



**FUTURE
PORT**
PRAGUE



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FUTURE PORT PRAGUE 2018

The largest visionary futuristic
event in the heart of Europe

TOUCH THE FUTURE

This year's Future Port Prague with its 8000 participants created an enormous momentum. The 82 speakers from 15 countries fed everybody with a nonstop stream of inspiration painting a picture of the future where we are empowered, not intimidated by technology. The 100 innovative companies complemented speakers' concepts with real-world examples and let us experience first-hand technologies exploding into our lives. They will be soon so different.

My endless gratitude goes to all those who made Future Port Prague 2018 possible – our guarantors, advisors, partners, and the tireless team that touched every piece of this immense mosaic of the future.

Martin Holečko
Founder





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DAYS

8100
FESTIVAL
PARTICIPANTS



82
SPEAKERS
FROM

15
COUNTRIES

2000
INVITED
TALENTED
STUDENTS

100
EXHIBITORS

80
TALKS



300
CONFERENCE
PARTICIPANTS



FUTURE PORT CONFERENCE – ONE DAY CRASH COURSE ON EXPONENTIAL TECHNOLOGIES AND TRENDS IMPACTING BUSINESS AND THE WHOLE WORLD.

The 2018 speakers included such names as **Dr. Anita Sengupta**, a NASA space engineer and VP of Richard Branson's Virgin Hyperloop One covering the future of human travel; **Gerd Leonhard**, a futurist named by WIRED magazine among the 100 most influential individuals in Europe exploring the possible future for technology and humanity; and **Yuri van Geest** of Singularity University, co-author of the bestselling Exponential Organizations book, explaining principles that guide organizations that strive in these exponential times.

CONFERENCE SPEAKERS



Dr. Anita Sengupta (US)
Hyperloop One



Gerd Leonhard (DE)
Futurist, Humanist



Yuri van Geest (NL)
SingularityU, Futurist



Tadahiro Kawada (JP)
President at Kawada
Technologies



Amy Peck (US)
Endeavor VR /CEO ans
Global Enterprise VR
Consultant



Dolfi Müller (CH)
Mayor of Zug
the capital of Swiss
Cryptovalley



Christian Jacobsson
(SWE)
Head of Energy AI
at Alpiq



Martin Ruubel (EST)
e-Estonia, President at
Guardtime world's largest
Blockchain company



Prof. Martin Pumera
(CZ)
Nanorobot expert
World's most cited
scientist





***“Any company
designed for success
in the 20th century is
doomed to failure in
the 21st”.***

**— Yuri van Geest
FPP Keynote speaker**





Dr. Anita Sengupta, Prof. Pumera, and Tahadiro Kawada in a panel on Future of humanity



Networking dinner setup



Amy Peck (on stage in Prague) and Philip Rosedale (in SF, USA) in an transcontinental interview conducted in virtual reality



Futuristic show at the networking dinner



FESTIVAL EXPO – FULL OF INNOVATIVE PREMIERES

Virtual reality for gaming, for industry or as a time-machine taking visitors to the tragedy of 1968 Soviet occupation of Prague. Drones racing in incredible speeds and autonomous drones that can cooperate in flocks or defend an area against other hostile drones. Futuristic concept cars, including an electric formula. The 1st personal supercomputer, alongside an AI-powered camera which “sees” for the blind. Novel housing concepts, collaborative robots, a fully automated future home. The 1st 3D printed e-bike, a lunar vehicle, a drone-plane-car concept, revolutionary batteries using nanotechnology, and many more futuristic technologies from over 100 tech companies and labs.



“We made the first deal 15 minutes after the event opened. Our investment to come paid off itself in that moment several times over.”

