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9:00 AM	Welcome and Opening Remarks Dr. John Lach, Dean, School of Engineering and Applied Science, The George Washington University Dr. Jason Cook, Senior Scientific Technical Manager (SSTM) for Systems Engineering Research, US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center		
9:20 AM	Keynote Ms. Jennifer Swanson, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army for Data, Engineering & Software (DASA(DES)), ASA(ALT)		
10:05 AM	US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center Perspectives Dr. Myron Hohil, SSTM for Artificial Intelligence, Sensors & Collaborative Munitions, US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center		
10:25 AM	Morning Break		
	Room B1220	Room B1270	
10:45 AM	Panel 1 - Certification of Learning-Based Systems Dr. Zoe Szajnfarber**, The George Washington University Dr. Jonathan Barkand, Program Manager for Learning Systems, DAU Dr. Tyler Cody, Virginia Tech MAJ Christine Krueger, The George Washington University Dr. Jason Summers, ARiA	Panel 2 - Application of LLMs to SE Dr. Myron Hohil**, US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center Mr. Amir Abrari, SPEC Innovations Mr. John Crissman, CNA Corporation Dr. Carlo Lipizzi, Stevens Institute of Technology	
11:45 AM	Lunch		
	Track 1 - Trustworthy Al Dr. Val Sitterle**, Georgia Tech Research Institute	Track 2 - Al4SE Dr. Peter Beling**, Virginia Tech	
12:45 PM	Establishing a Measurement Science for Joint Work with Models Dr. Peter Denno*, National Institute of Standards and Technology	Al-Assisted Generation of SysML Models to Accelerate Agile Digital Engineering Mr. Matthew Jones*, Ms. Erin Crabb, Leidos	
1:15 PM	Application of Systems Theoretic Process Analysis (STPA) to the Mission Assurance of Al-Enabled Systems Mr. Robert Crombie*, Mr. Daniel Byrne, The Aerospace Corporation	Requirement Discovery Using Embedded Knowledge Graph with ChatGPT Dr. Nipa Phojanamongkolkij*, Mr. Braxton VanGundy*, Mr. Ramana Polavarapu, Mr. Joshua Bonner, NASA Langley Research Center Dr. Barclay Brown*, Collins Aerospace	
1:45 PM	Application of the Traditional Materiel Release Process to the DoD Ethical Principles of Artificial Intelligence, and Roadmap Mr. Benjamin Werner*, Mr. Benjamin Schumeg, US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center	LLM Based SysML Virtual Assistant Mr. Alexander Demagall*, Mr. Gabe Apanza, Dr. Daniel Selva, Texas A&M University	
2:15 PM	Track Change Break		
2:20 PM	Using Artificial Intelligence to Accelerate Deployment of Learning-Based Systems Dr. Jason Gregory*, US Army DEVCOM Research Laboratory Dr. Satyandra K. Gupta, University of Southern California	Melding Minds and Machines: Harnessing Al Capabilities to Further Model-Based Guided Engineering Ms. Melinda Ong*, Mr. Andrew Gaskins, Booz Allen Hamilton	
2:50 PM	Conformal Prediction for Testing and Evaluation of Intelligent/ML Systems Mr. Paul Horton*, Georgia Tech Research Institute	A Constructed System of Analysis to Enable Automation and Reasoning in Multi-Model Analysis Mr. Daniel Dunbar*, Dr. Mark Blackburn, Dr. Tom Hagedorn, Stevens Institute of Technology	
3:20 PM	Evaluating the Explainability and Interpretability of Al Systems Ms. Alaysha Shearn*, Dr. David Broniatowski, Dr. Armin Vosoughi, The George Washington University Dr. Valerie Reyna, Cornell University	Large Language Model Enabled Generation of Systems Engineering Artifacts Dr. Paul Wach*, Dr. Taylan Topcu, Mr. Mohammed Husain*, Virginia Tech	
3:50 PM	Afternoon Break		
