

















SAMPLE SCHEDULE: Final schedule will be shared with participants closer to the program. While sessions may shift due to professor availability, the program start and end times are confirmed.



NACS Innovation Leadership Program
 November 1-6, 2026
 MIT Sloan School of Management, 100 Main Street, Cambridge



Sunday, November 1	Monday, November 2	Tuesday, November 3	Wednesday, November 4	Thursday, November 5	Friday, November 6		
<p><i>Schedule subject to change</i></p> <p><i>On-campus sessions include flexible breaks determined by faculty</i></p>	Breakfast 8:00 - 8:30 AM	Breakfast 8:00 - 8:30 AM	Breakfast 8:00 - 8:30 AM	Breakfast 8:00 - 8:30 AM	Breakfast 8:00 - 8:30 AM		
	Leading Innovation: "Sculpting the Fog"	Learning Synthesis 8:30 - 9:00 AM	Managing Change and Your Innovation Challenge	Learning Synthesis 8:30 - 9:00 AM	Building a Culture of Experimentation Amongst Uncertainty		
		Reimagining Commerce with AI		Capitalizing & Operationalizing Purpose Driven innovation			
	 <p align="right"><i>C. Chilton</i> 8:30 - 11:45 AM</p>	 <p align="right"><i>J. Zhang</i> 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM</p>	 <p align="right"><i>C. Chilton</i> 8:30 - 10:45 AM</p>	 <p align="right"><i>S. Springer</i> 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM</p>	 <p align="right"><i>J. Rhee</i> 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM</p>	 <p align="right"><i>R. Gosline</i> 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM</p>	
	Group Photo 11:45 AM Lunch 12:00 - 1:00 PM	Lunch 12:30 - 1:30 PM	Lunch 12:30 - 1:30 PM	Lunch 12:30 - 1:30 PM	Lunch 12:30 - 1:30 PM	Lunch 12:00 - 1:00 PM	
	Innovating Around Your Core: A Low Risk, High Reward Approach to Innovation	Nudging Breakthrough CX: Customer Experience, Technology and Decision-Making	Panel Discussion: The Future of Convenience	Strategic Operations	Storytelling Showcase		
	Registration 2:30 - 3:00 PM	Creative Cocktails 4:15 - 6:15 PM	<i>Free Night</i>	<i>Free Night</i>	 <p align="right"><i>S. Springer</i> 1:00 - 2:30 PM</p>	Week in Review and Certificates	
	Welcome & Plan for the Week				 <p align="right"><i>C. Chilton</i> 3:00 - 4:15 PM</p>	 <p align="right"><i>C. Chilton</i> 2:30 - 3:00 PM</p>	
	Break 4:15 - 4:30 PM				 <p align="right"><i>D. Robertson</i> 1:00 - 4:15 PM</p>	Innovation Walking Tour	 <p align="right"><i>Z. Ton</i> 1:30 - 5:00 PM</p>
	Your Innovation Challenge				 <p align="right"><i>R. Gosline</i> 1:30 - 4:45 PM</p>	 <p align="right"><i>J. Bensen</i> 3:15 - 4:45 PM</p>	
 <p align="right"><i>C. Chilton</i> 4:30 - 5:15 PM</p>	<i>Free Night</i>				<i>Free Night</i>	Optional: Venture Café One Broadway	
Break 5:15 - 5:30 PM		 <p align="right"><i>S. Springer</i> 5:30 - 7:00 PM</p>	 <p align="right">5:00 - 8:00 PM</p>				