

## INNOVATION WORKING GROUP AGENDA

Monday, July 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017 | 2:30 – 5:30pm

PNWER Annual Summit | Portland, Oregon | July 23-27, 2017

### Co-Chairs

**Sen. Mia Costello**, Alaska & **Nirav Desai**, Chief Technologist, Booz Allen Hamilton

### 2:30 pm Introductions & Review

**2:50 pm** Harnessing the Northwest Innovation Power through opportunities to collaborate across the region highlighting the Cascade Corridor as a best practice for regional collaboration. Highlight activities across academia, commercial research, and government to build the future economy.

- **Dr. Steven Ashby**, Laboratory Director, Pacific Northwest National Lab
- **Vikram Jandhyala**, Vice President for Innovation Strategy, University of Washington
- **Vinay Narayan**, Executive Director of Virtual Reality, HTC America

**3:40 pm** Industry 4.0 is the current trend of automation and data exchange in manufacturing technologies. Advances in manufacturing are leveraging information technology in non-traditional sectors. How will cyber-physical systems, the Internet of things and cloud computing impact industry?

- **Greg Howes**, CEO, IDEAbuilder
- **Teemu Lehtinen**, Chief Digital Officer (Digipäällikkö) at KIRA-digi project
- **Mike Geyer**, Director of Evangelism and Emerging Technology, Autodesk
- **Albert Hogan**, Senior Program Manager, PACCAR

**4:30 pm** Fostering Health and Bioscience Innovation in the region: This Panel will showcase the Bioscience sector in Oregon and feature experts on best practices for fostering advancements in the sector.

Moderator: **Jennifer Stoll**, Director of Government Affairs, Allergan

- **Jennifer Fox**, Executive Director, Oregon Translational Research and Development Institute (OTRADI)
- **Brendan Rauw**, Vice President, technology transfer and business development Oregon Health & Science University
- **Denise McCarthy**, Executive Director, Oregon Bioscience Association

**5:10 pm** Discussion And Topic Action Items – Volunteers For Committee On U.S.-Canada NAFTA Consensus

- Co-Chairs & participants