308C 🧑 Dawn Berry (Morgan Stanley),  
Gita Conte (Morgan Stanley), Bassma Elshemmy  
(Morgan Stanley)

HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION WORKSHOP

**Designing with Color: A Collaborative Curiosity (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W307C 🧑 Maureen Kraft (IBM), Charu  
Pandhi (IBM) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

INTERACTIVE MEDIA PANEL

**VIRTUAL REALITY - PUSHING the BOUNDARIES of our WORLD (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W314B 🧑 Sophia Chung (Facebook,  
Inc.), Mira Leung (Google), Ornit Gross (Intel),  
Julia Schwarz (Microsoft), Marine Leroux Thibault  
(Thomson Reuters) ★ Beginner/Intermediate



4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

IOT / WEARABLE TECH PANEL

**Virtual Humanity (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W414A 🧑 Jenn Duong (1215 Creative),  
Gemma Busoni (Discovr Labs), Charity Everett  
(Sankofa Project), Erin Summers (Facebook, Inc.),  
Aliah Darke (Independent) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

PRODUCTS A TO Z PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Optimizing Product Development (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W224F 🧑 Cathie Toshach (HBO), Emily  
Schwartz (Oracle), Kathy Lee (Twitch) ★ Beginner/  
Intermediate

SECURITY/PRIVACY PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Application Security (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W315B 🧑 Christine Cunningham (MIT  
Lincoln Laboratory), Sneha Phadke (eBay), Behshad  
Rejai (Synopsys) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PANEL

**Jetliners to Drones: Evolving the Release Deployment Model (REPEAT)**

📍 OCCC W311C 🧑 Eugene Boguslavsky (Facebook,  
Inc.), Marina Shilman (Google), Kate Gentry  
(Salesforce), Rachna Mahajan (Workday)  
★ Beginner/Intermediate



**FRIDAY  
OCTOBER 6**

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DAY 3: FRIDAY

7:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**SPECIAL SESSIONS**

**Student Lounge sponsored by D.E. Shaw & Co. and New York Life Insurance**

📍 OCCC W206 ★ Student/Early Career

8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**CAREER**

**Interviews**

📍 OCCC WB3/4

9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**CAREER** EXPO

**Career Fair**

📍 OCCC WA3/4 & WB1/2 ★ All

**SPECIAL SESSIONS**

**Speaker Lounge**

📍 OCCC W305 ★ All

**SPECIAL SESSIONS**

**Faculty Lounge**

📍 OCCC W209C ★ Faculty

**9 a.m. -  
2 p.m.**

Drop by the  
Anita Borg  
Institute booth for  
your GHC scarf!

**BOOTH 2529**

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9 - 10 a.m.

**ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Real World Applications of AI

📍 OCCC W304C 🧑 Nadia Fawaz (Linkedin),  
Xiaoqian Liu (Salesforce), Amanda Danko (USAA)  
★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CAREER** PANEL

### Highlight and Recognize Your Organization's "Hidden Figures"

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 🧑 Gayle Lanier  
(Duke Energy), Larry Colagiovanni (eBay), Yolanda  
Conyers (Lenovo), Tamara Helms (NetApp, Inc.),  
Cynthia Dote (PURE Storage) ★ All

**CAREER** PANEL

### We're All in This Together: Mental Health in Tech Communities

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 🧑 Julia Nguyen  
(Indiegogo), Jennifer Akullian (Keen IO), Nara Kasbergen  
(National Public Radio), Madalyn Parker (Olark), Justine  
Arreche (Travis CI) ★ Student/Early Career

**CAREER** PRESENTATION

### Life in the Academy: Trying to Make a Difference while Balancing Research, Teaching, Outreach and Family

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Francine Berman →

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9 - 10 a.m.

(Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute), Nadya Mason  
(University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign) ★ Faculty

**CAREER** PRESENTATION

### Presentations: Career

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 🧑 Swati Bhatia  
(Paypal), Chloe Tseng (Twitter Inc.), Kathleen  
Wetherby (ViaSat) ★ All

**CAREER** PRESENTATION

### Presentations: Moving Up

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 🧑 Elizabeth Hamilton  
(Microsoft), Jamaila Holder (SAP), Joanna Ritchie  
(SAP) ★ Mid-career

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

### Persuade Like an Entrepreneur

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑 Christina (Xiao)  
Tan (EloquentSpeaking), Lyon Wong (Spectrum )  
★ Student/Early Career

**COMMUNITY**

### Shining Your Uniqueness in the First Five Years of Your Career

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G ★ Student/  
Early Career

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9 - 10 a.m.

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL

**Social Celebrating the Local Community**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Scaling for the Modern World**

📍 OCCC W312C 🧑 Trisha Biswas (Amazon), Ioana Baldini (IBM), Susan Hinrichs (Yahoo) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**DATA SCIENCE** WORKSHOP

**DS521: A Hands-on Dive into Making Sense of Real World Data**

📍 OCCC W307C 🧑 Jamie Whitacre (Project Jupyter), Xun Tang (Yelp) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION** PANEL

**Using the Art of Influence to Move Ideas into Action**

📍 OCCC W314B 🧑 Christie Auw (Airbnb, Inc.), Anubhuti Jain (Amazon), Syp Vandy Siligato (Intuit), Nisha Desai (Rodan and Fields) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**INTERACTIVE MEDIA** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Game Building**

📍 OCCC W311C 🧑 Gracie Arenas Strittmatter (Electronic Arts), Marguerite Dibble (GameTheory, Inc.), Kelly Gawne (Intel) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

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9 - 10 a.m.

**IOT / WEARABLE TECH** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Intelligent Objects and Augmented Reality in IoT World**

📍 OCCC W414A 🧑 Savita Banerjee (Microsoft), Elysia Lock (Slalom), Katie Owen (Turner) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**OPEN SOURCE** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Open Source (2)**

📍 OCCC W222B 🧑 Mandy Chan (Amazon Alexa Champion), Abby Kearns (Cloud Foundry Foundation), Bihan Zhang (Red Hat Inc.) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION** PRESENTATION

**Fixing Corporate Diversity (With a Focus on Trans Issues)**

📍 OCCC W224H 🧑 Hazel Havard (Workday) ★ All

**PRODUCTS A TO Z** PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Product Conceptualization**

📍 OCCC W224F 🧑 Shivani Rawat (Amazon), Brandy Shaffer (Axon Enterprise), Marcel Baker (Google), Alexis Cox (Google) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**SECURITY/PRIVACY** PANEL

**Security Engineering & The Right Tools**

📍 OCCC W315B 🧑 Audrey Nahrvar (AppDynamics), Tammy Butow (Dropbox), Jessica Frazelle (Google), Prima Virani (Pandora), Melanie Ensign (Uber) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

9 - 10 a.m.

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING WORKSHOP

Blockchain Unchained: Set Up Your Digital Wallet Today

📍 OCCC W308C 👤 Artiona Bogo (SAP), Lucía Pasarin (SAP), Ricarda Schüler (SAP) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SPECIAL SESSIONS PRESENTATION

ABIE Winner, Dr. Gunduz: Adaptive Neurotechnologies for the Improved Treatment of Neurological Disorders

📍 OCCC W300 Lecture Hall 👤 Aysegul Gunduz (University of Florida) ★ All

9 - 11 a.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS WORKSHOP

Learn to Negotiate And Stop Holding Yourself Back

📍 OCCC WF4 👤 Karen Catlin (Karen Catlin Consulting), Poornima Vijayashanker (Femgineer)

9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

STUDENT OPPORTUNITY LAB

Student Opportunity Lab

📍 OCCC WF2 ★ All

10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Emerging Applications of AI

📍 OCCC W304C 👤 Michelle Buxton (Travelers Insurance), Sameera Ponda (X) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

CAREER PANEL

Inclusion in the Valley: Why are diversity conversations so hard?

