

LF AI Day - Paris (Sept 16)

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Event Details

Event Website: <https://events.linuxfoundation.org/events/lfaiday-paris-2019/>

Please submit any questions about this event to: outreach-committee@lists.lfai.foundation

Event Committee Lead: Jamil Chawki, Orange

Date: 16 September

Time: 9 am to 4 pm

Location: Paris-Châtillons, France

Venue: Orange Gardens, [44 Avenue de la République, 92320 Châtillon, France](#)

Zoom meeting session recording: N/A

Register or RSVP for event here: <https://events.linuxfoundation.org/events/lfaiday-paris-2019/register/>

Visa Letter Request Process: <https://events.linuxfoundation.org/visa-request/>

Recommended Airport:

Two area airports provide service to Châtillon, France.

- [Charles de Gaulle Airport \(CDG\)](#) is a 40 minute drive from Châtillon
- [Orly Airport – Aéroport de Paris-Orly \(ORY\)](#) is a 20 minute drive from Châtillon

Recommended Area Hotel(s):

- Mercure Paris Malakoff Parc des Expositions
- Ibis budget Châtillon Paris Ouest
- Ibis Paris Porte de Vanves Parc des Expositions

Transportation Options:

- Métro line 13 : Châtillon-Montrouge
- T6 : Centre de Châtillon
- 388 bus: République-Liberté, Liberté, Rue Froide

Guest Parking Available: To be confirmed

Security Access: ID card or passport

Guest Wifi: To be confirmed

Event Planning

Meeting planning notes at bottom of page.



Key Event Tasks and Deadlines:




| To Do | Due Date | Completed | Owner | Notes |
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| Preparation of event Announcement | 24 Jul 2019 | x | Jamil & Jacqueline | https://events.linuxfoundation.org/events/lfaiday-paris-2019/ |
| Registration link | 08 Aug 2019 | x | Jacqueline & Ibrahim | https://events.linuxfoundation.org/events/lfaiday-paris-2019/register/ |
| Draft Agenda & Blog post | 08 Aug 2019 | x | Jamil | https://fai.foundation/blog/2019/08/12/registration-for-lf-ai-day-paris/ |
| Final Agenda | 27 Aug 2019 | x | Jamil | |
| Final AV Needs & Food and/or Beverage Sélections | 04 Sep 2019 | x | Jamil & Ibrahim | |

Meeting Content

Please post agenda here.

| Time | Topic | Speaker | Presentation (Link) |
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| 8:30-9:10 | Registration & Agenda | |  0-Agenda LF AI Day Paris.pdf |
| 9:10-9:30 | Welcome message | Nicolas Demassieux SVP, Orange Labs Research | |
| 9:30-9:50 | Building Sustainable Open Source AI Ecosystem | Ibrahim Haddad, Executive Director, LF AI Foundation |  2-Ibrahim LF AI Day Paris.pdf |
| 9:50-10:20 | Orange AI activities | Steve Jarrett VP, Orange Data & AI | |

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| <p>10:20-10:50</p> | <p>NTT's Challenges of AI for Innovative Network Operation</p> | <p>Masakatsu Fujiwara, Project Manager, NTT Network Technology Laboratories</p> | <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>3-NTT LF AI Day Paris.pdf</p> </div> |
| <p>11:10-11:40</p> | <p>Acumos AI – Platform Overview, Releases and Use Cases</p> | <p>Anwar Aftab, Director, Inventive Science, AT&T Labs</p> | <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>4-ATT LF AI Day Paris.pdf</p> </div> |
| <p>11:40-12:00</p> | <p>We make AI accessible</p> | <p>Jamil Chawki, Intrapreneur-CEO Orange AI Marketplace</p> | <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>5-Orange LF AI Day Paris.pdf</p> </div> |

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| 12:00-12:30 | Trusted AI - Reproducible, Unbiased and Robust AI Pipelines using OpenSource | Dr. Margriet Groenendijk, Data Scientist, IBM Center for Open Source Data and AI Technologies |  <p>6-IBM LF AI Day Trusted AI.pdf</p> |
| 12:30-13:00 | Activities in LF AI and Acumos | Sahar Tahvili, PhD. Lead Data Scientist, Global AI Accelerator, Ericsson |  <p>7-Ericsson-LF AI Paris.pdf</p> |
| 14:00-14:40 | Orange AI Marketplace demonstration | Philippe Dooze, Project Technical Lead Orange Labs Networks | |
| 14:40-15:10 | Open Source AI strategy | Philippe Carré, Program Manager, Nokia Bell-Labs |  <p>8-Nokia LF AI Paris.pdf</p> |
| 15:10-16:00 | Startups Panel discussion, Barriers for AI development | François Tillerot, Intrapreneur-CMO, Orange AI Marketplace: | |




- **Rahul Chakkara**, Co-Founder, Manas AI
- **Laurent Depersin**, Research & Innovation Home Lab Director, Interdigital
- **Marion Carré**, CEO Ask Mona
- **Sana Ben Jemaa**, Project manager Radio & AI, Orange Labs Networks



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9-1-Ask Mona.pdf

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| 16:20-16:30 | Open discussion and Closing session | | |

Event Photos

Meeting Notes

3 Challenges for LF AI

- Control the « AI Economics » (ROI optimization & Risk management when introducing AI Model)
- Speed-up the development of end to end AI tools and the interoperability with Enterprise Data Lake
- Setting up guidelines for Trusted & Fairness «AI»

Several types of barriers were highlighted by the panelists

- Why to introduce AI - Difficulty to describe an AI use case and translate business benefit, not clear ROI.
-> Supporting customers in their strategy to introduce AI and build ROI can tackle this issue
- Project Technical or HR (skills) issues - Multiple environment/tools constrain End to End Solution, lack of talent/skills in companies, difficulty to deploy and scale.
-> Open source solutions, in particular LF AI and Acumos AI project will facilitate mutualized approaches and multi-skills collaboration to workaround
- Readiness (technical or mindset) - Data supply chain not ready, lack of trust
-> trustful AI approaches and better awareness in AI capabilities (also avoiding "overselling" AI) are potential solutions to tackle this.