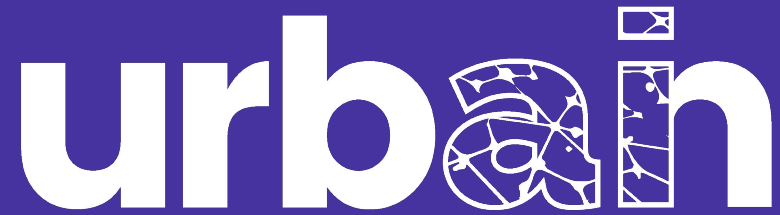


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How will AI transform our cities?



27 March, 9:00am – 12:30pm
Pavilion Président Kennedy, UQÀM, Montréal

It is well known that Montréal is a **global leader** in the development of AI technologies. But how will this affect life in the city itself as it seeks to be **smarter and more sustainable?**

Tuesday 27 March 2018 – Program

9:00 – 9:05 am

Welcome by NewCities (FR)

Sébastien Turbot, Executive Director, NewCities

9:05 – 9:15 am

Opening Keynote: the AI revolution (FR)

François Croteau, Member of the Executive Committee, Smart City, information technologies and innovation, City of Montréal

9:15 – 9:45 am

Panel: Getting our urban future right (FR)

Understanding how AI will disrupt the way we live, work and play is essential to get our urban future right. From mobility to safety, and employment, how will AI affect all aspects of a city? How can we balance the imperative to innovate with making sure the human remains at the heart of the smart cities of tomorrow?

Myriam Côté, Executive Director, MILA

Louis-Michel Fournier, Co-founder and Director, L'Atelier Urbain

Valentine Goddard, Founder and Executive Director, IA en mission sociale

Moderated by **Benoît Georges**, Head of the service 'ideas & debates', Les Echos

9:45 – 10:15 am

Panel: Montréal as a testing ground (FR)

Montréal has successfully positioned itself as a global leader in AI. Ground-breaking innovations are born in this city, however, it's not necessarily where they are being tested. Why is this? What does Montréal stand to gain in becoming a testing ground for AI? What barriers and risks do we face, and how can they be overcome?

Stéphane Guidoin, Director, Smart Cities Office, Montréal

Damien Silès, Executive Director, Quartier de l'Innovation

Moderated by **Béatrice Couture**, General Director, Innocité MTL

10:15 – 10:45 am

Networking break

10:45 – 11:35 am

Parallel sessions: Meet-ups

Interactive, networking, and peer-to-peer learning sessions.

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Privacy, Trust, &
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Meet-up 2
AI + Public Policy
(ENG)

Meet-up 3
Retaining AI Talents
(ENG)

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AI for the
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AI and urban design
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AI for health and
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