

The Finalists



Woman in ArtTech Award



KSENIA ASHRAFULLINA, Invisible City, Portugal - Ksenia is a polyglot and a culture-tech enthusiast. She speaks eight languages while constantly learning new ones in the quest to adopt new thinking patterns and read poetry in the original.

Being a self-proclaimed culture geek, she has created an app called Invisible City that allows users to find cultural gigs around the world in a matter of seconds. Currently, she is expanding the app to become a platform where artists can find and book venues for their gigs easily, perform more and get paid.

She loves flamenco and practices its steps every day before breakfast.



RAQUEL PALIS, Forevermore Art Collective, Canada, Spain, Brazil - Raquel is a Brazilian Designer digital nomade, currently based in Spain. She creates with Paulo Ramos The Artmented app, awarded in Art-rooms Org London as disruptive art practice. Their work investigates social issues such as immigrant struggles, in 4th industrial shift expressed in paintings, augmented objects and sounds, expanding the static bi-dimensional composition to a kinetic 3-D using augmented reality art practice by Forevermore A. C. She has several art works - AR over Oil Painting on Canvas displayed in a immersive space in U.M. - CA. signed by FRM A.C. Raquel is also an CO-Founder of a technology start up lead by women Passport Ibiza AR, The app amplify the voices of all the sectors of Tourism in Ibiza adding a valuable tool to explores and residents.



SUZANE QUEIROZ, Pândega, Brazil - Graduated in architecture at the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ), she has been working as an architect and set designer in Rio de Janeiro and several regions of Brazil and abroad, creating and constructing multidisciplinary set design projects in different areas: theater, shows, exhibitions, stands, catwalks, corporate and cultural events. Among these projects, she develops a research of sustainable guidelines applied to ephemeral spaces. Her work has been recognized in national awards, such as the IDEA Brazil Award, Caio Prize and the Columnists Award. She is a guest lecturer in the Architecture degree at PUC-Rio, a post-graduation teacher in the Veiga de Almeida University and is a coordinator of the Master Professional Design of Entertainment at IEDRio.



MYRIAM TAYLOR, Muxima Bio, Portugal / Angola - Myriam Taylor, Globetrotter, and a philanthropist, Co-founder of Muxima Bio, has a very rich personal path due to the challenges that she has embraced throughout her life. Being a part of several artistic developments, Myriam has increasingly involved herself intellectually and technically in the production of socio-political projects in countries such as France, Brazil, U.K, Italy, Angola, and Portugal. Muxima presents itself as a platform with central themes: Identity, Black Representation, Women's Representation. These themes are expressed in different project categories such as Science, Education, Ecology and Art. It produces and showcases Art exhibitions which are a contemporary reflection on oppressive systems.

Woman in Communications Award



FILIPA CALDEIRA, FullSix Iberia, Portugal - Filipa Caldeira started to develop her marketing skills at Microsoft and Procter & Gamble before deciding, with two partners, to launch her own interactive marketing agency. She is now CEO of Fullsix Iberia, a group of five companies with three interactive marketing agencies, one online media and the last one focused on online research, managing a team of around 250 people. Fullsix Portugal is the leading digital agency in Portugal, with more than 300 awards collected in the past years. In 2017, was awarded "Agency of the Year" at the Effie Awards. Filipa has been a jury in several festivals, in the digital category, such as Cannes Lions and Eurobest. She also teaches Digital Marketing at Católica Business School and at Nova School of Business and Economics.



MARTA CAROTI, HR Farm, Italy - Born and raised in Pisa, Marta specializes in event management in San Francisco where she works at the organization of the 42nd San Francisco Pride, which saw the participation of 1.2 million people. Back in Italy Marta attends a Master in Digital Economics and Entrepreneurship and a Master in Innovation and Project Management. She joins H-FARM in 2013 where she produces and organizes events. Marta participated in the growth of the event team - which now organizes more than 200 events per year - working on new formats in the tech scene, making innovations pop-up. She focuses on women empowering and ecology projects within the company.



KATRINA GERMAN, Katrine.German, Canada - Katrina is an entrepreneur specializing in communications, technology, and digital strategy. She is a seasoned executive, leader, and strategist who has influenced millions of people through digital storytelling and online media. Through her 15 years in communications, she has worn many hats -Tech startup CEO, fundraiser, digital strategist, community manager, writer, television producer and host, video editor, speaker, and trainer. Katrina is in the CBC Future 40 Under 40, has won the YWCA Women of Distinction Award for Entrepreneurship, Startup Canada Prairie Award for Innovation and is one of the Entrepreneurs that represented Canada at the G20 YEA Summit in Berlin. Katrina is releasing a book «Action Tracking: Master your digital marketing strategy in under 30 days» in December.



