



SingularityU Germany
Summit

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Preliminary Program
4.-5. June 2018

Overview

DAY 1, MONDAY 04.06.2018		DAY 2, TUESDAY 05.06.2018		
08.00-09.00	Registration + Breakfast	08.00-09.00	Registration + Breakfast	
09.00-09.15	Welcome / Pascal Finette, Singularity University	09.00-09.15	Welcome + Review day 1 / Stephan Balzer, Founder and Director of SingularityUGermany Summit	
09.15-10.00	The Exponential Thinker's Guide to Tomorrow / Jeffrey Rogers, Singularity University	09.15-10.00	From WeChat to Bitcoin: Why we need Decentralized Technology / Alex Gladstein, Human Rights Foundation, Singularity University	
10.00-10.45	Leadership in the Age of Disruption / Rob Nail, CEO & Associate Founder, Singularity University	10.00-10.45	Blockchain: How does data storage work in a typical application? / Myle Krantz, Zingr	
10.45-11.30	Coffee Break - 45 Minutes	10.45-11.10	Coffee Break 35 Minutes	
11.30-12.20	Exponential AI & Robotics / Neil Jacobstein, Singularity University	Deep-Dive Sessions	Learn how you can apply your skills and talents to the struggle for human rights and freedom / Alex Gladstein, Human Rights Foundation, Singularity University	
12.20-13.05	The Experience Machine: The Worlds of Augmented and Virtual Reality / Aaron Frank, Singularity University		Reboot + decode your office – Transformation into a powerful place / Raphael Gielgen & Pierjo Kiefer, Vitra	
13.05-14.15	Lunch Break - 70 Minutes		e-residency: Your digital Gateway / Joel Burke, Estonian e-residency	
14.15-14.25	Performance		11.10-11.55	10 Years vs 170 Years in Business – Does it matter in today's tech world? / IDA Ireland: Dr. Reiner Kraft, Zalando + Andrew Whytock, Siemens AG
14.30-15.15	From imagination to innovation: Becoming a hyper-relevant "Living Business" / Omar Abbosh, Chief Strategy Officer, Accenture			Exponential Technology and Business, "Made in Germany" / Aleksandar Stojanovic, AVA & Marius Pigulla, DB
Deep-Dive Sessions	Reboot + decode your office – Transformation into a powerful place / Raphael Gielgen & Pierjo Kiefer, Vitra		Augmenting Our World: Discussion & Q/A on AR/VR / Aaron Frank, Singularity University	
	e-residency: Your digital Gateway / Joel Burke, Estonian e-residency	11.55-12.40	OFFTIME: Exhibition + Networking	
	Social Impact with Exponential Technologies / Bernhard Kowatsch, World Food Program	12.40-14.00	Lunch Break - 80 Minutes	
	How to accelerate your company at times of technological change / Jenny Podewils, Leapsome + Florian Klages, Axel Springer SE + Hannah Scherkamp, Gründerszene	14.00-14:45	Economics: The business model of the (near) future / Amin Toufani, Singularity University	
15.25-16.10	How to make your company ready for the future / Stefanie Unger, The Agency + Stephan Balzer, Managing Director SingularityU Germany Summit	14:45-15:30	Future of Mobility / Carlo van der Weijer, SingularityU Netherlands	
	AI in Business. AI as a Business / Anastassia Lauterbach Interview with Aleksandar Stojanovic, AVA	15.30-16:05	Coffee Break - 35 Minutes	
16.10-16.40	Coffee Break - 30 Minutes	16:05-16:30	Performance	
16.40-17.30	The global game of Cybersecurity / Jaya Baloo, CISO of KPN, Telecom Netherlands, Singularity University	16:30-17:15	Manufacturing Agility / Andre Wegner, Authentise	
17.30-18.15	The transformational power of Mission to the Moon / Hannes Ametsreiter, CEO Vodafone Deutschland	17:15-18:00	Exponential Organizations / Pascal Finette, Singularity University	
18.15-18.30	Summary / Pascal Finette	18:00-18.15	Summary of SUGS2018	
18.30-21.00	Dinner, Drinks & Networking			

PROGRAM DAY 1 | 4. JUNE 2018

9:00 WELCOME REMARKS



Pascal Finette
Chair Entrepreneurship, Singularity University

Welcome

9:15 SESSION 1



Jeffrey Rogers
Staff Director of Faculty Development, Singularity University

Talk: The Exponential Thinker's Guide to Tomorrow

10:00 SESSION 2



Rob Nail
CEO & Associate Founder of Singularity University

Talk: Leadership in the Age of Disruption

10:45 COFFEE BREAK

11:30 SESSION 3



Neil Jacobstein
Chair of the Artificial Intelligence & Robotics Track,
Singularity University

Talk: Exponential AI & Robotics

12:20 SESSION 4



Aaron Frank
Principal Faculty, focused on intersection of emerging
technologies & accelerating change, Singularity
University

