Innovation in Science, Law and Society

Squaw Valley Conference

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PlumpJack Squaw Valley Inn, Olympic Valley, California
This year’s conference will focus again on the subject of innovation and growth across different ecosystems. We will augment our focus with talks on the latest developments in our core subject areas of behavioral biology, economics, law, and technology, exploring the state of play and cutting edge developments in these and related fields. Our participants are leaders in thought and action across many disciplines. By mixing you together in a structure of intellectual and interpersonal exchange, we hope to break down disciplinary barriers and foster innovation in ideas for both academic and field application.

Sunday, May 20th: Afternoon: Arrival

6:00 Reception and Dinner – Valley Room

Monday, May 21st:

Morning Chair: Rebecca Purdom

7:30 Breakfast – Mountain Room

9:00-9:15 Welcome/Opening Remarks
Monika Gruter Cheney, Oliver Goodenough, Andrew Torrance

9:15-10:15 Behavioral Biology - State of Play
Michael Alfaro, Alexander Stewart

10:15-10:30 Break

10:30-11:30 Cool Economics - State of Play
Kevin McCabe, Bart Wilson

11:30-12:30 High Impact New Technologies - State of Play
Bill Casebeer, Dorothy Glancy

12:30-1:30 Lunch – Valley Room

Afternoon Chair: Brian Mannix

1:30-2:30 Money, Currency & Growth – State of Play
Amar Bhide, Gordon Getty, Oliver Goodenough

2:30-2:45 Break

2:45-3:45 Legal Institutions – State of Play
Andrew Torrance, Susan Dudley

4:00 Hikes

6:30 Dinner – Valley Room
Keynote Speaker – Lydia Hopper
Tuesday, May 22nd:

Morning Chair: Monika Cheney

7:30  Breakfast – Mountain Room

8:30-12:00  Human Behavior and Leadership

*Insights from Behavioral Science About Leaders in Business, Politics, and Innovation: Styles (High Mach/Negative Leadership, Low Mach/Positive Leadership), Success Metrics, History*
Bill Casebeer, Kevin McCabe, Anula Jayasuriya, Sam Arbesman

*Insights from Behavioral Science about Male and Female Leadership: Styles and Representation Across Domains*
Lydia Hopper, Isabel Behncke, Bobbi Low

*Insights from Behavioral Science on Gender Differences in Physiological and Behavioral Responses to Performative Stress*
Stacey Doan

10:45-11:00  Break (will continue session throughout)

*Insights from Behavioral Science about Organizational Design and Reward Mechanisms*
Rebecca Purdom

*Relevance of these Insights for Firms/Employers/Employees and those Who Govern/Are Governed*
Fred Dotzler, Anula Jayasuriya, Siri Terjesen

12:00-1:00  Lunch – Valley Room

Afternoon Chair: Michele Goodwin

1:00-2:30  The Future of Work and Play
Alex Soojung-Kim Pang, Isabel Behncke, Tamás David-Barrett, Joon Yun

2:30-2:45  Break

2:45-4:30  The Evolution of Regulation and its Impact on Innovation
Susan Dudley, Andy Morriss, Siri Terjesen, Brian Mannix

4:30  Hikes

6:30  Dinner – Valley Room (Includes Contests of Festivity)

Wednesday, May 23rd:

Morning Chair: Susan Dudley

7:30  Breakfast – PlumpJack Bar

9:00-11:00  Law in a Technological Age: Embedding Law in Technology
Michele Goodwin, Antonio Maia, John Chisholm, Amadeo Santosuosso, Kelly Jo MacArthur, Alexis Chun, Peter Winn

11:00-11:15  Break (will continue session throughout)

11:00-12:30  Innovation and Regulation in Cryptocurrencies and Blockchain
Mark Flood, Oliver Goodenough, Tony Lai, Katelyn Sills

12:30-1:30  Lunch – Valley Room
Afternoon Chair: Bill Casebeer


2:30-2:45  Break

2:45-4:00  Computational Approaches to Science and Law
Oliver Goodenough, Meng Wong, Carl Simon, Kevin McCabe, Alexander Stewart