TIFFANY NORWOOD, Tribetan, USA - Tiffany Norwood is a global serial entrepreneur with a career spanning 30 years, seven start-ups, two IPOs, and a patent. In her 20s, she raised \$670 million to fund a global satellite radio start-up called WorldSpace, within a couple of years XM Radio was born and still exists today as part of Sirius XM. Ms. Norwood is considered one of the pioneers of digital broadcasting. She personally did some of the first ever digital content licensing deals in the 1990s with Michael Bloomberg (Bloomberg News) and Phil Kent (CNN). Tiffany was also an early collaborator with the Fraunhofer Institute and their MP3 and MP4 technologies. Ms. Norwood has an MBA from Harvard and a Bachelor's in Economics with a concentration in statistics and electrical engineering from Cornell University.

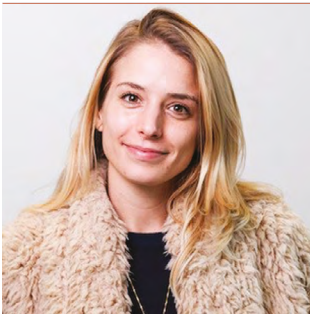
Woman in EdTech Award



AISHA BOWE, STEMboard, USA - Aisha is the founder and CEO of STEMBoard, a technology company that solves complex problems for government and private-sector clients. Prior to STEMBoard, Aisha was an aerospace engineer at the NASA Ames Research Center, where she received numerous awards for her dedication to technical excellence and diversity and inclusion. Aisha actively partners with Historically Black Colleges and Universities and national non-profits like INROADS to host STEM camps for underserved and underrepresented students. Their education programs help students tackle complex challenges and build bright futures through science, technology, engineering and math. Aisha holds a bachelor's in Aerospace Engineering and a Master's in Space Systems Engineering from the University of Michigan.

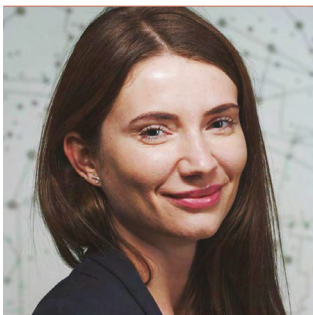


SVENIA BUSSON, LearnSpace, France - Svenia is an Edtech entrepreneur and explorer. With the Edtech Tours, she travels the world to shed light upon best practices in education innovation. She is the author of «Exploring the future of education» a book about education innovations from Europe and is now running LearnSpace, a European Edtech Startup Accelerator based in Paris. Svenia is a speaker for UNESCO, EU Commission, World Forum for a Responsible Economy, Le Monde, Vivatech, EdtechxEurope, BETT etc. Featured in Forbes, Le Monde, RTL, BFM Radio, France Culture, Pearson Labs, Edtech Digest.



SHANNON GRAYBILL, Le Wagon, USA / Portugal - Shannon is the founder and business driver for Le Wagon Coding Bootcamp in Lisbon. Le Wagon, a French company represented worldwide, brings excellence in education and is ranked #1 for a 3rd year in a row on Switchup. They provide subsidies for women to join their bootcamp. In Lisbon, Shannon launched a Young Women in Tech Scholarship, increasing the number of local women aged 19 to 23 participation. Shannon is from Dallas, Texas, USA. She has been living in Portugal for five years. Before moving to Europe, she was based in China and Hong Kong where she worked in supply chain management.

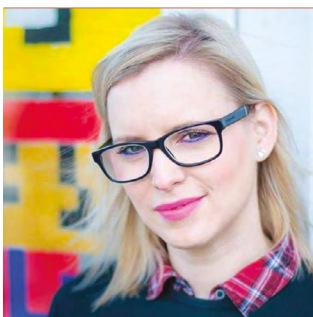
Woman in FashionTech Award



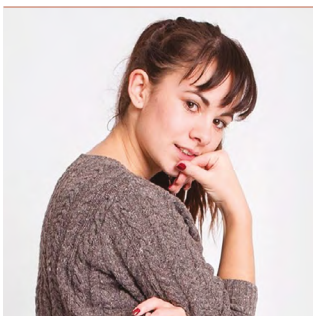
MARINA ATAROVA, FarFetch, UK - Marina is an entrepreneur and advisor with over 7 Years of experience working with early-stage tech startups, and investors.

