Western States Regional Conference, 2020

The following is a preliminary program, please check back for the final schedule.

THURSDAY September 17, 2020

		Virtual Room		
Time(s)	Duration	Mt. Rainier	San Juan	Snoqualmie
8:30 AM - 9:00 AM	30 min	Presenter & Session Chair Orientation	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	Redirect to Mt. Rainier
9:00 AM - 9:15 AM	15 min	Welcome Plenary - Introduction	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	Redirect to Mt. Rainier
9:15 AM - 10:15 AM	60 min	Keynote Speaker: Christi Gau Pagnanelli, Boeing Defense, Space and Security, "Migrating to MBSE on Legacy and New Programs"	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	Redirect to Mt. Rainier
10:15 AM - 10:30 AM	15 min	Break	Break	Break
10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	45 min	Session Chair: Deivya Bansal Applications-35, Comparison of FDA Quality System Regulation and INCOSE Systems Engineering Handbook, Daniel Piraino	Session Chair: Christina Mastrangelo SEPM-5, Hardware-Inclusive DevOps: Applying DevOps Principles & Practices to Cyber-Physical System Engineering, Bryan Smith	Session Chair: V Jhaveri V&V-24, INCOSE's Guide to Verification and Validation: Progress, Context, and Content, Raymond Wolfgang
11:15 AM - 12 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Ken Preston Security-23, Sensitivity Classification of Information Assets Using Machine Learning, Andrew Carson (do not record)	Session Chair: Christina Mastrangelo SEPM-10, Introduction to Uncertainty Quantification and Industrial Challenges, Gavin Jones (do not record)	Session Chair: V Jhaveri V&V-27, Flight Test: The III- regarded Tail-End-Charlie of a Project, Jorg Largent
Noon - 12:15	15 min	Break	Break	Break
12:15 - 1:15 PM	60 min	Keynote Speaker: Eric Williams, TerraPower, "Nuclear Technology	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	Redirect to Mt. Rainier

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		Development with Systems Engineering"		
1:15 PM - 1:30 PM	15 min	Break	Break	Break
1:30 PM - 2:15 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Frank Lacson Applications-20, Complexity of Dynamic Systems in Mining Operations, Michael Do	Session Chair: Christina Mastrangelo SEPM-30, Distributed, Data-centric Collaborative Information Management (DDCIM) for Project Management and SE&I, Jennifer Devolites	Session Chair: Rick Hefner Education-4, Systems Engineering Problem Solving for Undergraduates, Dr. Ron Carson
2:15 PM - 3:00 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Russell Morris Applications-7, Perspectives on the Boeing 737MAX MCAS, Dr. Ron Carson (do not record)	Session Chair: Christina Mastrangelo SEPM-26, Customer Analytics for Service Excellence in Systems Engineering, Dr. Kenneth Preston	Session Chair: Rick Hefner Education-32, The Powerful Advantages of Developing a "Failure Resume", Tim Boyd
3:00 PM - 3:15 PM	15 min	Break	Break	Break
3:15 PM - 4:00 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Frank Lacson Applications-36, Systems Engineering for Small and Medium Nuclear Projects, Jared Harper	Session Chair: Deivya Bansal MBSE-15, Model of Models Methodology, Aleczander Jackson	Session Chair: Rick Hefner Education-33, The Surprising Benefits of Virtualizing Traditional In-Person Training for Complex Engineering Subjects, Tim Boyd, Rick Hefner
4:00 PM - 4:45 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Frank Lacson Applications-3, What to do about global warming: Examining problem and solution alternatives, Dr. Ron Carson	Session Chair: MBSE-11, The Role of Analytics in the Digital Twin, Gavin Jones (do not record)	Session Chair: Rick Hefner Education-34, The Unforseen Impacts of Cognitive Bias, Tim Boyd

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9:15 AM - 10:15 AM	60 min	Keynote Speaker: Peter Brown, Sound Transit, "Engineering America's Most Ambitious Regional Transit Expansion"	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	
10:15 AM - 10:30 AM	15 min	Break	Break	
10:30 AM - 11:15 AM	45 min	Session Chair: Rick Hefner PDC: Applications-13, An Agile-Like Approach to Hardware Development: The Ejectable Data Recorder (EDR) for Orion's Ascent Abort 2 (AA-2) Test Flight, Kristina Rojdev	Session Chair: Christina Mastrangelo Tools-14, ModelCenter MBSE: The Bridge Between Systems Engineering and Multi- Fidelity Analytical Models, Correa & Lies	
11:15 AM - 12 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Rick Hefner PDC: MBSE-2, Using Architecture and MBSE to Develop Validated Requirements, Ron Carson	Session Chair: Christina Mastrangelo Tools-22, How to Realign Engineering Teams for Remote Work with Minimal Disruption, Deric Merino	
Noon - 12:15	15 min	Break	Break	
12:15 - 1:15 PM	60 min	Keynote Speaker: Geoff Austin, UW Medical Chief Operating Officer, "Never Let a Good Crisis Go to Waste: The significant opportunities for healthcare improvement through the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic"	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	
1:15 PM - 1:30 PM	15 min	Break	Break	
1:30 PM - 2:15 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Rick Hefner PDC: MBSE-29, Transitioning Legacy Systems to Model-based Systems Engineering, Paul White	Session Chair: Morgan Nicholson Tools/MBSE-8, Early System V&V Using SysML Simulation, Saulius Pavalkis	
2:15 PM - 3:00 PM 3:00 PM - 3:15 PM	45 min 15 min	Session Chair: Rick Hefner PDC: Applications-6, On Track to Sounder Requirements at Sound Transit - A Light Rail Vehicle case study, Scott & Rubin Break	Session Chair: Deivya Bansal MBSE-9, A Model-Based Approach for System Verification and Validation, Raymond Wolfgang Break	
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3:15 PM - 4:00 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Rick Hefner PDC: Security-25, Systems Engineering and the Insider Threat Problem, Carson & Kaleta (do not record)	Session Chair: Morgan Nicholson MBSE-19, The Future of Performance Design with MBSE: Electric Powertrain Example, Saulius Pavalkis	
4:00 PM - 4:45 PM	45 min	Session Chair: Russell Morris PDC: Education-31, Equipping Tomorrow's Systems Engineering Workforce, Rick Hefner	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	

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7:30 AM - 8:00 AM	30 min	Presenter Orientation	Redirect to Mt. Rainier	
8:00 AM - noon	4 hours	Tutorial-1, Ron Carson, "Correcting Misperceptions of Systems Engineering Practices"	Tutorial-16, Daniel Cobb, "DE/MBSE for Management Training" (do not record)	

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noon - 12:30 PM	30 min	Break	Break	
12:30 PM - 4:30 PM	4 hours	Tutorial-12, Mark Sampson, "Systems Engineering MBSE implementation in your organization"	Tutorial-28, Al Hoheb, "Model-Based Capabilities Assessment Workshop" (2 hours)	