



**WASHINGTON DC**

# AI for All

## What Future Leaders Need to Know to Ensure Equitable Outcomes

**Public Service Weekend 2024**  
**A CONFERENCE FOR FUTURE PUBLIC INTEREST LEADERS**

### Mini Agenda

#### **PRE CONFERENCE SESSIONS:**

**Tuesday, July 9**

12:00PM Pre-Conference Session: Welcome and Tips for the PPIA Grad School Expo  
Location: VIRTUAL

**Friday, July 12**

3- 5:30PM PPIA Public Service Graduate School EXPO  
Location: The George Washington University Student Center, 800 21st St NW, Washington, DC 20052

#### **FORMAL CONFERENCE SESSIONS:**

**Friday, July 19**

**Location:** Heinz College Washington DC, 444 N. Capitol Street, NW, Washington DC 20001  
**MEALS:** Heavy hors d'oeuvres and drinks to be provided

5:00PM Conference Check In Begins

6:00pm Welcome & Conference Organization

6:20pm **Hackathon Team IceBreaker**

6:50pm Keynote Speaker: My Story  
**Rita Alvarado**, Policy Advisor, U.S. Department of the Treasury

7:20pm Lightning Rounds – Meet Alumni in Public Interest Tech

7:45pm Networking Reception

### **Saturday, July 20**

**LOCATION: Heinz College Washington DC, Room**

MEALS: Continental breakfast, lunch & light dinner provided

8:30AM Breakfast – Informal Meet & Greet

9:00AM Welcome and Plan for the Day

9:10AM KEYNOTE: **Travis Adkins**, President & CEO, US-Africa Development Foundation

10:00AM Policy Innovation Lab: Designing for Moonshot Solutions  
**Chris Goranson**, Distinguished Service Professor, Heinz College  
Heinz Professor Goranson will lead students through an exercise for designing and developing solutions to intractable public interest problems.

11:50AM Break & Pick Up Box Lunches

12:00PM Lunch session  
**Dareen Basma**, Associate Dean of Diversity, Inclusion, Climate & Equity, Heinz College

1:15PM Break

1:30PM Experts Panel – future of work/workforce development  
**Co-Sponsored by the Block Center**  
Moderator: **Hannah Graber**, Program Manager, Block Center  
**Panelists:**

- **Maile Symonds**, Aspen Institute, College Excellence Program
- **Camille Moore**, Senior Vice President, American Association for Blacks in Energy

3:00PM Policy Hack-A-Thon - Charge

5PM Dinner hosted by Heinz Current students...

7PM adjourn for the day...

**Sunday, July 21**

**LOCATION: HEINZ COLLEGE IN WASHINGTON DC**

**Conference Room 285**

MEALS: Continental Breakfast and Lunch.

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| 8:30AM  | Breakfast: Informal Networking   |
| 9:00AM  | Welcome Speaker: Joseph Breems   |
| 9:20AM  | Student teams present  |
| 10:10AM | Group Photo Opp  |
| 10:30AM | Applying to Graduate School: Insights from Students and Admissions Directors |
| 11:45AM | Challenge Recognition & Closing  |
| 12:00PM | Closing Remarks: Marie Coleman   |
| 12:30PM | Informal Lunch, Networking/Photos/Wrap Up<br>Light lunch will be available   |
| 2:00PM  | Conference Adjourns  |