WEDNESDAY   02.18.2026

08:30	**BREAKFAST AND REGISTRATION OPENS**
8:30-9:30	**WELCOME**
9:30-11:30	**STATE OF THE AI IN THE TMC COMMUNITY (I)** ***Chair: Ananth Annapragada*** - *Texas Children's Hospital/Baylor College of Medicine* Tom Luby - TMC Innovation Caroline Chung - MD Anderson Jordan Dale - Methodist Hospital Craig Rusin - Baylor College of Medicine Ashutosh Sabharwal - Rice University
11:30 - 12:30	**LUNCH**
12:30 - 14:30	**STATE OF THE AI IN THE TMC COMMUNITY (II)** ***Chair: Hongfang Liu*** - *UTHealth Houston* Xiaoqian Jiang - UTHealth Houston Jeffrey Morgan - University of Houston Tianbao Yang - Texas A&M University Nnaemeka Okafor - Memorial Hermann Zhandong Liu - Texas Children's Hospital
14:30 - 15:00	**COFFEE BREAK**
15:00 - 18:20	**INDUSTRY TRACK** ***Chair: Devin Dunn - TMC Innovation*** Newton's Tree - Diamond Sponsor OneCloud Source - Diamond Sponsor AWS - Diamond Sponsor HealthConnect TX - Platinum Sponsor Mark III Systems - Platinum Sponsor GE - Gold Sponsor TEKSystems - Gold Sponsor United Imaging - Gold Sponsor Palantir - Gold Sponsor
18:20 - 19:00	**RECEPTION AND POSTER SESSION**
18:20 - 18:35	**DESIGNATED POSTER PRESENTATION**

THURSDAY   02.19.2026

Time	Session
07:00 - 08:00	**BREAKFAST**
08:00 - 08:10	**OPENING REMARKS** ***Hongfang Liu*** - *UTHealth Houston* ***Ananth Annapragada*** - *Texas Children's Hospital/Baylor College of Medicine*
08:10 - 10:10	**FOUNDATION TRACK** **Chair: Ila Singh** - *Baylor College of Medicine* Chris Mungall - *Lawerence Berkeley National Laboratory* Danielle Mowery - *Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania* TMC Research Spotlight Foundation Track Panel *Reactive Panel:* **Ioannis Kakadiaris** - *University of Houston,* *Devika Subranmanian* - *Rice University, & Tianbao Yang* - *A&M University*
10:10 - 10:30	**BREAK**
10:30 - 12:30	**YOUNG PROFESSIONAL TRACK** **Chair: Pranav Mehta** - *McGovern Medical School* **AI Innovations: Design & Strategy 101** Xiaoqian Jiang | *UTHealth Houston* Kristin Kostick-Quenet | *Baylor College of Medicine* Anwar Siraj | *Harris Health* **TMC Design Your Own AI Startup 101** Nettie Brown | *TMCi* Onur Kilic | *Bairitone Health*
12:30 - 13:30	**LUNCH**
13:30 - 14:30	**STUDENT RESEARCH SHOWCASE**
14:30 - 14:40	**COFFEE BREAK**
14:40 - 16:40	**OPPORTUNITY TRACK** **Chair: Tom Fogarty** - *Baylor College of Medicine* Anant Madabushi - *Emory University* Anuj Kapadia - *Oak Ridge National Laboratory* TMC Research Spotlight Opportunity Track Panel *Reactive Panel:* **Xiaoqian Jiang** - *UTHealth Houston , Eric Smith* - *Memorial Herman* *& Kelvin Wong* - *Methodist Hospital*
16:40 - 17:40	**REFRESHMENTS AND POSTER SESSION**
16:45 - 17:00	**DESIGNATED POSTER PRESENTATION**

FRIDAY	02.20.2026

07:00 - 08:00 — **BREAKFAST**

08:00 - 08:10 — **OPENING REMARKS**
> **Hongfang Liu** - *UTHealth Houston*
> **Ananth Annapragada** - *Texas Children's Hospital/Baylor College of Medicine*

08:10 - 10:10

IMPACT TRACK
> **Chair: ZD Liu** - *Baylor College of Medicine*
>> Cris Ross - *Aegis Ventures*
>> Nassib Chamoun - *Health Data Analytics Institute*
>> TMC Innovation Spotlight
>> Impact Track Panel
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> *Reactive Panel:* **Eric Stahlberg** - *MD Anderson,* Haris Shuaib - *Newton's Tree,* Brian Warwick - *AWS,* Lin Ma - *OneSource Cloud*

10:10 - 10:30 — **BREAK**

10:30 - 12:30 PARALLEL SESSION

EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT TRACK
> **Chair: Susan Fenton** - *UTHealth Houston*
>> Jamboor Vishwanatha | *University of North Texas*
>> Pothik Chatterjee | *Rice University/Houston Methodist*
>> Litao Wang | *McGovern Medical School*
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> **Education and Workforce Development Panel**

10:30 - 12:30 PARALLEL SESSION

WORKSHOP/TUTORIALS

Ming Huang | *Smart Psychiatry in the Age of Generative AI: Techniques, Solutions, and Future Directions* | Room N.0725.01

Raul Davilla | *The Future Supply Chain: MD Anderson's AI Strategy* | Room N.0725.05

Mikael Guzman-Karlsson | *Building AI Agents for Healthcare: A Practical Introduction Using Retrieval-Augmented Generation* | Room N.0725.20

12:30 - 14:00 — **LUNCH**

14:00 — **CLOSING REMARKS**