

# Committee Members

## Conference Co-Chairs

**Dr. Donald Kossmann:** Microsoft Research, USA  
**Prof. Bing Liu:** University of Illinois at Chicago, USA

## Program Co-Chairs

**Dr. Naoki Abe:** IBM T.J. Watson Research Center, USA  
**Prof. Huan Liu:** Arizona State University, USA  
**Prof. Calton Pu:** Georgia Institute of Technology, USA

## Program Vice Co-Chairs

**Prof. Kisung Lee:** Louisiana State University, USA  
**Prof. Jiliang Tang:** Michigan State University, USA

## Industry and Government Program Committee Co-Chairs

**Dr. Nesreen Ahmed:** Intel Labs, USA  
**Dr. Mu Qiao:** IBM Almaden Research Center, USA  
**Dr. Yang Song:** Google AI, USA

## Workshop Co-Chairs

**Prof. Jingrui He:** Arizona State University, USA  
**Prof. Jeffrey Saltz:** Syracuse University, USA

## Tutorial Co-Chairs

**Prof. Honggang Wang:** University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, USA  
**Dr. Lingfei (Teddy) Wu:** IBM Research AI, USA

## Big Data Cup Chairs

**Prof. Mohammad Al Hasan (Hasan):** IUPUI, USA  
**Prof. Yicheng Tu:** South Florida University, USA

## **Poster Chairs**

**Prof. Michael Gubanov:** University of Texas at San Antonio, USA

**Prof. Xia (Ben) Hu:** Texas A&M University, USA

## **Sponsorship Chair**

**Prof. Xiaohua Tony Hu:** Drexel University, USA

## **Local Arrangement Chairs**

**Dr. Mengwen Liu:** Amazon, USA

**Dr. Zunyan Xiong:** T-Mobile, USA

## **Registration Chair**

**Prof. Yuan An:** Drexel University, USA

## **Publicity Chairs**

**Prof. Hyoil Han:** Illinois State University, USA

**Prof. Alfredo Cuzzocrea:** University of Trieste, Italy

**Prof. Dominik Slezak:** University of Warsaw, Poland

## **Student Travel Award Chair**

**Prof. Feng Chen:** SUNY at Albany, USA

## **BigData Steering Committee**

**Dr. Amr Awadallah:** Cloudera, USA

**Dr. Xueqi Cheng:** Chinese Academy of Science, China

**Prof. Yi-ke Guo:** Imperial College, UK

**Prof. Jimmy Lin:** University of Waterloo, Canada

**Prof. Xiaohua Tony Hu (Chair) (xh29@drexel.edu):** Drexel University, USA

**Dr. Raghunath Nambiar:** Cisco Systems, USA

**Prof. Jian Pei:** Simon Fraser University, Canada

**Prof. Vijay Raghavan:** University of Louisiana at Lafayette, USA

**Prof. Amit Sheth:** Wright State University, USA

**Prof. Matthew Smith:** Leibniz Universität Hannover, Germany

**Dr. Shusaku Tsumoto:** Shimane University, Japan

**Prof. Athanasios Vasilakos:** Lulea University of Technology(LTU), Sweden

**Prof. Qiang Yang:** Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, China

**Pro. Wei Wang:** University of California at Los Angeles, USA