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V 👤 Gloria Kimbwalu, Tamar Bercovici (Box), Nikita Mitchell (Cisco Systems Inc.), Lexi Reese (Gusto) ★ All

CAREER PANEL

Working Abroad: How to Land a Tech Job Overseas

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 👤 Julia Mitelman (Amazon), Shana Azria (Apple), Sara LaVigna (Google), Melissa Lim (Microsoft), Wei Wu (Yelp) ★ Student/Early Career

CAREER PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Finding Your Fit

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 👤 Christina Murto (Capital One), Kelly Irish (Mindbody Inc.), Anne McCarthy (Splunk) ★ Student/Early Career

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 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

### 10 Steps to a Successful Career

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 🧑 Linda Tai (Bank of America), Ling Xu (Be the Change Foundation), Yue Xu (University of California, San Diego) ★ All

**CAREER** WORKSHOP

### Unpacking Your Unconscious Bias to Advance Your Career

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 🧑 Camilla Heinzmann (Orange Grove Consulting), Kelly Watson (Orange Grove Consulting) ★ Mid-career

**COMMUNITY** SOCIAL

### Social Celebrating Arab Women in Technical Roles

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All

**COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING** WORKSHOP

### The Making of Balloon-Powered Internet for Everyone

📍 OCCC W307C 🧑 Amrita Lonkar (Google Inc.), Wanda Hung (X), Emily Yousling (X) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**CRA-W** PANEL

Department Chair, Lab Director, Dean, What →

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 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

### Next? Career Success after Tenure and Promotion

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 🧑 Carla Brodley (Northeastern University - College of Computer and Information Science), Robert Roser (Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory), Padma Raghavan (Vanderbilt University) ★ Faculty

**DATA SCIENCE** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Cybersecurity and Fraud Detection

📍 OCCC W315B 🧑 Yinglian Xie (DataVisor), Tara Mitchell (Uber), Meizhu Liu (Yahoo) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: HCI (3)

📍 OCCC W311C 🧑 Allison Youngdahl (Accenture), Eleanor Trinh (Intuit), Cameron Jacoby (Stitch Fix) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

**INTERACTIVE MEDIA** PRESENTATIONS

### Presentations: Alternative Technologies

📍 OCCC W308C 🧑 Beth Anderson (Audible), Alexis Cox (Google), Christina Bangah (PricewaterhouseCoopers) ★ Beginner/Intermediate



10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

IOT / WEARABLE TECH WORKSHOP

**Designing Intelligent Hardware: A Day at Nest**

📍 OCCC W230C 👤 Jung Hong (Nest Labs), Lulu Li (Nest Labs), Soja-Marie Morgens (Nest Labs)

★ Beginner/Intermediate

OPEN SOURCE PANEL

**How Women Built Open Source Adoption Inside Government**

📍 OCCC W222B 👤 Virginia Nguyen (Booz Allen Hamilton), Nneka Hector (DSFederal), Kirsten Burgard (U.S. Department of State), Jessica Dearie (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)

★ Beginner/Intermediate

ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Inclusion Strategies**

📍 OCCC W224H 👤 Molly Walter, Iris Bohnet (Harvard University), Jennifer Willoughby (NetApp, Inc.) ★ All

PRODUCTS A TO Z PANEL

**The Art and Science of Data-Driven Product Management**

📍 OCCC W224F 👤 Crystal Yan (FiscalNote), Melanie Qualls (InCloudCounsel), Prerna Singh (Mashable), Laure Parsons (Notion) ★ Beginner/Intermediate



10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

SECURITY/PRIVACY PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Security Operations**

📍 OCCC W312C 👤 Awalin Sopan (FireEye Inc.), Michele Myauo (Microsoft), Mihoko Matsubara (Palo Alto Networks) ★ Advanced

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Languages to Runtimes?**

📍 OCCC W314B 👤 Kaylyn Gibilterra (Capital One), Shruthi Chikkanna (Oracle), Li Zheng (VMware) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

SPECIAL SESSIONS

**Featured ACM Speaker: Jennifer Rexford**

📍 OCCC W320 Chapin Theater 👤 Jennifer Rexford (Princeton University) ★ All



12 - 1 p.m.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE WORKSHOP

**Promoting Gender Diversity through Artificial Intelligence: Robotics for 6-year olds**

📍 OCCC W307C 👤 Romi Boimer (Amazon), Leta He (Amazon) ★ Beginner/Intermediate



12 - 1 p.m.

