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Speakers, panelists for the Women@Work Summit on June 5
There has been more persistence in making sure women are seen, heard and have the opportunity to rise to positions of leadership.

From the steps forward (and back) in the #MeToo movement to a concerted effort to bring more women into the spotlight, women are being exposed, professionally, in a way they’ve deserved. But is there more that can be done?

Our speakers for the Women@Work Summit on June 5 will discuss how they’ve succeeded and struggled to help women get the exposure and credit they deserve, and will share their personal stories on efforts they’ve made in their professional lives.

We’ve given you the WHY of this year’s Summit. Here are answers to other questions you’re probably asking about the all-day event.

WHAT

The third annual Women@Work Summit is titled "Seeing, Hearing, Believing in Women."

WHO

Guest moderators, panelists, keynote speakers and Summit facilitators will take us through the day’s programs:

Lisa Burton, executive director of HearstLab, investor in women-led startups
Shai Butler, vice president for Student Success & Engagement, chief diversity officer, The College of Saint Rose
Nathaalie Carey, deputy commissioner of Labor, New York State Department of Labor
Carla Goldstein, co-founder of the Omega Women’s Leadership Center

More Information

• Not a member of Women@Work? Sign up at TUWomenatwork.com — and tell a friend.

ONE LAST THING

We will be attempting live polling at this year’s Summit, in some form. So please come with your smart devices — whichever will get you an internet connection — and we’ll continue the conversation.

Ann Hughes, director of development, School of Public Health, University at Albany
Mary Judd, co-founder of Songwriting With Soldiers
Kelly Lafnitzegger, vice president of human resources, General Electric
Annmarie Lanesey, Greane Tree Technology Group and Albany Can Code
Kishau Rogers, founder of TimeStudy
Elizabeth Tsai, founder of HiOperator
Eve Walter, senior research scientist at The Benjamin Center, SUNY New Paltz
Leslyn Williamson, executive vice president of operations and chief nursing officer, Ellis Medicine

WHERE AND WHEN

All day, June 5. Doors open for networking and light breakfast foods at 8:30 a.m., with the program beginning at 9 a.m. Panels and programming will take us through until an after-Summit reception.

The Summit will take place at the Hearst Media Center, 645 Albany Shaker Road, Colonie.

HOW MUCH

There are two single-ticket opportunities to be part of the Summit: A general admission for $120, and a Leadership Circle ticket. The latter is $200, but will also go on to sponsor the seat of a student, or an early-career nonprofit employee. Leadership Circle members will also be recognized during the day’s events.
are also opportunities to purchase tables for the day.

All tickets include admission, lunch and an after-event reception.

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MORE INFORMATION

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