She runs the #Fashhack community, aimed at brands, startups and investors looking to disrupt the Fashion & Retail Industry.

As a partner in several projects, Marina has been involved in running marketing campaigns, events, workshops and hackathons and created a network of tech investors, looking to back up early-stage tech superstars.

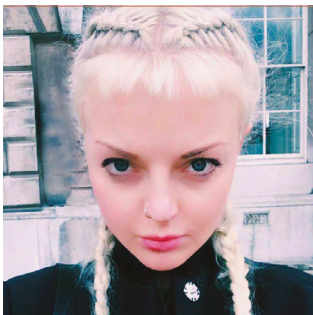


MARIJA BUTKOVIC, Women of Wearables, UK - Marija Butkovic is digital marketing and business consultant, public speaker and women in tech advocate. She is a founder and CEO of Women of Wearables - the first global organization aiming to support, connect and mentor women in wearable tech, fashion tech, IoT and VR/AR, and a co-founder of Kisha Smart Umbrella - a wearable tech startup behind the world's smartest fashion tech umbrella. In 2017 and 2018, Marija was selected as one of the Most Influential Women in UK tech by Computer Weekly. She was named one of Onalytica's Top 50 Women in IoT and Top 50 Women in VR, and Business Cloud's 101 Female Founders of Tech. In 2018, Marija was selected as one of the 8 Women Organisers and Influencers in Augmented and Virtual Reality by Augmented World Expo.



LISA GAUTIER, TPH Marketplace, Sweden - Lisa is an E-commerce and innovation specialist. Her areas of expertise are digital branding, product development, and user experience. She has worked for 10 years in the fashion industry.

Lisa is CEO and founder of The Pasta Haters, the first global platform dedicated to vintage fashion. TPH provides tailored software solutions for local vintage shops to grow their businesses. Driving change in the 3rd most polluting industry on earth is her priority.



JOANNA HIR, 4D, Poland / UK - Joanna Hir is an award-winning fashion tech designer, innovator, CEO and founder of 4-D, creating innovative solutions for the global fashion tech market. Her area of expertise is merge of fashion, technology and science. Joanna was announced the world champion of innovation in 2018 and won Grand Prix in IOT/WT Innovation World Cup 2017/18. She is also a winner of Think Big competition 2018. In 2015 Joanna was awarded with the Gold Arrow at British Craft Awards. Joanna holds BA and MA degrees from London College of Fashion and National Louis University in both fashion design and business management. Her clients include: Sony Music, Universal Music, BBC, Channel 4, Rita Ora, Drake. Her work was published in: Vogue Italy, Elle UK and USA, Dazed & Confused, Wired Magazine, The New York Times, Forbes Business Insider and many more.

Woman in FinTech Award



VERONICA GARCIA, BitLumens, Switzerland - Veronica Garcia was an investment consultant at Credit Suisse and UBS for Latin American Asset Managers. After finishing her graduate studies at the ETH in Zurich she joined IBM Research Lab. She also worked as a consultant for the World Bank, IADB and Castalia. Her research focused on renewable technologies and on quantifying investment needs to reach the country targets for renewable power generation. BitLumens provides a credit score for women farmers to get access to microcredit while accessing clean energy sources. BitLumens is a software that can be connected to internet of things (IoT) devices located and solar technologies to provide power to unbanked women in places without a power grid.



JALAK JOBANPUTRA, FuturePerfect Ventures, USA - Jalak Jobanputra is Founding Partner of FuturePerfect Ventures, an early stage venture capital fund in NYC focused on next-generation technology such as blockchain and machine learning. FPV's portfolio includes Abra, Open Garden, Blockstream, Bitpesa, FuseMachines, Everledger and Blockchain. Jalak was awarded Institutional Investor's Top Fintech Dealmakers in 2017 and 2016. In 2017, she was cited as a "Top 5 Investor Powering the Blockchain Boom" and CB Insights noted FPV as one of the top VC funds in blockchain "before it was cool". In Spring 2018, Jalak received the Microsoft Top VC Trailblazer Award. Jalak is the Founder of Collective Future, a global initiative to foster diversity, inclusion, and education in the blockchain sector.



