



## Silicon Harlem Next Gen Virtual Tech Summit October 22, 2021

This year's theme is "**BEYOND CONNECTED**." This year, we are focusing on how the intersection of technology, innovation, and how new opportunities can improve the quality of life for all. This Summit will help serve as a catalyst to galvanize communities and restructure our future.

On October 22nd, we are going to come together, online to interact with a number of the leading thinkers/doers who are attempting to usher in a world where equity, fairness and technological advancement becomes the next normal.

### AGENDA

All times are Eastern Standard Time USA  
(subject to change)

#### Agenda (as of Oct 20, 2020)

8:25 - 8:35	Session	Waiting room opens
8:35 - 8:40	Session	<b>Welcome / Summit Purpose</b>
8:40 – 8:45	Speaker	Amanda Rodriguez, Boston College Student
8:45 – 8:50	Speaker	Clayton Banks, Silicon Harlem
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8:50 - 8:55	Session	<b>Beyond Connected</b>
	Speaker	Vint Cerf, "Father of the Internet"
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8:55 - 9:30	Speaker	<b>One-on-One With Heather Dowdy &amp; Clayton Banks</b>
		Reimagining the Future with AI Accessibility across the disabled community, mental health, and education once we are all connected.
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9:30 – 10:05	Speaker	<b>One-on-One with John Paul Farmer &amp; Clayton Banks</b>
		<b>John Paul Farmer - CTO for the City of New York</b> will discuss his work on the IoT and AI Strategies, as well as the Internet Master Plan, and NYC[x] Innovation Fellows.





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10:05 – 10:15 Session **New York Government Officials on Beyond Connected**  
Mostly unsung, these tireless public officials strive on our behalf to ensure equality and opportunity. Their goal: Universal Digital Inclusion for All.

Speakers Adriano Espaillat, US House Representative  
Hon. Hakeem Jeffries  
Mark Levine  
Yvette Clark  
Eric Adams

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10:15 - 10:55 Session **The Future of Public Housing**

Speakers One-on-One with NYCHA CEO Greg Russ & Clayton Banks

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## BREAK

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11:00 - 12:00 **Panel Ethical Issues in Artificial Intelligence Technologies**  
Just because we CAN, does it mean we SHOULD?

Speakers Renee Cummings  
Greg Epstein  
David Ryan Polgar  
Moderator Ken Granderson, Co-Founder BlackFacts

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12:05 - 12:15 Session **Cyber Security Protections**

Speakers One-on-One with Schuyler Williams & Clayton Banks

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12:15 - 12:35 Session **The Charlie Rangel Award Ceremony**

Presenter Borough President Gale Brewer  
Recipient Assembly Member, Inez Dickens





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12:35 - 1:30	Session	<b>PITCHFEST COMPETITION</b>
	Judges	Claire Yang, Sr. Project Manager Silicon Harlem Alby Bocanegra, Mastercard Kimberly Gray, CEO Uvii
	Moderator	Bob Ponce, CEO Whatznext Academy Eric Cunningham, CFO Silicon Harlem
1:35 – 2:05	Session	<b>The Future of Sustainable and Affordable Housing</b>
	Speaker	Paolo Tiramani, CEO Boxabl one-on-one with Clayton Banks
2:10 - 2:50	Session	<b>Technology Past, Present and Future</b>
	Speakers	Kelsey Hightower, Principal Engineer, Google One-on-One with Clayton Banks
2:50 - 3:15	Session	<b>Broadband Solutions and how to connect people globally</b>
	Speakers	Atul Bhatnagar, CEO Cambium Networks One-on-One with Clayton Banks
3:20 – 3:50	Session	<b>AUTONORAMA – The Illusory Promise of High-Tech Driving</b>  <b>Peter D. Norton</b> , University of Virginia, sits down with Clayton Banks to discuss his new book - <b>AUTONORAMA</b>
3:50 - 4:15	Session	<b>Closing Remarks</b>
	Speakers	Britt Hardin – Currency Shift CEO Clayton Banks, Silicon Harlem CEO

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