

# ENVISION CONFERENCE

DECEMBER 1 - 3, 2017



## Day 1:

- 1:00 – 3:00: Registration in Jadwin Atrium
- 3:15 – 4:30: Opening Ceremony in Taylor Auditorium  
Opening Speaker: Joe Davis
- 4:30 – 6:00: Orientations in Frick
- 6:00 – 7:30: Dinner & Post-Dinner Networking in Frist MPR
- 6:00 – 7:30: Speaker Reception in Carl A. Fields Center MPR
- 7:30 – 8:30: Envision Entrepreneurship in Taylor Auditorium

## Day 2:

- 8:30 – 9:15: Breakfast in Frick Atrium
- 9:15 – 11:00: A Brave New World and Existential Risk Talks in Taylor Auditorium**
  - Section 1: A brave new world**
    - Neil Harbisson – Cyborgism
    - Stephen Frey – Neural enhancement
    - Kate Adamala – Synthetic biology
    - Peter Turchin & Questions – Ages of discord
  - Section 2: Existential Risk**
    - Anders Sandberg – Concrete existential risk reduction today
- 11:00 – 1:00: Future Tech Expo in Frick Atrium
- 12:15 – 1:00: Lunch in Frick Atrium
- 1:00 – 2:50: Government and Action Talks in Taylor Auditorium**
  - Section 3: Action**
    - Simon Levin - Insights from ecology on cooperation
    - Shahram Hejazi - Building a start-up in a high-tech ecosystem
    - Robin Hanson - Elephant in the brain
- 2:50 – 3:10: Coffee Break in Frick Atrium
- 3:30 – 5:00: Workshops in Frick
- 5:00 – 6:00: Networking and Speaker Office Hours in Frick
- 6:00 – 7:30: Dinner with Speakers and Princeton Professors in Frick Atrium
- 7:30 – 8:30: Debate: Is space development economically feasible? in Taylor Auditorium**
  - Section 4: Expansion into space**
    - Peter Stibrany – Expansion of the human presence in space
    - Debate with Robin Hanson

## Day 3:

- 8:30 – 9:30: Breakfast in Frick Atrium
- 9:30 – 11:00: Artificial Intelligence: What next? (talks and panel) in Taylor Auditorium**
  - Section 5: Artificial Intelligence**
    - Katja Grace
    - Joanna Bryson – The real existential threat of AI
    - Francesca Rossi – AI: Where next?
- 11:15 – 12:30: Reorientations in Frick
- 12:30 – 1:30: Closing Ceremony in Taylor Auditorium  
Closing Speaker: Anders Sandberg