SARAH TURNER, Angel Academe, UK - Sarah is an entrepreneur, advisor and angel investor. In 2014 she co-founded the award-winning Angel Academe. Angel Academe invests in women founded and co-founded tech startups with high growth potential. Investments include: Provenance, which uses the blockchain to improve supply chain transparency; Raremark which uses AI to help patients with rare diseases and their families make informed choices about care; and Fiskl, a fintech for SMEs. Angel Academe investors are mainly but not only women. Some of them are entrepreneurs, others are senior professionals, have portfolio careers or are on career breaks. They pool funds and resources to evaluate investment opportunities, make investments and support.



MARÍA VERONICA VERGARA, EnlightAID, Germany / Chili - Veronica is a Chilean architect and tech entrepreneur. She is the founder and CEO of EnlightAID, a Tech4Good startup dedicated to bringing transparency and fighting corruption in the social and environmental work environment. EnlightAid was built to capture and report transactions occurring in the fundraising and development of social and environmental projects in real-time, showing their impact and preventing fund misuse. Today 30% of aid money is diverted as a result of acts of corruption, translating into over \$160 billion of funds disappearing annually. To stop this, EnlightAID V1 was created, the first ever transparent fundraising platform. V1 is being used by SOs (SOs= Charities, Foundations, NGOs and Social Businesses) in 7 countries.

Woman in GreenTech Award



SARAH DUBREIL, Origins.earth, France - Sarah is passionate about creating business solutions to drive environmental & social impact. After graduating from HEC Paris in 2010, she joined the corporate VC fund of SUEZ at its inception. During 5 years, she invested in early stage start-ups in cleantech, and then focused on setting up digital offers for sustainable cities at SUEZ Consulting.

Sarah now co-develops Origins.earth, 1st intrapreneurship project of SUEZ. Origins.earth helps cities become Zero Carbon, through measuring CO2 emissions & easing access to climate finance.

Sarah also co founded the non profit Paris Impact Investing and is active in the positive impact ecosystem in France.»



EDITH FILAIRE, GreenTech, France - Professor in Physiology and co-director of a research laboratory (Paris-Saclay, Orléans) during 20 years, Edith Filaire is the scientific executive Manager of the GREENTECH group, an international biotechnology company present on all continents and including 4 companies, GREENTECH, GREENSEA, BIOVITIS and MAPRIC. Dealing with the Green and the Tech, GREENTECH uses bio-sourced raw materials from plants, ferments produced in a fermentor, algae produced in bio-reactor. With few environmental footprints about waste, water consumption and carbon, innovations have many applications in several areas: pharmacy, cosmetic, agro-ecology, waste and water treatment. (2 exes: biosynthesis of bio-peptides without any solvent; development of bio-control products in substitution of pesticides).



LISA JACKSON, Apple, USA - Lisa Jackson is Apple's vice president of Environment, Policy and Social Initiatives. Lisa oversees Apple's efforts to minimize its impact on the environment by addressing climate change through renewable energy and energy efficiency, using greener materials, and inventing new ways to conserve precious resources. She is also responsible for Apple's education policy programs such as ConnectED, its product accessibility work, and its worldwide government affairs function. From 2009 to 2013, Lisa served as Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Lisa holds a master's degree in Chemical Engineering from Princeton University and a bachelor's degree in Chemical Engineering from Tulane University. She serves on the boards of Princeton, Tulane, and the Clinton Foundation.



POLINA VASILENKO, HelioRec, Russia - Polina Vasilenko is a passionate environmental entrepreneur, with two master's degrees in Chemistry and Renewable Energy. With an indomitable determination and boundless enthusiasm, Polina's motto is "Let's make this world a better place". After 14 years in the oil and gas industry, Polina decided to make a fundamental career change and do something useful for the planet. She left her rich, comfortable life and moved into renewable energy technologies without any doubts! Both her training and vast working experience in the energy sector led to her found HelioRec: the offshore floating solar power plant based on recycled plastic. The mission is to provide clean energy while reducing GHG emissions and plastic waste in highly populated countries.

Woman in HealthTech Award



TETIANA BOTSVA, Devali, Inc, Ukraine - M.A. in Physics, over 15 years in clinical software and hardware and technology leadership - combining scientific background with modern psychological knowledge to create an inspirational atmosphere. Director of Research and Development of DEVALI, she leads a brilliant team of engineers and developers to new disruptive inventions: World's first patented ECG monitor recording ECG from one limb. 2 CES Awards and countless start-up pitch and exhibitions winnings ; cuffless blood pressure monitor (patent pending), listed by NASA top 3 blood pressure monitoring solutions for space ; NASA iTech top-10 biometric textile solution Oumen+.
Honored to represent Ukrainian Technology all over the world.



