



Mormon Transhumanist Association

2017 Conference

- 9:00 **Chris Bradford**, *The Future of the MTA*
9:20 **Blaire Ostler**, *MTA Goals & Initiatives*
9:40 **Carl Youngblood**, *Responding Prophetically to Technological Disruption*
10:00 **Michaelann Bradley**, *A Meditation on the Cross and on the Bread*
10:20 **George Handley**, *Caring for Creation: an LDS Perspective*

10:40 Break

11:00 **Steven Peck**, *The Evolution of Novelty in an Open Universe: Requiem for Laplace's Demon*

12:00 Lunch with entertainment

1:00 **Lincoln Cannon**, *A Brief History of the Mormon Transhumanist Association*
1:20 **Blaire Ostler**, *Rethinking Postgenderism: Liberation from Homogenization*
1:40 **Jacob Baker**, *The Key and Promise of Transhumanism for a Skeptic*
2:00 **Jordan Roberts**, *The Evolution of Zion*
2:20 **Micah Redding**, *Christianity as Transcendent Humanism: Humanity's Infinite Reach*

2:40 Break

3:00 **Bryce Haymond**, *The Mystical Core of Mormonism: An Introduction*
3:20 **Ben Blaire**, *The God of Transcending Narratives*
3:40 **Michelle Glauser**, *Empowering Underrepresented Groups with Technology*
4:00 **Caleb Jones**, *Emergent Mormon Perspectives on Kurzweilian Epochs of Evolution*
4:20 **Jared Anderson**, *The Past, Present, and Future of Religion*

4:40 Break

5:00 **Robin Hanson**, *The Age of Em: Work, Love and Life when Robots Rule the Earth*
6:00 Panel discussion with keynote speakers, led by Blaire Ostler

6:30 Dinner