

Event Schedule for Walton MBA Showcase 2019

Please note that this agenda is subject to changes as we finalize speakers for some sessions

Time	Event	Speakers & Panel
8:00 AM	Meet & Greet- Welcome Address	
8:50 AM	Keynote Speaker	Akshay Kumar , Chief Data Officer, SVP Business Technology at Discover Financial Services
Break Out Sessions (Select one)		
9:50 AM	What's the Skinny on Lean?	Dr. Carol Reeves - Professor & Associate Vice Provost for Entrepreneurship, Walton College
	Managing that Promotion & Pay Raise at the Workplace	<i>To be announced soon!</i>
	Decision Making Under Uncertainty: Working with Ambiguity in an Era of Big Data	Dr. Vikas Anand - MBA Director and Professor, Walton College
Breakout sessions (Select one)		
11:00 AM	Sustainability & the Future <i>(Panel Discussion)</i>	Rob Anson - Director of Business Development, Henkel Sarah Lewis - Sr. Director of Innovation, The Sustainability Consortium Dr. Jon Johnson - Director, The Sustainability Consortium
	Brexit & the Rollback of Globalization: What to Expect & What to Plan For ?	Dr. Raja Kali , Chair of Economics Department & Professor, Walton College
	Technology, Healthcare, & the Future	Dr. Curtis Lowery , Obstetrics & Gynecology Chairperson, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, Little Rock
1:00 PM	Awards Ceremony	
Break out Sessions (Select one)		
1:30 PM	Tech Powered: Imagine the Future <i>(Panel Discussion)</i>	Angelo Welihindha - Head of GTM for Hardware, Google Bill Akins - Chief of Staff/Director, Data Planning and Communication, Walmart Labs Dr. Mary Lacity - Director of Blockchain Center of Excellence, University of Arkansas
	Training Our Brain: Insights from Neuroplasticity	Dr. Anne O'Leary- Kelly - Senior Associate Dean Professor, Walton College
	Being a Woman in Corporate America	Laura Phillips - Senior Vice President for Global Sustainability for Walmart
Round Table Discussions (Select one)		
2:45 PM	Omnichannel Trends in Retail: Imagine the Future	Rand Waddoups - Senior Director of Omnichannel, Walmart
	Emerging Trends in Logistics: Imagine the Future	Lori Homsher - VP Engineering and Technology, J.B. Hunt Transport
	Being Entrepreneurial in a Tech Powered Future	Andrew Endicott - Co-founder & CFO, Petal
4:15 PM	Local Startup's Showcase & Happy Hour	