OLGA CHUMAKOVA, Be Sure Healthcare B.V, Netherlands - Co-Founder and Managing Director at Be Sure Healthcare B.V.. With a both technical and insurance background, Olga is passionate about innovations and applying technologies to social problems solving. Be Sure Healthcare was launched as a result of a 2 years research of AI and biofeedback technologies for healthy living, and strong motivation to transform healthcare. It is a health management platform for stroke prevention and rehabilitation, concentrating on CV disease as the leading causes of death and long-term disabilities, especially for women. Company's missions are: reducing health care costs through a value-based model, supporting a healthy lifestyle for all ages, making prevention and connected care effective, accessible, globally delivered and personalized.



KHUSHBU GUPTA, Mahidol University, Thailand / Nepal - Khushbu is a computer engineer from Nepal. As a National Database Officer, she developed a mobile application to track the location of earthquake damage and plan the rescue operation. She also developed a mobile application used by the government for civil engineers to build safer homes by tracking the construction and verifying as earthquake resistant using the app. As a research assistant, Khushbu is developing an automated system to convert unstructured radiological text report to structured data along with the information of the presence of lung cancer and it's staging based on TNM. In the future, she plans to work on precision medicine using AI.



RANA NOFAL, Ministry of Health, Palestine - Nofal is the Head of Programming & Data Department at the Ministry of Health. She is also a Lecturer at Al-Quds Open University in Palestine. She has a broad range of experiences in various aspects in the Information Technology field at Palestine.
Since joining the Ministry of Health in June 2004, Nofal has helped the organization by creating the best development in the technical field. After twelve years working in software development at MOH, Nofal launched her own company called *Medical Grid*, a platform focused on medical networking.
Nofal earned a bachelor's degree in Computer Science from Birzeit University and a master's degree in Business Administration from An-Najah University in Palestine.

Woman in HR Tech Award



MANON DE FELICE, Inkwell, USA - Manon DeFelice is an entrepreneur, a thought leader, and an agent of change. Manon is the CEO and founder of Inkwell. Inkwell is revolutionizing executive search by matching forward-thinking companies with Inkwell's community of highly educated and experienced professionals to drive more flexibility, diversity, and meaning in the workplace. Manon believes that the best way to diversify senior teams is through flexible job opportunities and quality referrals. As such, Inkwell's platform compensates its community for helping to source diverse, experienced talent as well as for sourcing senior level, flexible roles. Prior to launching the company, DeFelice spent five years as Executive Director and General Counsel to a women's rights foundation. An attorney and mother of three, DeFelice also contributes to Forbes, writing about the flexible work revolution.



POLINA FROLOVA MONTANO, Job Today, Luxembourg - Polina Montano is a co-founder of JOB TODAY, Europe's leading mobile hiring app that helps businesses find staff in 24 hours.

Since its launch in 2015, the company delivered over 100 million candidate applications. The company has attracted over 500,000 businesses and over 5 million candidates to the platform as well as VC funding from world-class investors such as Accel.

Polina has succeeded where most have failed in reinventing of a 400 USD billion recruitment industry. As a serial entrepreneur, a working mother of two girls, a world-traveler fluent in six languages, Polina inspires so many people around her.



PIP JAMIESON, The Dots Global, U.K. - Pip Jamieson is the Founder & CEO of The Dots, dubbed 'The next LinkedIn?' by Forbes. The Dots is designed around the networking needs of 'No Collar' professionals – creators, freelancers and entrepreneurs. As routine jobs become more automated, these No Collar professionals will represent the future workforce. Pip was named by The Sunday Times as one of the Top 100 Disruptive Entrepreneurs innovating in their respective fields, by Creative Review as one of the top 50 Creative Leaders & by Campaign as one of the 50 Trailblazers of the Future. Being a dyslexic sole female tech founder, Pip has put helping business build diverse teams at the heart of everything they do! 68% + of The Dots community is female, 31% + BAME & 16% + LGBT+.



PARIS PETGRAVE, We Love Work, U.K. - Paris Petgrave is the CEO of We Love Work, an award-winning people analytics platform. Prior to this Paris ran her own headhunting firm for 7 years working with a number of large, MNC on recruitment programmes. Paris is also the founder and managing partner of Rare Seed Capital, a seed fund which invests in early-stage technology companies with at least one female or ethnic minority founder on the team.

Paris is a passionate entrepreneur and advocate for women in tech. In 2017 she was listed as the top 100 EMpower leaders in the Financial Times and in Forbes magazine as one of 100 top European female entrepreneurs.

