



## 2018 Conference Schedule

NW = Northwest Building, 52 Oxford Street, MD = Maxwell Dworkin, 33 Oxford Street (across the street from NW)

### Friday, March 2nd

Time	Event	Location	Presented By
7:00 - 9:00 PM	Early Arrivals Mixer	Ticknor Lounge @ Boylston Hall	

### Saturday, March 3rd

Time	Event	Location	Presented By
9:00 - 5:00 PM	Speaker Registration and Lounge	NW B109	
9:00 - 5:00 PM	Board Lounge	NW B107	
9:00 - 10:00 AM	Registration and Breakfast	NW First Floor Lobby	
10:00 - 11:00 AM	<b>Keynote 1:</b> Computer Science Career Lessons: CS --> PM --> CEO --> VC	NW Basement Lobby	Jess Lee, Sequoia
11:00 - 11:20 AM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Ed Tech	NW B103	Nina Huntemann
11:00 - 11:20 AM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Ethics and Technology	NW B101	Kate Vrendenberg
11:00 - 11:20 AM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Abstraction	MD G115	Carolyn Saund
11:20 - 11:40 AM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Smart Cities	MD G115	Ruthbea Yesner
11:20 - 11:40 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Finding the Career That's Right for You	NW B103	Saqi Mehta

11:20 - 11:40 AM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Unfairness/Biases in Tech Hiring	NW B101	Meena Boppana
11:40 - 12:00 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> The Value of Immersive Visualization	MD G115	Debra Anderson
11:40 - 12:00 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Work That Matters	NW B103	Jini Kim
11:40 - 12:00 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> A History of Gendered Programming	NW B101	Alma Steingart
12:00 - 1:00 PM	Mentorship Lunch	NW Basement Lobby	
1:00 - 2:00 PM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Rise of the Data Engineer	MD G115	Capital One
1:00 - 2:00 PM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Telling Our Story	NW B101	Cynthia Kim, Jen Lin, Google
1:00 - 2:00 PM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Hi, is this Jini? This is Barack Obama	NW B103	Jini Kim
1:00 - 2:00 PM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Foreign Exchange to Telecom Tech to Autonomous Vehicles: How to Leverage Life Experience and Achieve Your Dreams!	NW B104	Lisa Weitekamp
1:00 - 2:00 PM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Utilizing Data to Improve Public Safety and GovTech	MD G125	Karen Xiao, Lillian Kim, Mark43
1:00 - 2:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Game Design	MD 119	Danielle Morales, Megan Gritzfeld, Rachel Maille, Nicole Thayer, Kara Massie
1:00 - 2:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Is Grad School for Me?	NW B108	Gail Carmichael, Lily Hu, Mariana Matus

2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Innovation Toolkit: Creative Problem-Solving Methods for Thinking Outside the “Box”	NW B106	Jessica Yu, Rachel Gregorio, Dan Ward, Aileen Laughlin, Stephanie Medicke
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Production Engineering	NW B105	Lei Lopez, Shopify
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Interviewing	MD G115	Alisa Nguyen, Tiffany Wu, Facebook
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Build <MillennialApp /> with React.js	MD 119	Bridgewater
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Case Interviewing	NW B101	Capital One
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Technology for Social Impact	MD G125	Christina Sass, Jessica Minhas, Sloane Joie Trugman, Teresa Cauvel
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Diversity and Inclusion in the Workplace	NW B103	Saqi Mehta, Shannon Lin, Janet Chen
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Day in the Life	NW B108	Lisa Weitekamp, Jiayun Fang, Ava Chen, Kendall Sherman, Serena Booth
3:00 - 3:20 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Building Up the Cloud with Azure	NW B103	Ana-Maria Constantin, Microsoft
3:00 - 3:20 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> The Future of Diverse Hiring: Meaningful Connections that Empower and Engage Diverse Talent	NW B108	Gareth Burrowes
3:00 - 3:20 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Take-Pause. Helping	MD G115	Dumeetha Luthra

	adolescents reduce anxiety and learn calm using Virtual Reality; why a BBC war correspondent became an entrepreneur building VR mindfulness for teens		
3:20 - 3:40 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Open Source	MD G115	Jiayun Fang
3:20 - 3:40 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Recommendations at Pinterest	NW B108	Jenny Liu, Pinterest
3:20 - 3:40 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Metrics for a High Performance System with Open Source Tools	NW B101	Hyonjee Joo, Two Sigma
3:20 - 3:40 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> The Importance of Doing the 'Boring' Stuff	NW B103	Matt Polega, Mark43
3:40 - 4:00 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Informatics for Global Health	MD G115	Maha Farhat, M.D.
3:40 - 4:00 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> The Hacker and the Engineer; programming and principles for a world after problem sets	NW B103	Meghana Vuyyuru, Bridgewater
3:40 - 4:00 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Machine Learning in Healthcare: Promise and Pitfalls	NW B108	Finale Doshi-Velez
3:40 - 4:00 PM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Adaptability and Collaboration in the Tech Industry	NW B101	Angie Chiraz, Comcast

