

MIT Shaping the Future of Work Initiative Launch Event

January 22, 2024

AGENDA

Opening remarks

Time:	2:00-2:15 PM EST
Speaker:	Daron Acemoglu , <i>Institute Professor, MIT; Faculty Co-Director, MIT Shaping the Future of Work Initiative</i>

Panel 1: The role of worker representatives in the direction of technology

Time:	2:15-3:15 PM EST
Panelists:	Katherine Cramer , <i>Natalie C. Holton Chair of Letters & Science and Virginia Sapiro Professor of Political Science at the University of Wisconsin-Madison</i> Liz Shuler , <i>AFL-CIO President</i> Kathleen Thelen , <i>Ford Professor of Political Science, MIT</i>
Chair:	E. Glen Weyl , <i>Research Lead, Plural Technology Collaboratory, Special Projects, Microsoft Research</i>

Panel 2: Shaping technology for social good

Time:	3:30-4:30 PM EST
Panelists:	Brian Deese , <i>MIT Institute Innovation Fellow</i> Daniel Huttenlocher , <i>Dean, Schwarzman College of Computing, MIT</i> Frank McCourt , <i>Founder and Executive Chairman, Project Liberty</i> Ziad Obermeyer , <i>Associate Professor, Blue Cross of California Distinguished Professor, UC Berkeley</i>
Chair:	Sally Kornbluth , <i>President, MIT</i>

Panel 3: What type of work do we want in the future?

Time:	4:45-5:45 PM EST
Panelists:	Karin Kimbrough , <i>Chief Economist, LinkedIn</i> Nick Romeo , <i>UC Berkeley, Graduate School of Journalism, and the New Yorker magazine</i> Zeynep Ton , <i>Professor of the Practice, MIT Sloan</i>
Chair:	Elisabeth Reynolds , <i>Lecturer, MIT Department of Urban Studies and Planning</i>

Closing remarks: Plans for the MIT Shaping the Future of Work Initiative

Time:	5:45-6:00 PM EST
Speaker:	Simon Johnson , <i>Ronald A. Kurtz (1954) Professor of Entrepreneurship, MIT Sloan School of Management; Faculty Co-Director, MIT Shaping the Future of Work Initiative</i>