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PLANET TEXAS 2050

A UT Grand Challenge



Tomorrow is our research showcase, and we hope to see you there! But if you can't make it to campus, please join our event [livestream beginning at 9 a.m.](#)

And it's not too late to [register](#), either. We'll have tech demonstrations, hands-on activities, and — yes — breakfast tacos!

Speaker lineup:

- President Gregory Fenves

- Vice President for Research Daniel Jaffe
- Planet Texas 2050 Chair Katherine Lieberknecht
- Josh Apte: Transportation-Related Air Pollution
- Lakin Beal: Urban Watershed Evolution
- Michael Young: How Much Water Is in Texas?
- Adam Rabinowitz, Sheryl Luzzadder-Beach, Rabun Taylor: Pre-modern Urban Environments
- Paul Adams: Texas Water Stories
- Video with artist Marie Lorenz: "Graybelt"
- Rachel Thomas, Steven Richter, Al Zilveti, Samer Atshan, Julien Brown: Texas Metro Observatory
- Marla Torrado: Community collaboration
- Suzanne Pierce: DataX and integrated modeling
- David Arctur: Flood modeling
- Jay Banner and Fernanda Leite: Academic courses available at UT
- Sven Ortel, Michael Baker, David Cohen, and J.E. Johnson: Designing an immersive, futuristic escape room experience

FRIDAY, APRIL 26

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Mulva Auditorium, EER

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