*Talk: The Experience Machine: The Worlds of Augmented
and Virtual Reality*

13:05 LUNCH

14:15 PERFORMANCE

14:30 SESSION 5



Omar Abbosh
Chief Strategy Officer, Accenture

*Talk: From imagination to innovation: Becoming a hyper-
relevant "Living Business"*

16:40 SESSION 6



Jaya Baloo
CISO of KPN, Telecom Netherlands
Singularity University

Talk: The global game of Cybersecurity

17:30 SESSION 7



Hannes Ametsreiter
CEO Vodafone Deutschland

Talk: The transformational power of Mission to the Moon

18:15 Summary

18:30 Dinner, Drinks & Networking

DEEP DIVE DAY 1 | 4. JUNE 2018

15:25 SESSION 1



Raphael Gielgen
Head of Research & Trendscouting, Vitra



Pierjo Kiefer
Head of interior design services, Vitra

Talk + interactive VR Booth: Reboot + decode your office – Transformation into a powerful place

15:25 SESSION 2



Joel Burke
Head of Business Development, Estonian e-Residency Program

Talk: e-residency: Your digital Gateway

15:25 SESSION 3



Jenny von Podewils
Co-Founder, HR tech startup Leapsome



Florian Klages
Head of Corporate HR, Axel Springer SE



Hannah Scherkamp
Editor, Gründerszene

Panel Discussion: How to accelerate your company at times of technological change

15:25 SESSION 4



Anastassia Lauterbach
CEO and Founder 1AU-Ventures
NED Dun&Bradstreet and Wirecard AG
Chairwoman of the Board Censhare AG
Senior Advisor McKinsey & Company



Aleksandar Stojanovic
Co-Founder, AVA

Talk + Interview: AI in Business. AI as a Business

15:25 SESSION 5



Stefanie Unger
CEO, the Agency



Stephan Balzer
Founder and Director of SingularityUGermany Summit

Talk: How to make your company ready for the future

15:25 SESSION 6



Bernhard Kowatsch
Head of Innovation Accelerator, United Nations World Food Program (WFP)

Talk: Social Impact with Exponential Technologies

16:10 COFFEE BREAK

PROGRAM DAY 2 | 5. JUNE 2018

9:00 WELCOME REMARKS



Stephan Balzer
Founder and Director of SingularityUGermany Summit

Welcome and Review of Day 1

9:15 SESSION 8



Alex Gladstein
Chief Strategy Officer, Human Rights Foundation
Singularity University

*Talk: From WeChat to Bitcoin: Why we need
Decentralized Technology*

10:00 SESSION 9



Myrle Krantz
Vice President, Apache Software Foundation
CTO, Zingr

*Talk: Blockchain: How does data storage work in a
typical application?*

10:45 COFFEE BREAK

14:00 SESSION 10



Amin Toufani
Chair of Finance & Economy, Singularity University
CEO, T Labs

*Talk: Economics: The Business Models of the (Near)
Future*

14:45 SESSION 11



Carlo van de Weijer
Director of the Strategic Area Smart Mobility, Eindhoven
University of Technology, SingularityU Netherlands

Talk: Future of Mobility

15:30 COFFEE BREAK

16:05 PERFORMANCE

16:30 SESSION 12



Andre Wegner
Founder & CEO, Authentise
Chair Digital Manufacturing, Singularity University

Talk: Manufacturing Agility

17:15 SESSION 13



Pascal Finette
Chair Entrepreneurship, Singularity University

Talk: Exponential Organizations

18:00 SUMMARY

DEEP DIVE DAY 2 | 5. JUNE 2018

11:10 SESSION 1



Raphael Gielgen
Head of Research & Trendscouting, Vitra



Pierjo Kiefer
Head of interior design services, Vitra

Talk + interactive VR Booth: Reboot + decode your office – Transformation into a powerful place

11:10 SESSION 2



Joel Burke
Head of Business Development, Estonian e-Residency Program

Talk: e-Residency: Your Digital Gateway

11:10 SESSION 3



Aleksandar Stojanovic
Co-Founder, AVA



Marius Pigulla
Head of Beyond1435 Open Innovation, Deutsche Bahn

Talk: Exponential Technology and Business, "Made in Germany"

11:10 SESSION 4



Alex Gladstein
Chief Strategy Officer, Human Rights Foundation
Singularity University

Talk: Learn how you can apply your skills and talents to the struggle for human rights and freedom

11:10 SESSION 5 sponsored by IDA Ireland



Dr. Reiner Kraft
VP Engineering, Zalando



Andrew Whytock
Head of Digitalization and Innovation Pharmaceutical Sector at Siemens AG

Talk hosted by IDA Ireland: 10 Years vs 170 Years in Business – Does it matter in today's tech world?

11:10 SESSION 6



Aaron Frank
Principal Faculty, focused on intersection of emerging technologies & accelerating change, Singularity University

Talk: Augmenting Our World: Discussion & Q/A on AR/VR

11:55 OFFTIME EXHIBITION TIME

12:40 LUNCH