



DATA SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

Speaker Submission FAQs

What are the speaking formats?

This conference includes two types of speaking formats:

- **General Sessions:** Speakers will share insights and experiences on research, cases studies and trends related to the industry's most important topics. Each session consists of 20-30 minutes, which includes 5-10 minutes of Q&A. All general sessions are noncommercial. Speakers will not solicit any business or promote business during their session. (commercial sessions will be considered as sponsor talk, which requires additional fee). General session presenters must **submit the speaker application form including 150-250 words of description about the subject.**
- **Panel:** Panelists will be part of a panel consisting of 3 – 5 other participants. Conference producer will organize and facilitate introductions between participating speakers. Time for the panel is around 45-60 minutes, including 10-15 minutes of Q&A. **Moderator of panel must submit the main topic of the session and key questions to be asked.** All panel sessions are noncommercial. Presenter(s) will not solicit any business or promote business during their session.

Who speaks at the Conference? Data Scientists from industry leading companies, governments and startups make up the majority of the presenters at our past events. Each conference features speakers covering all areas of the data science spectrum, including data science application, machine Learning, deep learning, artificial intelligence, open-source software, predictive analytics and much more.

[Click here](#) to see past event's videos.

Who attends the Conference? Practitioners and young professionals account for most of the audience, with additional attendees audience made up of consultant, entrepreneur, Master's students and other education attendees. Most of their goal is to broaden their horizon and gain innovative insights while expanding career networks in the Data Science arena.

Is there a fee to submit to speak? No, there is no fee to submit to speak. However, any companies promoting products and services to our audience may be required to fund their speaking opportunity as part of sponsorship.

Does the conference cover speaker travel and expenses? Speakers are required to pay for their expenses traveling to and from the event. But we do offer meals as well as providing 5 free conference tickets for inviting colleagues and friends.