



# AGENDA 2026

## DATA SCIENCE NEXT CONFERENCE

May 07-08, 2026



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# CONFERENCE AGENDA (DAY 1)

Wednesday, May 7, 2026

09:30-09:50 AM	<b>Registrations</b>
09:50-09:55 AM	<b>Opening Ceremony</b> Welcome speech by: Anas Jawed, CEO, Next Business Media
10:00-10:25 AM Keynote Speaker	<b>Title: Real-World Applications of Data Science &amp; AI in Financial Services</b> Nadia Gouné, Founder & CEO of Ideas2Actions-partner
10:25-10:50 AM Keynote Speaker	<b>Title: Understanding User Sentiment to Drive Impact with Data Science</b> Deeksha Mishra, Data Science Manager at Meta
10:50-11:15 AM Speaker	<b>Embryologist versus AI in embryo selection: agreement and impact on pregnancy rates</b> Yael Harir, Head of the IVF laboratory at Kaplan Medical
<b>11:15-11:35 AM ( Coffee &amp; Refreshments )</b>	
11:40-12:20 PM Panel Discussion	<b>Topic: Beyond Boundaries: Open Conversations on GenAI, Data Science, and the Future</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"><span><b>MS. Jiya Uppal</b> (Software Engineer at Autodesk)</span><span><b>Mr. Raido Saar</b> (CEO &amp; Co-Founder   Matter-ID)</span><span><b>Slot Available</b> (Speaking Slot Available)</span><span><b>Slot Available</b> (Speaking Slot Available)</span></div>
12:20-12:45 PM Speaker	<b>Title: Cancer Care Connect: A Multilingual AI-Driven Dialogue System for Cervical Cancer Awareness and Risk Assessment</b> Temitope Olorunfemi, Assistant Professor at University of Minnesota Duluth
12:45-01:05 PM Speaker	<b>Title: TBA</b> Marijn Markus, Data Scientist & Managing Consultant at Capgemini

<b>01:05-01:30 PM</b> <b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title: Unleashing Agentic AI: Building Autonomous Multi-Agent Workflows with LangGraph &amp; MCP</b>  Gaurav Gupta, Senior Data Scientist at PayPal
<b>01:30-02:30 PM ( Lunch Break )</b>	
<b>02:30-02:50 PM</b> <b>Keynote Speaker</b>	<b>Title: Predicting Fire Hotspots in Kalimantan Based on Climate Factors using Gaussian Process Regression and Long Short-Term Memory</b>  Sri Nurdjati, Member of the Academic Senate at IPB University
<b>02:50-03:15 PM</b> <b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title: Aligning Responsible AI in the Probabilistic World Of LLM and AI Agents</b>  Shubhradeep Nandi, Chief Research Scientist at ResponCibleAI
<b>03:15-03:35 PM</b> <b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title: Optimizing Infrastructure Management Through Artificial Intelligence: An Empirical Analysis of Medium to Large-Scale Systems</b>  Raul Villamarin Rodriguez, Vice President of Woxsen University
<b>03:35-03:55 PM</b> <b>Speaker</b>	<b>Title: From Concept to Execution - Building an AI-First Data Infrastructure in Private Equity</b>  Tong Zhi
<b>03:55-04:15 PM</b> <b>Keynote Speaker</b>	<b>Title: Engineering the Future: Harnessing the Power of AI to Drive Business Growth</b>  TBD
<b>04:15-04:30 (Coffee &amp; Refreshments)</b>	
<b>04:30-04:55 PM</b> <b>Virtual Speaker</b>	<b>Title: Machine Learning Framework For Summarizing Legal Documents</b>  Vyshakh Prasad, Master's student at University of the pacific
<b>04:55-05:15 PM</b> <b>Virtual Speaker</b>	<b>Title: Strategies for Self-Serve Analytics on Enormous Structured Data: Modeling for Accurate and Performant Insights through Generative AI interfaces</b>  Pinaki Bose, Data Analytics Leader at Tata Consultancy Services
<b>05:15-05:25 (Networking Session &amp; Photo Session)</b>	
<b>05:30 ( End of Day )</b>	

# CONFERENCE AGENDA (DAY 2)

Thursday, May 8, 2026

09:40-09:55	<b>Registrations &amp; Opening Ceremony</b> Anas Jawed, CEO, Next Business Media
10:00-10:25 AM Keynote Speaker	<b>The Future of AI Is Human: Building Alignment, Not Replacement</b> Alex S. Moy, Executive advisor, Entrepreneur, & Founder of Data Doctor Advisory
10:30-10:55 AM Speaker	<b>Beyond LLMs: Building the future of AI with less energy and fewer data centers</b> Jason Williamson CEO of Mythworx
10:55-11:20 AM Speaker	<b>Transforming Your Work: AI Driven Growth for Professionals &amp; Businesses</b> Mike Fortier Founder & CEO, Harness AI Partners Ltd.
11:20-11:45 AM Speaker	<b>From Models to Impact - Lessons from Applying Data Science Across Industries</b> Dr. Gunjan Mahindre, Senior Data Scientist, Adobe
<b>11:45 - 12:00 PM ( Coffee &amp; Refreshments )</b>	
12:00-12:25 AM Keynote Speaker	<b>Slot Available</b> Speaking Slot Available
12:30-12:55 AM Speaker	<b>How Language Predicts Health News Spread: NLP Analysis of Headlines</b> Bonnie Rushing, Cybersecurity Researcher at University of Colorado Colorado Springs
12:55-12:20 AM Speaker	<b>Slot Available</b> Speaking Slot Available
12:20-12:45 AM Speaker	<b>Slot Available</b> Speaking Slot Available

**12:50 - 02:00 PM (Lunch Break)**

**02:05 - 03:00 PM**  
**Track 1**

- 1. Data Visualization, Collaboration, and Business Applications**
- 2. Infrastructure, Tools & Technical Innovation**

Gang-Len Chang, A. James Clark School of Engineering, Maryland

Speaking Slot Available

Wanyang Dai, Nanjing University, China

**04:50 - 05:00 ( Photo & Networking session )**

**03:00 – 03:25 PM**  
**Speaker**

**Cloud-Based AI Delivery**

Speaking Slot Available

**03:25 – 03:45 PM**  
**Speaker**

**Governance in AI projects**

Stand-Alone Session Available

**03:45 – 04:45 PM**  
**Track 2**

**AI, Data Science, and Immersive Technologies in Gaming and the Metaverse**

**Session 1.**

**Metaverse Mechanics: Building Immersive Worlds with AI**

**Session 2.**

**Cross-Industry Learnings: How Gaming AI Shapes Simulation and Training**

**Session 3.**

**Generative AI for Game Assets: From Concept to Playable Content**

**Session 4.**

**From Games to the Metaverse: AI and Data Transforming Entertainment**

**04:45 - 5:00 (Poster Presentations)**

**5:00 - 5:10 PM (Photograph & Networking Session)**

**This is a tentative agenda not finalized yet, if you have any topic related in your mind, we are happy to add that topic and proposal of your talk.**