



June 21 - 23, 2021 | 9:00 am – 3:00 pm
[Entrepreneurship and Innovation Center](#)

2021 Call for Speakers

WiTT is excited to announce the launch of the [Girls Who Tech](#) program. This three-day event is designed to inform girls about the technology-driven changes shaping our future and inspire them to be a part of that change.

We are looking for passionate and inspiring speakers to join us in making this event a successful one. We encourage our speakers and presenters to use storytelling, thought-provoking conversations, and interactive activities while delivering their sessions, keeping our young audience engaged and inspired.

The Call for Speakers closes May 22nd, and speaker decisions will be made by May 29th, 2021. If you are interested, please [submit an application here](#). If you have any questions about the application process, please reach out to Nora Johnson at nora.c.johnson@gmail.com

Topic and Session Suggestions

Please see below ideas on topics and sessions, and feel free to suggest new ones that fit the theme and purpose of the program.



Breakthrough & Innovations

Objective

To examine current and future trends re-shaping our world and promote discussion about their applications and implications on the individual, society, and the world.

Session Examples

Autonomous Cars, Flying cars, Digital Biology, Brain-Computer Interface, and others



Exponential Technologies

Objective

To learn about the exponential technologies transforming our world and evaluate their impact on various industries and fields.

Session Examples

A.I., 3D Printers, V.R. & A.R., Synthetic Biology, Robotics, Big Data, IoT, and others.



Future Ethics

Objective

To tackle ethical and moral implications of exponential technology in a debate setting or any other interactive manner.

Session Examples

1. Autonomous Cars Fatal Accident
 2. Designer Babies
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Artificial Intelligence

Objective

To understand artificial intelligence, its impact on society, and how students might shape the future of AI.

Session Examples (Curriculum Available)

1. Introduction to Algorithms and the technical concepts of A.I.
2. Introduction to Supervised Machine Learning and Algorithmic Bias
4. Speculative Fiction Activities



Emerging Jobs and Industries of the Future

Objective

To engage students in conversations about some of the most exciting emerging jobs and industries of the future while learning that the hardest activities to automate are those involving expertise in decision-making, planning, human interaction, or creative work.

By 2030, up to 45% of tasks workers perform can be automated using current technology. While technologies will destroy many jobs, they will also create many new ones. Widespread innovation is continuing to give birth to new industries, all of which are sources of new jobs.



Future Skills

Objective

To help students learn about the skills needed to adapt and thrive in a world of increased automation and accelerating change while engaging in hands-on and interactive activities.

Session Examples

1. Cultivate Creativity
2. Develop Emotional Intelligence
3. Learn how to Code (Python)



Technology Showcase

Objective

To provide students with the opportunity to play, interact, and learn about cutting-edge tech in the fields of Robotics, Artificial Intelligence, Internet of Things, 3D Printing, Virtual and Augmented Reality, Digital Biology, and others.

This session aims to ignite our students' imagination and develop their sense of what is possible in today's technology.