4:00  Hikes

6:30  Dinner – Valley Room

Thursday, May 24th:

Morning Chair: Oliver Goodenough

7:30  Breakfast – PlumpJack Bar

9:00-10:30  Panel: Nurture/Nature – Looking back at the debates and forward
Moderator: Monika Cheney
Panel: Isabel Behncke, Tamás David-Barrett, Michele Goodwin

10:30-10:45  Break

10:45-11:15  New Research Pitches/Call for Collaboration

11:15-12:15  Gruter Institute Project Reports: Conference Debrief: What’s Next?

12:15  Boxed lunches and Departure
CONERENCE PARTICIPANTS

Michael Alfaro – Professor, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, UCLA
Sam Arbesman – Scientist in Residence, Lux Capital
Isabel Behncke – Cognitive and Evolutionary Anthropology, Oxford University
Amar Bhide – The Fletcher School, Tufts University
William Casebeer – Research Area Manager, Human Systems Optimization, Lockheed Martin
Monika Gruter Cheney – Executive Director, Gruter Institute for Law and Behavioral Research
John Chisholm – Software Entrepreneur, Angel Investor, Author; Corporation (Board) Member MIT; Board Member Santa Fe Institute
Alexis Chun – Co-founder Legalese.com
Tamás David-Barrett – Department of Experimental Psychology, University of Oxford
Stacey Doan – Professor of Psychology, Claremont McKenna College; Director of Berger Institute for Work, Family and Children
Fred Dotzler – Co-founder, De Novo Venture Capital
Susan Dudley – Director, The George Washington University Regulatory Studies Center
Mark Flood – ProBanker Simulations
Gordon Getty – Economics and Business, San Francisco
David Gilmour – Managing Director, Blyth Capital Partners LLC
Dorothy Glancy – Professor, Santa Clara Law
Oliver Goodenough – Professor, Vermont Law School
Michele Bratcher Goodwin – Professor University of California, Irvine School of Law
Lydia Hopper – Lester E. Fisher Center for the Study & Conservation of Apes, Lincoln Park Zoo, Chicago
Anula Jayasuriya – Founder and Managing Director, EXXclaim Capital
Tony Lai – Co-Founder, Legal IO
Bobbi Low – School of Natural Resources & Environment, University of Michigan
Kelly Jo MacArthur – VP Real Estate, Physical Stores at Amazon.com
Antonio Maia – Founder Tikal Tech
Kevin McCabe – Professor, Center for the Study of Neuroeconomics, George Mason University
Brian Mannix – Research Professor, The George Washington University Regulatory Studies Center
Andrew P. Morriss – Professor, Texas A&M University School of Law
Gerry Ohrstrom – Gruter Institute Board of Directors; Private Investor
Alex Soojung-Kim Pang – Author of Rest: Why You Get More Done When You Work Less
Simon Patmore-Zarcone – BA candidate Economics and Philosophy, St. Olaf College
Rebecca Purdom – Fellow with Peripheral Vision International
Amedeo Santosuosso – Professor, University of Pavia, Department of Law; Judge at the Court of Appeal, Milan
Katelyn Sills – Board Member, Tezos Common Foundation
Carl Simon – Mathematics, Economics, Public Policy, University of Michigan
Alexander Stewart – Royal Society University Research Fellow, Dept. of Genetics, Evolution and the Environment, University College London
Siri Terjesen – Dean’s Faculty Fellow in Entrepreneurship and Director, AU Ctr for Innovation Department of Management
Andrew Torrance – Professor, University of Kansas School of Law; Research Associate, Biodiversity Institute; Visiting Scholar in Behavioral and Policy Sciences, MIT Sloan School of Management
Bart Wilson – Professor, Chapman University, Dale E. Fowler School of Law and The George L. Argyros School of Business and Economics
Peter Winn – Chief Privacy and Civil Liberties Officer (Acting) U.S. Department of Justice
Meng Wong – Co-founder Legalese.com
Joon Yun – Managing Partner, Palo Alto Investors