



2015 CAHSI SUMMIT

Computing Alliance of Hispanic-Serving Institutions
Hilton Caribe, San Juan Puerto Rico

Building a Diverse and Innovative Workforce

Agenda-at-a-Glance

Thursday - September 10, 2015		
Start	End	Events
5:00 p	6:00 p	Registration San Cristobal Foyer
6:00 p	9:00 p	Dinner An Evening with the CAHSI Community Speaker: Mary Fernandez, Mentor-Net San Cristobal ABCD

Friday – September 11, 2015				
Start	End	Events		
7:00 a	8:00 a	Registration San Cristobal Foyer Breakfast San Geronimo Ballroom/Foyer C		
8:00 a	9:00 a	Welcome Keynote: Small Actions. Big Change. Barbara Mc Allister <i>Deputy Director, Diversity in Technology Initiative</i> San Cristobal ABCD		
		STUDENTS	STUDENTS	FACULTY, INDUSTRY, NPO
9:00 a	10:15 a	Applying “Systems Thinking” and “Human Thinking” to Manage Career Growth Session Chair: A. Tirres Jamika Burge, Smarter Balance at UCLA Manuel Perez Quiñones, UNC Charlotte Alan Bivens, IBM San Cristobal ABCD		CAHSI Effective Practices Part I Session Chair: E. Pontelli Mohsen Beheshti, CSU-DH Ann Gates, UTEP Malek Adjouadi, FIU Nestor Rodriguez, UPRM Sarah Hug, Golden Evaluation San Cristobal FG
10:15 a	10:30 a	BREAK		



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10:30 a	11:00 a	Collaboration in the Workplace Session Chair: A. Tirres IBM Mehul Patel Chris Biega Darren Cacy Matthew Cresswell Bryan Daniel Prosper Dimitri Rob Holt San Cristobal ABCD		Building CAHSI's Impact Session Chair: E. Pontelli Ann Gates, UTEP San Cristobal FG
11:00 a	12:00 p			CRA Opportunities Session Chair: M. Adjouadi Melissa Borts, CRA San Cristobal FG
12:00 p	1:15 p	Lunch Plenary Speaker Danny Olivas, PhD, P.E. Director of the Center for the Advancement of Space Safety and Mission Assurance Research San Geronimo Ballroom/Foyer C		
1:30 p	2:30 p	CRA Opportunities Session Chair: C. Casas Melissa Borts, CRA San Cristobal ABCD BREAK: 2:15-2:30	Graduate School Funding Opportunities and the GEM Fellowship Session Chair: A. Tirres Marcus Huggans, GEM Conference Center 6-7 BREAK: 3:00-3:10	Young Women in Computing and YO-GUTC Session Chair: N. Santiago Enrico Pontelli, NMSU San Cristobal FG BREAK: 2:15-2:30
2:30 p	3:00 p	Finding a Research Topic Session Chair: C. Casas Patty Lopez, Intel San Cristobal ABCD	Solving Complex Problems Using Space Flight Methodologies Session Chair: A. Tirres Dr. Danny Olivas, CASSMAR Conference Center 6-7	Building Effective Collaborative Skills for Interdisciplinary Groups Session Chair: A. Mahdy Dr. Natalia Villanueva, UTEP Norma Rivera, UTEP San Cristobal FG
3:10 p	3:30 p			
3:30 p	4:30 p	Succeeding in a Doctoral Program Session Chair: N. Rodriguez Panel San Cristobal ABCD		
5:00 p	7:00 p	Remarks Kamau Bobb, PhD NSF Program Director Directorate for Computer & Information Science & Engineering Reception and Student Poster Presentations San Cristobal ABCD/Foyer		



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Saturday – September 12, 2015				
Start	End	Events		
7:30 a	8:30 a	Registration: Location San Cristobal Foyer Breakfast Collegiate Award Ruthe Farmer, NCWIT; Natalia Rodriguez; Jessica Santana San Geronimo Ballroom / Foyer C		
		STUDENTS	STUDENTS	FACULTY, INDUSTRY, NPO
8:30 a	9:30 a	Unleash Your Creativity, Innovation the Google Way Session Chair: A. Tirres Frank Rodriguez, Google San Cristobal ABCD	CAHSI Hackathon Session Chair: M. Beheshti San Cristobal EFG	The AIMS2 (Attract, Inspire, Mentor and Support Students) Program Session Chair: G. Perera Dr. S.K. Ramesh CSU Northridge Conference Center 6-7
9:30 a	10:30 a			Enhancing STEM Areas Using Educational Robotics Session Chair: G. Perera Eliana Valenzuela, UPR Arecibo Conference Center 6-7
10:45 a	12:00 p			Latinas in Technology Session Chair: N. Santiago Ruthe Farmer, NCWIT Conference Center 6-7
12:00 p	1:15 p	Lunch Location San Geronimo Ballroom/Foyer C		Lunch and CAHSI Roundtable Discussion Private Event Session Chair: A. Gates Moderator: R. Schoephoerster,UTEP Las Olas
1:15 p	2:45p	Graduate Research Presentations Session Chair: D. Rodriguez San Cristobal ABCD	Preparing to Become an Entrepreneur Session Chair: O. Fuentes Diego Aguirre, UTEP Conference Center 6-7	
2:45 p	4:00 p	Adjourn		
5:00 p	8:00p	CAHSI BOA Meeting Private Event Conference Center Room 10		



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