Best Inclusive Tech Company Award



MERETE BULJO, Natixis Euro Titres, France - Merete Buljo was born in Norway and has been living in Paris for over 25 years.

Thanks to her double culture and a dual degree in humanities and computer science, Merete has a genuine ability to grasp both business and technological issues and successfully implement transformation and change management programs.

Currently Chief Digital & Customer Experience Officer and member of the executive committee of Natixis EuroTitres, she manages the company's innovation and digital transformation program. Merete Buljo is the President & founder of the Do Tank «Digital Ladies and Allies» that aims to foster more diversity and more women in the Tech industry.



ALEKSANDRA KORNECKA, Girls Who Test, Poland - Software Quality Assurance Engineer and certified tester with 5 years in IT industry (web, e-commerce, digital, mobile apps) Works at OLX Group. Passionate about agile quality process, UX and IA. Master of Science in Cognitive Science. Non-profit activist, international conferences speaker and social media ninja. Athlete and sprinter.

Aleksandra considers herself a Techie who loves people and enjoys the events from tech and startups areas.

Proud leader and co-founder of Girls Who Test non-profit group which helps people (especially women) to enter IT industry, and which gives workshops, discussion space and lectures on software quality field.



EMMA SINCLAIR, Enterprise Alumni, U.K. - Emma is the youngest person in the world to have floated a company, doing so at 29 on the London Stock Exchange. A serial entrepreneur, she now co-leads global software company EnterpriseAlumni. Their software powers the corporate alumni networks of some of the world's largest companies. Outside of her day job, she regularly writes for newspapers and commentates on tv – having launched the Telegraph's Wonder Woman Business column in 2012. In 2014, she was appointed UNICEF's first business mentor and recently completed UNICEF's first ever crowdfund to roll out Innovation Labs in refugee camps in her capacity as a UNICEF advisor. And in 2016, was awarded an MBE by the Queen for Services to Entrepreneurship.



KATERINA TRAJCHEVSKA, Adeva, Macedonia - Katerina is a software engineer and CEO of Adeva. She started her career in technology in 2012, when she first faced the hostile environment for women in tech. Soon, she co-founded Adeva with a mission to bring equal opportunities to developers around the world, no matter their location, gender or race.

Katerina advocates for equality and inclusion. She is one of the organizers of the global initiative Learn IT, Girl and initiator of many local activities for creating a more inclusive and diverse tech ecosystem. She's currently leading Adeva's Female Bootcamp - the first initiative for women in tech in Macedonia.

Woman in LegalTech Award



MONICA GOYAL, My Legal Briefcase, Canada - Monica is a lawyer, engineer, and serial entrepreneur. She founded My Legal Briefcase, an innovative platform that provides efficient and democratic legal solutions, and Aluvion Law, a flat-fee law firm that provides accessible and affordable legal solutions. Monica has a Bachelor of Applied Science and a Master of Science in Electrical Engineering from Stanford University. She worked for major telecommunications companies before graduating from the University of Toronto Faculty of Law. Monica is currently a Visiting Professor at Osgoode Hall Law School. She has been featured on TV and has written extensively on law and tech. Monica was recognized as one of the 10 Women to Watch in Tech in the Journal of the American Bar Ass. and received a Fastcase 50 Award in 2017.



MARCI HARRIS, PopVox, USA - Entrepreneur, lawyer, former congressional staffer. Working on a project to amplify and quantify citizen engagement. A former Congressional staffer and lawyer, Marci says that her "first startup was a town," as she led Jackson, TN's rebuilding efforts following a 2004 tornado. She received a B.A. in International Relations from Franklin College in Lugano, Switzerland and attended law school at the University of Memphis (J.D.) and the American University Washington College of Law (LL.M). From 2007-2010, she worked in the U.S. House of Representatives covering tax, trade, and health for a senior Ways and Means member. Marci serves on the board of LaunchTN and CityInnovate, the advisory boards of VoteRunLead and Citizinvestor, and is a mentor at the CO in Jackson, Tennessee.



ALEXANDRA ISENEGGER, LinkiLaw, UK - Alexandra is the CEO at Linkilaw. She's passionate about effective communication between people, helping parties understand and be understood. It is through open, honest and truthful discussion that conflicts are mitigated and enterprises thrive. Once this essential foundation is built, she helps solidify it with Linkilaw - drafting simple and effective legal agreements that reflect the true intentions of the people and businesses signing them. At Linkilaw, she's committed to stopping inefficiencies and helping legal work become accessible through their technology, in-house solutions, and legal marketplace.