CAREER PANEL

### **Making the Leap: Jumping into An(other) Academic Position**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom Q 👤 Farzana Rahman (Florida International University), Cornelia Caragea (Kansas State University), Xiaohui (Helen) Gu (North Carolina State University (NCSU)), Sara Sood (Northwestern University), Dilma Da Silva (Texas A&M University) ★ Faculty

CAREER PANEL

### **From Here to Internity**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom S 👤 Chang Liu (Dropbox), Kelly Irish (Mindbody Inc.), Melissa Borza (Netformx), Jenna Blumenthal (Shopify), Marissa Schuchat (StoryCorps) ★ Student/Early Career

CAREER PANEL

### **So You Want to Be an Executive?**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom V  
 👤 Gail Giacobbe (GoDaddy), Alexandra Tibbetts (Google), Liz Pearce (Liquid Planner, Inc.), Sumit Chauhan (Microsoft), Rebecca Norlander (Samepage Health) ★ Mid-career



12 - 1 p.m.

CAREER PRESENTATIONS

### **Presentations: Putting Yourself First**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom O 👤 Adina Halter (Comcast NBCUniversal), Rae Hoyt (LinkedIn), Maytal Dahan (Texas Advanced Computing Center) ★ Student/Early Career

CAREER WORKSHOP

### **Getting the Glass to Half-Full: Managing Your Moods at Work**

📍 Hyatt Orlando Ballroom L 👤 Harika Adivikolanu (Workday), Beth Budwig (Workday), Mamta Suri (Workday) ★ All

CAREER WORKSHOP

### **Writing Effective Self and Peer Evaluations**

📍 Hyatt Regency Ballroom R 👤 Shilpa Vir (eBay), Gunjan Sethi (Microsoft) ★ Senior/Executive

COMMUNITY PRESENTATION

### **Wonder Woman and the Amazonians: Build Your Local Community**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom G ★ All





12 - 1 p.m.

COMMUNITY SOCIAL

**Social Celebrating LGBTQ-A in Technical Roles**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All

COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEERING PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: High Performance Computing and Engineering**

📍 OCCC W315B 👤 Elaine Arbaugh (Affirm), Prachi Pai Asnodkar (Intel), Jeewika Ranaweera (Oracle)

★ Beginner/Intermediate

DATA SCIENCE PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Data Science for Product Feature Validation**

📍 OCCC W304C 👤 Kathryn O'Donnell (Capital One), Ya Xu (LinkedIn), Ivelina Momcheva (Space Telescope Science Institute) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION WORKSHOP

**Inclusive Design Workshop**

📍 OCCC W308C 👤 Hayley Hughes (IBM), Susann Keohane (IBM), Mary Jo Mueller (IBM)

★ Beginner/Intermediate



12 - 1 p.m.

INTERACTIVE MEDIA PANEL

**Improving the Entertainment Industry through ERGs and SIGs**

📍 OCCC W311C 👤 M. Rawlings (Microsoft), Josh Samuels (Raindrop Games), Jess Loeb (Sony Interactive Entertainment), Sela Davis (VREAL), Anna Huerta (Zynga) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

IOT / WEARABLE TECH PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Prototyping and Connecting IoT Devices**

📍 OCCC W414A 👤 Dolores Joya (eBay), Abha Khosla (Qualcomm), Sanyogita Shamsunder (Verizon) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

OPEN SOURCE PRESENTATIONS

**Presentations: Open Source (3)**

📍 OCCC W222B 👤 Becky Plummer (Bloomberg), Flora Dai (Pandora), Mary Cochran (Red Hat Inc.) ★ Beginner/Intermediate

ORGANIZATION TRANSFORMATION PANEL

**Moving Beyond Women in Technology: Intersectionality and Workplace D&I**

📍 OCCC W224H 👤 Megan Dalessio (Box), Tiffany Price (Kapor Center for Social Impact), Ciara Trinidad (Lever), Ruha Devanesan (Symantec), Dominique DeGuzman (Twilio) ★ Student/Early Career



12 - 1 p.m.

