

Coming up on #KnightLive



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Equitable broadband in libraries, more about the Knight Arts Challenge, and a town hall on the future of technology.

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THIS WEEK ON
#KNIGHTLIVE

Join us from home to engage in live conversations about the future of our communities and democracy.

KNIGHT AND DIGITAL PUBLIC LIBRARY OF AMERICA
2021 Convening on libraries: toward equitable broadband
Monday, June 28, 2 p.m. ET | 11 a.m. PT

2021 CONVENING ON LIBRARIES

As we emerge from the pandemic, what role can libraries play in securing equitable broadband throughout communities in the U.S.? Knight and Digital Public Library of America are teaming up for an annual convening of library funders and community leaders to share lessons learned on effectively achieving equitable internet access and how libraries can continue to help in building more informed and engaged communities.

Featuring

Alberto Ibargüen, President, Knight Foundation
John Palfrey, President, MacArthur Foundation
Diane Kaplan, President/CEO, Rasmuson Foundation
Tracie D. Hall, Executive Director, American Library Association
Crosby Kemper, Director, Institute of Museum and Library Services
Greg Lucas, California State Librarian
Jill Bourne, City Librarian, San Jose Public Library
Juliet Fink-Yates, Digital Inclusion Fellow, City of Philadelphia
Jennie Stapp, Montana State Librarian
Felton Thomas Jr, Director, Cleveland Public Library

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KNIGHT ARTS

Knight Arts Challenge 2021 Town Hall

Thursday, July 1, 1 p.m. ET | 10 a.m. PT



What is your best idea for the arts in Akron, Detroit or Miami? The Knight Arts Challenge is back! Join us for this virtual town hall session, where we'll share more about the open call, answer your questions and offer tips for prospective applicants. We'll also hear from past challenge winners.

Host

Adam Ganuza, Officer/Arts, Knight Foundation

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FUTURE OF TECH COMMISSION

Advancing innovations in tech education and talent development

Wednesday, July 7, 6 p.m. ET | 3 p.m. PT



In partnership with the Future of Tech Commission, ExcelinEd and the Florida Chamber of Commerce, join Knight Foundation for a live-streamed town hall session in Miami. With our experts, we'll explore opportunities to advance innovations in tech talent development through federal and state policy, and public-private partnerships, as part of a series of town halls aimed to inform national technology policy.

Featuring

Governor Deval Patrick, co-commissioner, Future of Tech Commission; former Governor of Massachusetts

Madeline Pumariega, President, Miami Dade College

Mark Rosenberg, President, Florida International University

Jacky Wright, Chief Digital Officer, Microsoft

Marcell Haywood, CEO, Encompass

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