

**2019 OREGON CONNECTIONS TELECOMMUNICATIONS CONFERENCE**  
**“Oregon Connections: Smart Communities”**

DATES: Thursday and Friday, October 24 and 25, 2019

TIMES: Thursday, 8:00 AM to 7:00 PM, and Friday 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

**Thursday, October 24**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Presenters</b>
8:00 – 8:45	<b>Registration, Continental Breakfast</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i>	
8:45 – 9:00	<b>Welcome and Introductions –</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i> <b>Joe Franell – Oregon Broadband Advisory Council</b>	
9:00 – 10:15	<b>Keynote Presentation</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i>	<b>Jean Rice – National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA)</b>
10:15 – 10:30	<b>Break / Room Transition</b>	
10:30 – 11:45	<b>General Session Panel #1</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Smart Communities</i></li> </ul> <p><i>Description</i>  <i>Issues, strategies, applications, and enabling technologies</i></p>	<u>Moderator:</u> <b>Jim Teece – Project A</b>  <u>Panelists:</u> <b>Jean Rice</b> <b>Hector Dominquez – City of Portland</b> <b>Steve Corbato – Oregon Fiber Partnership</b> <b>Eric Brown – California Telehealth Network</b> <b>Adam Hanks – City of Ashland</b> <b>Jim McCauley – League of Oregon Cities</b>
11:45 – 12:00	<b>Break / Room Transition</b>	
12:00 – 1:20	<b>Oregon Connections Awards Luncheon</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i> <b>Sponsored by</b> <b>Wave Business</b>	

1:20 – 1:45	<b>Break / Room Transition:</b>	
1:45 – 3:15	<p><b>Session – Developing technologies and “eco-systems”</b></p> <p><i>Session Description: Enabling technologies</i></p> <p><i>Cosmos I Room</i></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> <b>Kathleen Murphy - Ciena</b></p> <p><u>Panelists:</u>  <b>Jason Koenders – Ciena</b>  <b>Nathan Coppola – Graybar</b>  <b>Jeff Chavez – NOKIA</b>  <b>Paul Nolin – Calix</b></p>	<p><b>Session – Smart Solutions for Rural Cities</b></p> <p><i>Session Description: Smart City applications and rural community initiatives</i></p> <p><i>Cosmos II Room</i></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> <b>Adrian Pearmine – DKS Associates</b></p> <p><u>Panelists:</u>  <b>Sean Irvine – City of Independence</b>  <b>Scott Bolton – PacifiCorp (Smart Grid)</b>  <b>Jeff Petry – City of Eugene</b></p>
3:15 – 3:30	<b>Break / Room Transition</b>	
3:30 – 5:00	<p><b>Session – Digital Impacts</b></p> <p><i>Session Description: A discussion of the potential negative impacts of technology</i></p> <p><i>Cosmos I Room</i></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> <b>Duke Dexter – Clackamas County</b></p> <p><u>Panelists:</u>  <b>Leslie Golden – Instill Security (Data Breach Recovery)</b>  <b>Glen Scymanski – Adtran (Privacy)</b>  <b>Brian McLean – Fortinet (Security)</b></p>	<p><b>Session – Community Digital Needs and Readiness Assessment</b></p> <p><i>Session Description: A process to help communities assess their digital needs and readiness to develop projects, and where to go for data</i></p> <p><i>Cosmos II Room</i></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> <b>Adam Haas– Converge Communications</b></p> <p><u>Panelists:</u>  <b>Michael Curri – Strategic Networks Group</b>  <b>Karen Perry – National Telecommunications and Information Administration</b></p>
5:20 – 7:00	<p><b>Exhibitor Fair and Reception</b>  <i>Grand Ballroom</i>  <b>Sponsored by Hunter Communications, Fortinet and LS Networks</b></p>	

## Friday, October 25

Time	Activity	Presenters
7:30 – 8:30	<b>Registration, Breakfast Buffet, Exhibitors' Tables</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i>	
8:30 – 9:30	<b>General Session #2 Keynote Speaker</b> <i>Grand Ballroom Empowering Innovation</i>	<b>Trever Yarrish – ZEAL</b>
9:30 – 9:45	<b>Next session setup</b>	
9:45 – 10:55	<b>General Session Panel #3</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Futures</i></li> <li>• <i>Fiber</i></li> <li>• <i>5G</i></li> <li>• <i>Virtual and Augmented Reality</i></li> </ul>	<u>Moderator:</u> <b>Priscilla Oppenheimer - Southern Oregon University</b>  <u>Panelists:</u> <b>J.F. Klein – Corning Optical Communications</b>  <b>Rick Woidyla – Verizon</b>  <b>John Webber – Novus Labs (Virtual and Augmented Reality)</b>
10:55 – 11:25	<b>Next panel setup</b>	
11:25 – 12:25	<b>General Session Panel #4</b> <i>Grand Ballroom</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Public Policy</i></li> </ul>	<u>Moderator:</u> <b>Brendan Finn – Office of the Governor</b>  <u>Panelists:</u> <b>Pam Marsh – Oregon House of Representatives</b>  <b>Arnie Roblan – Oregon State Senate</b>  <b>Chris Tamarin – Oregon Broadband Office</b>
12:25 – 12:45	<b>General Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Open Comments</i></li> </ul>	<u>Moderator:</u> <b>Joe Franell</b>  <b>Conference Attendees</b>
12:45 – 1:00	<b>Conference Wrap-up (and Prize Drawing)</b>	
1:00	<b>Adjourn</b>	

**As of 9/5/19**

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