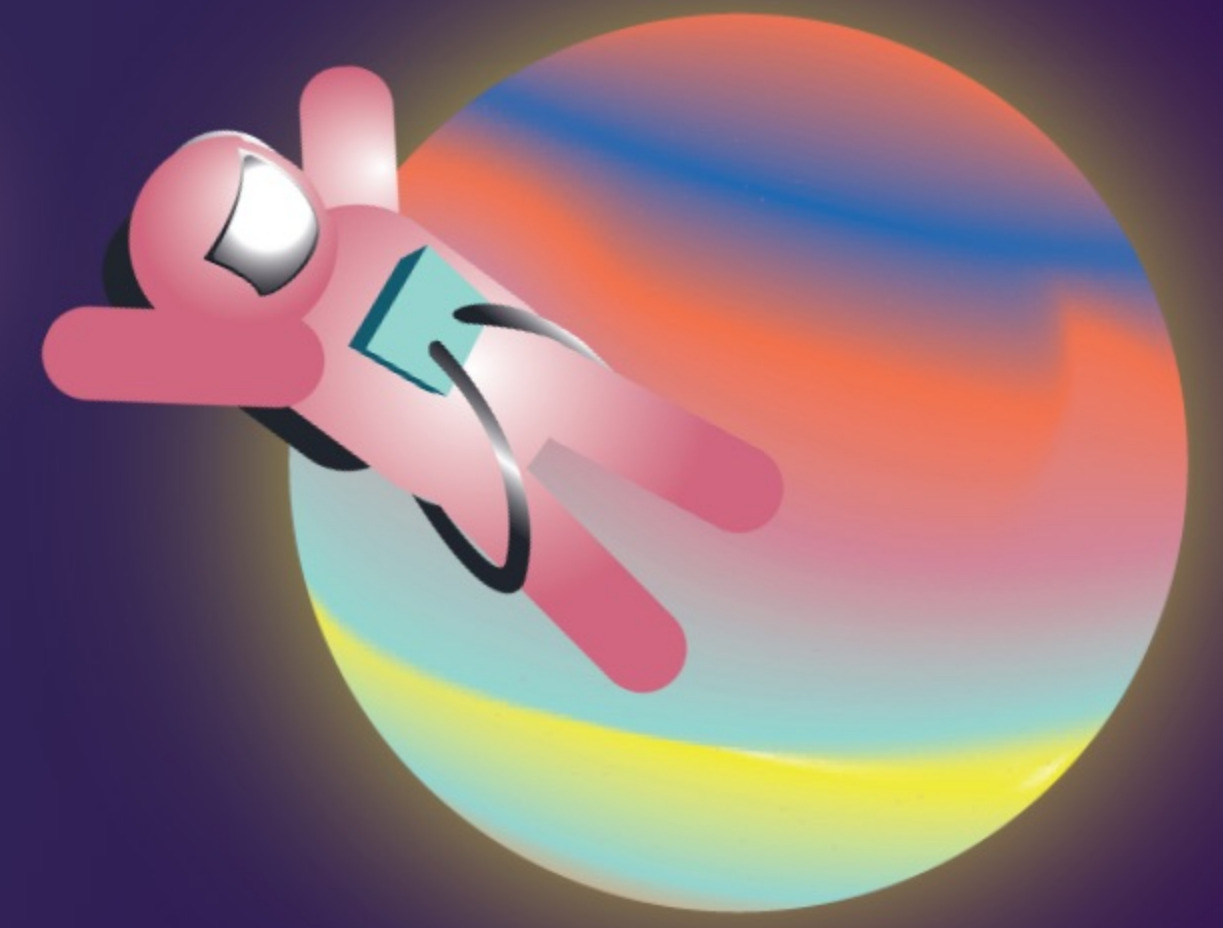


# Women in Tech Conference Schedule



Joyce Cummings Center, Sept 29th 2024

8:30-9:00

## Registration

Atrium

## Breakfast & Social

1st Floor (120)

9:15-9:45

## Opening Ceremony & Keynote Address

Ballrooms (170&180)

### Block A

10:00-10:45

#### PANELS

Building the Future:  
Trends and Challenges  
in Software  
Development

Rebecca Miller, Imogen  
Eads, Supriya Sanjay  
Room 270

From Circuits to  
Solutions:  
Revolutionizing the  
Hardware Landscape

Nisha Goel, Bianca  
Aumann, Emily Yu  
Room 140

#### TALKS

Unlocking  
Creativity:  
Transforming  
Workflows with  
Generative AI

Cusuh Ham  
Room 280

Tech Odyssey:  
Cyber Challenges and  
Innovations in the  
AI Age

Sam King  
Room 265

#### WORKSHOPS

Banking on Tech –  
Exploring Career Paths  
Within Financial Services

Nomura  
Room 260

Quantum Workshop

MITRE  
Room 180

### Block B

11:00-11:45

#### PANELS

Evolving Perspectives:  
The Journey of AI  
Researchers

Alyssa Bekai, Sara  
Laprade, Barghavi  
Govindarajan  
Room 280

Data-Driven Dreams:  
Pathways into Data  
Science

Annika Sougstad, Lydia  
Yu, Jasmine Pham  
Room 260

#### TALKS

Empowering  
Innovation:  
Navigating AI  
Product Management

Dorit Levy-Zilbershot  
Room 180

#### WORKSHOPS

The Internship Playbook:  
5-Step Strategy to Secure  
Your Spot

Michelllexcomputer  
Room 265

How the Interaction of  
Different Engineering  
Disciplines Create Life-  
Changing Products

Amazon Blink  
Room 270

12:00-12:45

## Lunch and Networking

1st/2nd Floors

## Project Showcase

Block C

1:00-1:45

### PANELS

Key Qualities: What Makes a Successful Product Manager  
Anusha Dharmalingham,  
Eliana Ghantous,  
Rajitha Chaparala  
Room 270

Transforming Finance: The Rise of FinTech Solutions  
Alexandra Tsitsiringos,  
Khadija Khartit,  
Deniz Johnson  
Room 265

### TALKS

The Global Impact of Open Source: Why You're Already Involved  
Paula Paul  
Room 260

Artificial Intelligence, Real Impact: Biomedical Research at the Cutting Edge  
Ashley Conard  
Room 140

### WORKSHOPS

Tips, Tricks, and Tools for Trailblazers: How to land an internship/job in tech and beyond  
Ab Initio  
Room 180

Seize the Reins: Empower Your Career Journey  
AthenaHealth  
Room 280

Block D

2:00-2:45

### PANELS

Bridging the Gap: Personal Journeys and Impactful Strategies in DEI  
Alicin Williamson,  
Shannon Gath,  
Marissa Trevisan  
Room 140

Pressing Issues: Addressing Global Cybersecurity Challenges  
Meghan Martinez,  
Meg Speranza,  
Saroja Hanasoge,  
Varshitha Manjunath,  
Joanna Valshing  
Room 280

### TALKS

Cracking the Code: Getting Your First Cybersecurity Internship and Job  
Mina Zhou  
Room 260

The Future of Fintech: Harnessing AI with Ethics in Mind  
Deniz Johnson  
Room 270

### WORKSHOPS

Threat Intelligence 101: Fundamentals, Data Collection, and Uses Cases  
Recorded Future  
Room 265

Innovative Roles in Tech: Opportunities Beyond Development  
InterSystems  
Room 180

2:45-3:00

## Closing Ceremony (Raffle)

Rooms 270 + 180

3:00-5:00

## Career Fair

Rooms 170&180

## LinkedIn Headshots (3:30)

Room 160