4:20 PM	Keynote Dr. Kimberly Sablon, Principal Director, Trusted Artificial Intelligence and Autonomy, OUSD(R&E)		
5:05 PM	Day 1 Closing Remarks / Agenda Review Day 2 Dr. Peter Beling, Virginia Tech Mr. Al Stanbury, US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center		







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9:00 AM	Welcome from SERC & Keynote Introduction Dr. Dinesh Verma, Executive Director, SERC		
9:15 AM	Keynote - Transforming Lockheed: Committed to Change Mr. Michael "Rabbi" Harasimowicz, Director, Al Innovations, Lockheed Martin		
10:05 AM	SERC Perspectives Dr. Peter Beling, Director, Intelligent Systems Division, Virginia Tech National Security Institute and SERC Research Council Member Dr. Ali Raz, Assistant Professor, George Mason University		
10:25 AM	Morning Break		
10:45 AM	Keynote Panel - Comparing Ethical and Safety Frameworks for Promoting Trust in Al Systems Mr. Andy Lacher**, Chief Technologist for Future Airspace Operations, NASA Langley Research Center Dr. David Broniatowski, Associate Professor of Engineering Management and Systems Engineering, The George Washington University Mr. Chuck Howell, Senior Al Advisor, MITRE Dr. Kim Wasson, Autonomy Certification Lead, Joby Aviation		
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12:45 PM	Track 3 - Human/Al Teaming Dr. Ralph Tillinghast**, US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center	Track 4 – SE4AI Dr. Jason Cook**, US Army DEVCOM Armaments Center	
	Is the Machine a Partner or a Tool? A Major Issue of Human-Al Teaming Dr. Guy Boy*, Paris Saclay University (CentraleSupélec) & ESTIA Institute of Technology	Hiring Trained Animals: Generative Al Patterns and Practices for Systems Engineering Dr. Barclay Brown*, Collins Aerospace	
1:15 PM	What is Human in the Loop, Really? Mr. Aditya Singh*, Dr. Zoe Szajnfarber, The George Washington University	Systems' Perspectives for Al Acceleration in Large Enterprises and Government Agencies Dr. Jyotirmay Gadewadikar*, Mr. Jim Lockett*, Mr. Jeremy Marshall, MITRE	
1:45 PM	Track Change Break		
1:50 PM	Managing the Continuity of Human Biases in Al SE Applications Dr. Steven Conrad*, Colorado State University Ms. Heidi Perry, MIT Lincoln Laboratory	Test and Evaluation (T&E) of Complex AI-Enabled Systems (AIES) Dr. Flo Reeder*, Ms. Elena Charnetzki, MITRE	
2:20 PM	Opportunities and Risks of Incorporating LLMs in the Systems Engineering and Design Workflow: A Case Study of Robotic System Design Process Dr. Zoe Szajnfarber*, Mr. Oladele (Richard) Adeyeye, Dr. Robert Pless, The George Washington University	Systems Engineering Processes to Test Al Right (SEPTAR) Ms. Carol Pomales*, Dr. Flo Reeder, Dr. Carlos Balhana Mr. Jim Lockett, Ms. Ivy Chen, MITRE	
2:50 PM	Afternoon Break		
3:20 PM	The Need to Update Design and Certification Performance Standards for Operator Intervention of Autonomous Systems Dr. Lance Sherry*, Dr. George Donohue, Ms. Jomana Bashata, George Mason University	A Systems Engineering Perspective on Safety of Al-based systems Mr. Reginald Holmes*, Dr. Hanumanthrao "Rao" Kannan, University of Alabama in Huntsville	
3:50 PM	Mission Engineering in Healthcare and What We Can Apply to the Military Mr. Richard Threlkeld*, Dr. Cihan Dagli, Missouri University of Science and Technology	Simulating the Tradespace with Synthetic Data Dr. Cameron Turner*, Clemson University Dr. Matthew Castanier, Dr. David Gorsich, Dr. Greg Hartman, US Army Ground Vehicle Systems Center	
4:20 PM	Closing Remarks Dr. Zoe Szajnfarber, The George Washington University		

