



IEEE Smart Cities Germany

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Join us for an interactive session with engineers and scientists from Munich Germany. Find out why Germany is top in the Smart Cities realm. Smart Buildings, Smart Transportation, Smart Citizenry, and Smart Medical makes Germany one of the top Smart Cities in the World! You don't want to miss this session.



Joel Myers

Leading technologist specializing in the creation and development of innovation technology solutions in the communications and management of cultural heritage, over the past 5 years he is focused on Business, Social and Campus networking as a core solution of Smart Cities.

As Co-Chair of the IEEE Internet of Things (IoT) Consortium Smart Cities Working Group (IEEE is the largest association in the world with 423,000 members from 160 countries), he is pioneering a "People-Centric" approach to Smart Cities development to create and promote a new global standard. This approach focuses on the "human experience" within a city, ensuring that technology solutions not only provide efficiencies for resources and services, but also ensure social well-being, personal development, and strong local business and economic growth.

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“The Internet of People Cities Initiative” is the first project to adopt this new “People-Centered” approach - a global drive to bring people truly “together” within a city, face-to-face, using mobile technologies as a facilitator. A cutting-edge platform called “HoozAround” provides real-life connectivity, stimulating opportunities to network and grow within Smart Cities, for the people who live, work and visit. City beneficiaries are local businesses and shops, visitors, trade fairs and conferences, local social communities, and university campuses.

A founding group of city members on a global scale is being developed to pilot and lead the initiative within Europe, the US, India, and Asia.

Joel Myers is Co-Chair of the Smart Cities track of the IEEE World Forum on IoT to be held in Limerick in April 2019, organizing 9 sessions over 3 days of presentations and panel discussions by 38 international expert speakers, on the future of Smart Cities.

The work carried out by Joel Myers has been published in international newspapers and journals such as the BBC, New York Times, Hong Times, the Hindu Times, Wired, and Forbes Magazine.

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Presentation Summary: “Tied into the Smart Campus Germany Presentation”

Future-proofing education. What does the smart, digitally connected campus of the future look like? The Smart Campus Initiative at the British Columbia Institute of Technology - BCIT is seeking answers to this question. A team of experts from across technology and education have come together to review the latest digital innovations and determine how these can be applied to create a ‘smart campus’ at BCIT. This project is supported by the Centre for Digital Transformation - C4DT and is currently in the initial ‘strategy development’ phase. This presentation will discuss lessons learned over the past year and provide insights into the road ahead as we continue the journey of achieving this ambitious transformation.

Bio

Currently lead for the BCIT Centre for Digital Transformation / Smart Campus Initiative – C4DT Taking technology transformations to new heights. Steve currently works in the information and communication technology ecosystem providing strategic solutions to his clients. Steve sees patterns where others see noise, whether it’s cyber/digital forensics, big data analytics challenges, risk management, digital transformation, or strategic innovation and change leadership. Combined with several professional and academic certifications; Steve epitomizes industry best practices within the field of information and communication technology, providing strategic insights for successful outcomes. Some of his past clients come from a variety of industries including financial services, law enforcement, oil and gas, retail, legal services, government, transportation, education and non-profit.

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