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The University of Texas at Austin Bridging Barriers

You are invited to attend:

CAMPUS ENGAGEMENT WORKSHOP WITH GOOD SYSTEMS AND BRIDGING BARRIERS

Dear UT-Austin Faculty, Staff, and Students,

We are excited to share that the VPR has informed us that Good Systems will be the third Bridging Barriers Grand Challenge theme to launch, with a formal announcement anticipated next year. Thank you to everyone who contributed to our progress to date. We encourage you to stay involved and welcome new participants.

Please join us in planning our development year research activities, and find out how you can participate, by attending our [Campus Engagement Workshop](#):

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH, 2018

12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Thompson Conference Center (TCC) 2.102

2405 Robert Dedman Dr.

Austin, TX 78712

Good Systems is an interdisciplinary group of scientists, engineers, humanists, and social scientists that seeks to ensure that artificial intelligence is designed to be compatible with human values. We are embarking on a year of conceptual, empirical, technical, and synthesis research projects, and we welcome involvement from across campus in projects ranging from a

hackathon to develop and evaluate the use of socially optimal traffic routing apps to a collaborative classification of Russian troll Facebook ads during the 2016 US Presidential Election.

We invite you to attend this luncheon presentation and brainstorming session to learn about plans for this year and beyond and to help shape those plans in ways that connect with your own research. All interested faculty, staff, and students are invited to attend. Please pass this invitation on to any colleagues who might be interested.

Parking and lunch will be provided. Please RSVP by Monday, September 10 to reserve your spot and lunch: <https://events.attend.com/f/1383786298>

Looking forward to working with you in the coming year and beyond!

Good Systems Theme Organizing Committee:

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