PRODUCTS A TO Z WORKSHOP

LEAN Innovation: Getting Your Ideas on the Table

📍 OCCC W230C 👤 Susan Brude (CA Technologies), Stephanie Dumbrill (CA Technologies), Nitya Ganesan (CA Technologies)
★ Beginner/Intermediate

SECURITY/PRIVACY PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Hacking & IoT

📍 OCCC W312C 👤 Jackie Bow (Facebook, Inc.), Jen Miller Osborn (Palo Alto Networks), BhanuShashi Satyavijaya (SAP)
★ Beginner/Intermediate

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING PRESENTATIONS

Presentations: Software Engineering Foundations: Design

📍 OCCC W314B 👤 Dina Shapiro (Athena Health Inc), Tatjana Vlahovic (eBay), Malavika Neti (SurveyMonkey)
★ Beginner/Intermediate

SPECIAL SESSIONS PANEL

Student of Vision, A. Richard Newton and Social Impact ABIE Award Winners 2017 – A Panel Discourse

📍 OCCC W300 Lecture Hall 👤 Moderator: Ruthe Farmer (CSforAllConsortium); Panelists: Mehul Smriti Rajee (Harvard University), Dr. Marie desJardins (University of Maryland, Baltimore City), Dr. Sue Black OBE (#techmums)
★ All



12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

SPECIAL SESSIONS WORKSHOP

Learn to Negotiate And Stop Holding Yourself Back (REPEAT)

📍 OCCC WF4 👤 Karen Catlin (Karen Catlin Consulting), Poornima Vijayashanker (Femgineer)



1 - 2:30 p.m.

LUNCHES & RECEPTIONS / FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

Researcher's Lunch 📍 OCCC W202B ★ All



1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

COMMUNITY SOCIAL

Social Celebrating Iranian Women in Technical Roles

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H ★ All

LUNCHES & RECEPTIONS / INVITE ONLY

ACM-W Council Lunch 📍 OCCC W309A



3 - 4:30 p.m.

GENERAL SESSION

**Friday Keynote**

📍 OCCC WA2 🧑 Maureen Fan (Baobab Studios), Ayanna Howard (Georgia Institute of Technology - Bioengineering, School of Electrical and Computer Engineering), Deborah Berebichez (Metis) ★ All



5 - 6 p.m.

COMMUNITY

**ABI Communities Meetup**

📍 Hyatt Plaza International Ballroom H



7 - 11 p.m.

GENERAL SESSION PARTY

**Friday Night Celebration**

📍 OCCC Valencia Ballroom

**CAP OFF YOUR CELEBRATION WITH A NIGHT TO REMEMBER WITH YOUR FRIENDS, OLD AND NEW.**

Join us for the best dance party!

# RESOURCES

## Badge Pickup & Replacement

We offer multiple registration desks: One on the first floor of the OCCC by the shuttle drop-off location, and three others in the lobbies of the Hyatt Regency, Rosen Centre Hotel, and Rosen Plaza Hotel. All attendees (except for exhibitor-appointed contractors) can pick up badges at any of these locations. If you misplace your badge, you can get a new one after paying a \$100 fee.

## Wi-Fi Access

For the best experience, connect to the 5GHz network: GHC17-5GHz. A 2.4GHz network is also available for devices that do not support the higher frequency. Check with a Wi-Fi Support Desk, located at the main entrance on the second floor of the OCCC for access.

## All-Gender Bathrooms

We offer designated all-gender bathrooms at OCCC and Hyatt Regency for attendees who feel more comfortable using those facilities. These bathrooms are clearly marked on venue maps.

📍 **OCCC:** 8 locations  
#242M inside keynote room, #220M inside Career Fair, #234M outside Career Fair, #264M, #274M, #305M, #312M, #400M

📍 **Hyatt Regency:** 2 locations  
Near Orlando Ballroom N, convention level and near Silver Spring, convention level

## Additional Assistance

If you experience an issue or need help, please email [gbc@anitaborg.org](mailto:gbc@anitaborg.org). If you have an urgent request, visit our Attendee or Sponsor Support Desks on the first floor of OCCC.