4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Machine Learning Unicorns: Exciting Applications of Machine Learning in Industry & Beyond	MD G125	Miruna Opreescu
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Venture Design Thinking	NW B105	Shuya Gong
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Promoting Yourself in Person and on Paper	MD 221	Jessica Yu
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Case Study	MD 119	Goldman Sachs
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Intro to UX Design - User Experience Problem Solving	NW B104	Alkistis Mavroeidi
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> The Soft Side of Recruiting	NW B101	Meena Boppana, Asana, Capital One Lauren Ting, Kim Hall
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Advocating for Younger Women and Girls in CS	NW B108	Gail Carmichael, Pooja Chandrashekar, Taylor Want
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> All About Working in Product	MD G115	Stephanie Rogers, Michelle Danoff, Serena Booth
4:00 - 5:00 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Start @ a Startup: Startup Engineering Panel	NW B103	Sequoia Shannon Lin, Alex Jiang, Arpita Dhundia, Jenny Wang
5:00 - 6:00 PM	<b>Social:</b> DIY Sundaes and Board Games	NW B108	Shopify
5:00 - 6:00 PM	<b>Social:</b> DIY Button/Pin-Making	NW B101	Microsoft
5:00 - 6:00 PM	<b>Social:</b> Cookie Decorating and Daydream Demos	NW B105	Google
5:00 - 6:00 PM	<b>Social:</b> Give It A Shot	NW B104	Asana

5:00 - 6:00 PM	<b>Social:</b> WECode Olympics	NW B106	Comcast
8:00 - 10:00 PM	<i>Hidden Figures</i> Screening		Capital One

## Sunday, March 4th

Time	Event	Location	Presented By
9:00 - 6:00 PM	Capital One Lounge	NW B110	Capital One
9:00 - 6:00 PM	Speaker Registration and Lounge	NW B109	
9:00 - 6:00 PM	Board Lounge	NW B107	
9:00 - 9:30 AM	Breakfast	NW Basement Lobby	
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Transitioning from Undergrad to New Grad	NW B103	Annie Cheng
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Tackling the Tech Interview	MD G125	Miruna Opreescu
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Succeeding at PM as a new grad	MD G115	Hana Kim, Sabrina Mohammed, Microsoft
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Moving from Software Engineering to Product Management	NW B105	Stephanie Rogers
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Straight Outta YC W17: A Behind the Scenes Look	NW B104	Natalie Abeysena
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Navigating Difficult Workplace Conversations and	NW B108	Alisa Nguyen (Facebook), Joy Ming (Google)

	Imposter Syndrome		
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Women in Fintech Fireside Chat	MD 221	BlackRock
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Customer obsession: where engineering and marketing intersect	NW B106	Lindsay Christensen
9:30 - 10:30 AM	<b>Fireside Chat:</b> Code Your Escape	MD 119	Goldman Sachs
10:10 - 10:30 AM	<b>Tech Talk:</b> Drug Discovery in 4D: Supercomputing Biochemistry in Space and Time	NW B101	Christine Yeh, DE Shaw Research
10:30 - 11:00 AM	Head over to Sanders; seats are first come, first serve.		
11:00 - 12:00 PM	<b>Keynote 2</b>	Sanders Theater	Pamela Rice, Capital One
12:00 - 12:30 PM	Lunch	NW Basement Lobby	
12:00 - 12:30 PM	Black Mixer	NW B104	
12:00 - 12:30 PM	Hispanic and LatinX Mixer	NW B105	
12:00 - 12:30 PM	BGLTQ+ Mixer	NW B106	
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Navigating the Job/Internship Search	NW B103	Jenny Liu, Michelle Danoff, Annie Cheng, Sam Mincheva, Maribeth Bottorf
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Panel:</b> The Reality of VR and AR	NW B108	Debra Anderson, Dumeetha Luthra, Alkistis Mavroeidi
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Panel:</b> How to Succeed as an Entrepreneur	NW B101	Natalie Abeysena, Mariana Matus, Chandra Briggman,

			Samantha Kaminsky, Jane Zhang, Anum Hussain
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Panel:</b> Tech x Politics	MD 119	Brianna Wu, Rachel Dodell
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Severless Websites	NW B105	Capital One
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> You Too Can Start A Company	NW B104	Dorm Room Fund
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Compensation and Negotiation	MD G115	Asana
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> React.js: code at the click of a button	NW B106	Rori Cremer
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Workshop:</b> Catch the Spoofer!	MD 221	Polina Binder, Jiyang Wang
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Tech talk</b>	MD G125	a16z
12:30 - 1:30 PM	<b>Fireside Chat</b>	MD 104	Lucid
1:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Head over to Sanders; seats are first come, first serve.		
2:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>Keynote 3</b>	Sanders Theater	Chieko Asakawa, IBM
3:00 - 4:00 PM	<b>Keynote 4</b> and Closing Remarks	Sanders Theater	Ruthe Farmer
4:00 - 6:00 PM	Early Bird Opportunities Fair	NW Basement Lobby	
4:30 - 6:00 PM	General Admission Opportunities Fair	NW Basement Lobby	