Panel: Customers, Vendors, and Universities: Determining the Future of EDA Together

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Abstract
Progress in the EDA industry depends on the cooperative efforts of customers, vendors, and universities. DAC's opening panel brings together leaders from these communities to discuss how EDA can continue to support rapid innovation in the electronics industry. What are the design challenges ahead? What new EDA technologies and working relationships are required for customers and universities to meet these challenges? What do customers want in a vendor? What do vendors want in a customer? How can universities contribute, and what can customers and vendors do in return? Come join us for a lively and thought-provoking session on the issues which will shape the future of EDA.