

Program Schedule



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Day 1: October 14, 2019	
8:30am	Alessandra Aloisi , Welcome to STScI
8:45am	Dara Norman , [pptx], Importance of Participating in the Decadal Process: How to be Heard
9:15am	Enrico Ramirez-Ruiz , Overview of the Astro2020 APC Process, State of the Profession Review
9:30am	Ivelina Momcheva , Long-term Trends in the Astronomical Workforce
10:00am	Break
10:30am	Nicolle Zellner , the CSWA White Papers
11:00am	Karen Knierman , Accessible Astronomy: Highlights from the Astro2020 APC White Paper on the Status and Retention of Astronomers with Disabilities.
11:30am	Lunch
1:00pm	Bryan Mendez , Full Spectrum
1:30pm	Jane Rigby , LGBTQIA+ inclusion in astronomy: a status report
2:00pm	Lyndele von Schill and Jessica Harris , A Model Policy for Supporting Gender Transition in the Workplace
2:30pm	Kristin Shahady , Creating Space Generation Advisory Council (SGAC) Forums to Engage Young Professionals and Graduate Students into AAS for Future Space Science Policy
3:00pm	Break
3:30pm	Aparna Venkatesan , [PDF], Collaboration with Integrity: Indigenous Knowledge in 21st Century Astronomy
4:00pm	Jason Nordhaus , Removing Barriers for Deaf Participation in Astronomy
4:30pm	Ellen Bechtol , The Multimessenger Diversity Network: Creating diverse and inclusive science collaborations
5:00pm	Daniella Bardalez Gagliuffi , Training Teachers in rural areas in Peru
5:30pm	End of Day 1
7:00pm	Dinner at R House, Baltimore, MD

Day 2: October 15, 2019	
8:00am	Brandon Hilliard , The Value of Minority-Specific Fellowship Programs in Astronomy
8:30am	Laura Lopez , Demographic Effects of Removing the Physics GRE Requirement for Graduate Admission
9:00am	Marcel Agüeros, Angela Speck, and Rachel Ivie , The AAS Task Force on Diversity and Inclusion in Astronomy Graduate Education
9:15am	Panel on Undergraduate Education and Bridge-to-masters/phd programs, Amy Steele, Joseph Ribaud, Marcel Agüeros, and Angela Speck
10:00am	Break
10:30am	Kelle Cruz , Lessons from Astropy Code of Conduct
11:00am	Garry Foran , The Power of Listening to your Data: Opening doors and enhancing discovery using sonification
11:30am	Lunch
1:00pm	Noreen Grice , Touch the Stars, Touch the Universe: Reflections on Making Astronomy Accessible to Blind and Visually Impaired Learners
1:30pm	Mia Bovill , Universal Design for Neurodiversity
2:00pm	Adam Burgasser , Baltimore recommendations; Framing the discussion for renewing the Nashville recommendations
3:30pm	End of Day 2
4:00-7:00pm	Workshop: Making Inclusive Workspaces