



WeRobotics Global 2019 - Agenda

March 1, 2019 @ The Rockefeller Foundation, 420 Fifth Avenue, New York City

8:30 *Coffee & Refreshments*

8:45 **Welcome and Introductions**

9:00 **Session 1: Dispatches from the Growing Network of Flying Labs**

Select lightning talks by Flying Labs from Tanzania, Panama, South Pacific, India, Philippines, Dominican Republic, Peru, Uganda, Bénin, Morocco and/or Chile

Open discussion on future needs, opportunities and challenges

Break

10:30 **Session 2: Advances in Aerial Robotics & Ethical AI for the Social Sector**

Talks from select experts in robotics and AI applications for food security, nature conservation, disaster risk reduction and storytelling in conflict zones

Open discussion on future needs, opportunities and challenges

12:00 *Lunch - Flying Labs Roundables*

13:00 **Session 3: Transforming Transportation Through Cargo Robotics**

Talks from select experts who are pushing the envelope in the use of appropriate cargo drones for TB testing, medicine & blood delivery and Dengue reduction

Open discussion on future needs, opportunities and challenges

Break

14:30 **Session 4: Beyond Aerial Robotics**

Talks from select experts in the use of autonomous marine, ground and space robotics for waste management, farming, water preservation and development

Open discussion on future needs, opportunities and challenges

Break

16:00 **Closing Keynote: The Future of Robotics**

Celebrated Science Fiction Author Malka Older

Open discussion

16:30 **Conclusion and Next Steps**

Media Interviews, Cocktails and Networking