SABINE ZYLBERBOGEN, Made in Law, France - Sabine Zylberbogen is an international lawyer and the CEO of Made in law. With over 18 years of experience, previously General Counsel at Amazon EU/FR, she is passionate about technologies and the idea to simplify the complex legal issues to accelerate companies' growth. She created Made in law in 2017 as one of the first legal tech startups in France, which proposes online administrative life management for mainstream business.

Woman in Smart City Award



PILAR CONESA, anteverti, Spain - Pilar Conesa is a Smart City pioneer and the founder and CEO of anteverti. She is also the curator of the Smart City Expo World Congress, as well as the Smart City Expo events held abroad. With more than 25 years of experience in high management positions in ICT companies and public organizations, she served as CIO for the Barcelona City Council and was appointed General Director of Public Sector and Health at T-Sytems. She is President of the Advisory Council of the College of Computing Engineering of Catalonia and part of the Board of Directors of UPC Alumni. She has received the honorary prize of the Night of Telecommunications and information technology of Catalonia.



SANDRA COSTA, Bosch, Portugal - Sandra Costa is a group leader of fifteen awesome SW engineers who work effortlessly in sensor systems development for highly autonomous driving at Bosch. This group is taking care of network communication functionalities for localization and LiDAR sensors. The way these systems are being designed will revolutionize the way our cities will change in the future to allow the freedom of a 3rd living space (our vehicle, and besides our home and place of work). Sandra received her PhD in Electronics Engineering at the University of Minho for her research in using social robots as promoters of socio-emotional development in children with Autism Spectrum Disorders, furthering the work developed in her Masters on the same topic.



LILY LIU, PublicStuff, USA - Inspired by her time working for public sector agencies, including Mayor Bloomberg's Office, Lily started one of the first civic engagement platform called PublicStuff. The platform is designed to promote communication between local government and residents. PublicStuff is utilized in hundreds of small to large cities across the world, including Philadelphia and New York City. The platform reaches millions of people and allows them to create real change in their communities. The company was recently acquired by Accela, the leading provider of government software. Lily was named one of Forbes' 30 under 30' top entrepreneurs and Business Insiders people to watch. She received her Master of Science from Carnegie Mellon University. Lily Liu is a self-proclaimed adrenaline junkie, and a lover of the arts.



CHRISTELLE THOMAS, Chair ETI, IAE Paris Sorbonne Business School, France - Christelle is the **Executive Director** of the Chair ETI – Entrepreneurship, Territory, Innovation - about Smart City, and oversees the Chair development and partnerships. She works closely with stakeholders involved in the urban policies, at national and international levels, with academic and private institutions to develop projects that address major challenges of the Smart City including Innovation, Environment, Social Business, Gender and Inclusion. Prior to this, she has been working for international agencies about Development and Global Health. She holds a Master degree in International Relations and International Project Management.

Woman in Science Award



DEBORAH BEREICHEZ, Metis, USA - Deborah Berebichez is a physicist, TV presenter and STEM advocate. She is the first Mexican woman to graduate with a physics Ph.D. from Stanford University. Dr. Berebichez is the co-host of Discovery Channel's Outrageous Acts of Science TV show (2012 – present) where she uses her physics background to explain the science behind extraordinary engineering feats. She also co-stars on the National Geographic TV show Humanly Impossible (2011). In addition, she is a TV presenter on the Travel Channel's Monumental Mysteries, on NOVA and CNN. Dr. Berebichez is currently the Chief Data Scientist at Metis, where she oversees the creation of excellent data science training programs.



SUE BLACK, Comic Relief, UK - Recently named in the list of top 50 women in tech in Europe, Sue is one of the leading tech personalities in the UK today. An award-winning computer scientist, radical thinker, and social entrepreneur Sue is well known for founding the high profile campaign to save Bletchley Park, capitalising upon social media as a fitting continuation of Bletchley's technological legacy. Sue is a passionate advocate for women in tech, and has spent the last 20 years campaigning for more recognition and support for women in computing. This led to her founding #techmums, a social enterprise which empowers mums and their families through technology. Sue is also an academic with 20+ years' experience with over 40 publications and a Ph.D. in software engineering to her name.

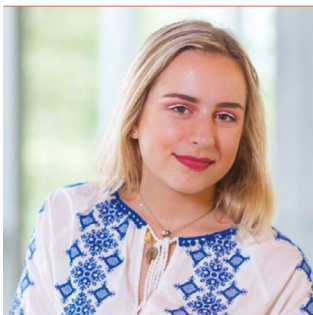


DR CHANUKI ILLUSHKA SERESINHE, The Alan Turing Institute, UK - Dr Chanuki Illushka Seresinhe is a data science researcher at the Alan Turing Institute in London and the Data Science Lab at the Warwick Business School. Chanuki's research entails using big online datasets and deep learning to understand how beautiful environments influence human wellbeing. Her research has been featured in the press worldwide including the Economist, Wired, The Times, BBC, Spiegel Online, Guardian, Telegraph and Scientific American. Before returning to university, Chanuki had a diverse career that included running her own digital design consultancy for over eight years in London.

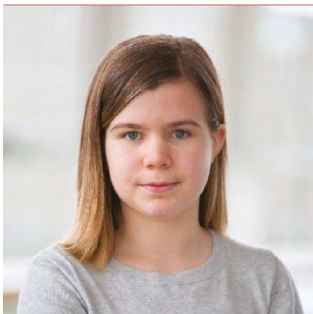


GAËLLE SAINT AURET, Genel, France - She has an expertise in oncology. Her Ph.D. involved cancers characterization. Following several years in basic research, she was eager to bridge the gap between basic and applied research by promoting new technologies that improve cancer care. After a successful training in strategic and business management, she created GENEL in 2014, a company specialized in screening drugs on mini 3D tumor models. GENEL, with its partners, is developing PERSOSCREEN, a personalized test that identifies the right treatment for the right patient. She feels that entrepreneurship can be created over the years without family background. She participates in congresses to promote women entrepreneurship and empowering. She emphasizes that motherhood is a strength!

Most Promising Junior Award



JOANA BAPTISTA, Zest - A Branch of Young Enterprise, *UK* - Joana is an award-winning 17-year-old founder of three startups, podcast show and Economics magazine, alongside her code-club, STEM workshops for disadvantaged pupils and Economics/Politics Conference, sponsored by Microsoft. She regularly gives talks to schools&universities, and once to HRH Princess Anne, and will speak at the AI World Summit and Innovation Enterprise Summits. She has also sat on and chaired, panels for Cambridge University, GirlGuides, STEMettes and Facebook, and recently was fully funded by the American Embassy to attend a Female Leadership conference in Boston. She is the proud winner of WeAreTheCity, InspiringJuniors, and Women of the Future Awards.



KARI LAWLER, Youth4AI, *UK* - Kari Lawler was accepted onto the Entrepreneurs for the Future Incubator at just 14 years old, where she became the youngest ever start-up on the Innovation Birmingham campus. Kari's rapid rise within the tech world, especially in the field of Artificial Intelligence has been acknowledged with multiple awards, including winning the coveted UK Space Agency SatelLife 2018 challenge. Now, at 15 and with mentorship from Barclays Eagle Labs, she has become an in-demand event speaker, championing young entrepreneurship and is in the process of setting up an AI Youth Programme, with the sole aim to encourage more 13 to 25-year-olds to explore and understand AI.



SABIHA SHAIK, Birla Institute of Technology and Science Pilani, Dubai Campus, *United Arab Emirates* - Sabiha is currently a Junior at BITS Pilani Dubai pursuing CS. She believes in using Tech to solve problems faced by society. Her startup idea, *Food for thought* was among the Top 10 and Honourable mentions in the Microsoft Big Idea Challenge 2018. It was also chosen among the top 20 teams by NYUAD for StartAD, an esteemed Entrepreneurship program. Her team BlockMed was also among the top 16 teams shortlisted by Intelak, a Travel Incubator. She is actively involved with the College ACM Student chapter as well as volunteers for 1mwtt by Oxford Entrepreneurs to promote tech.



AVANTI SHARMA, Workshop4Me A.S.B.L City, *Luxembourg* - Avanti, 11-year-old, was selected as a Finalist in Technology Playmaker awards 'Rising Star of the year', London. She has been coding since the age of 7 and started teaching youngsters since she was 9. Avanti participated in a worldwide app development contest Technovation Challenge and was selected as semifinalist 2018. Last year, she coded One-Click Safety App and wrote the business plan. Youngest speaker at conferences: Diversity Summit KPMG, Campus Italia, Milan, WonderWomaninTech, London, Scratch Conference Budapest, Hub Dot, Women and Girls in Science, London. She runs coding workshops such as Creative Computing, HourofCode, EU Code Week, Makerfest, Flight Academy visit, introduction to Scratch especially to inspire young girls to code.