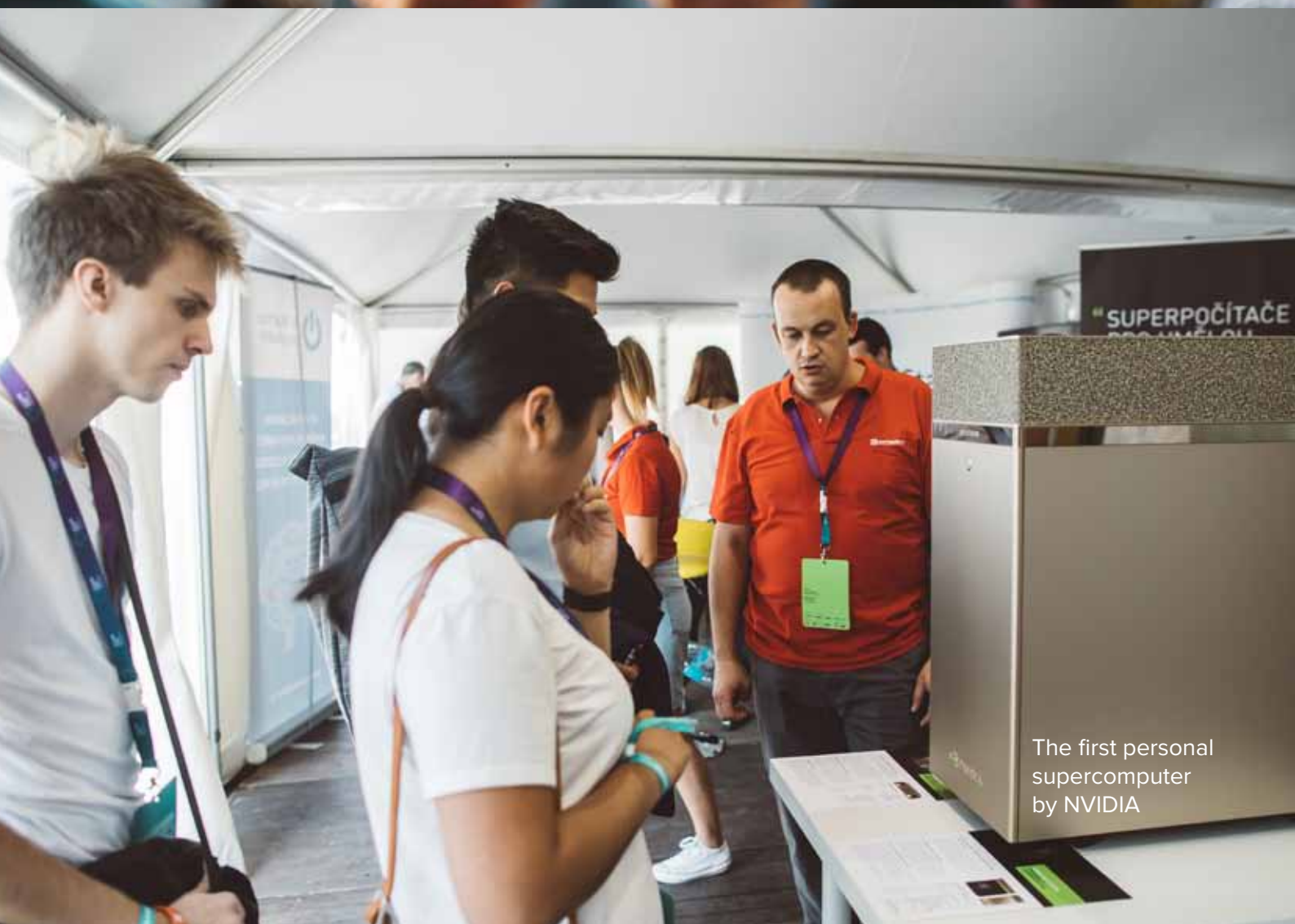
DRONE ARENA

Visitors could also look forward to official drone races with some of the world’s best pilots participating.





Visitors not only watched drone racing but also tried to pilot drones themselves



The first personal supercomputer by NVIDIA



Vision X, a futuristic hybrid concept by ŠKODA AUTO



Explaining the smart sensor-filled firefighter suit

FULL DAY OPEN-AIR STAGE PROGRAM – INSPIRING CASE STUDIES, EYE-OPENING TALKS, FUTURISTIC PRODUCT LAUNCHES

Besides the exhibition portion of the Festival, a lively open-air stage filled the two days with dozens of talks from speakers from over ten countries. A fantastic variety of presenters from cyborgs to space engineers and architects, from the author of world's most popular VR game to Wikipedia founder, experts in nanotech, biomechanics, and biorobotics, tech entrepreneurs, robot ethicists, legal experts, and many more brought insights and inspiration to the always full audience.





FESTIVAL SPEAKERS



Prof. Kevin Warwick
Cyborg & Researcher
UK



Wendell Wallach
Robots ethicist
US



Charlie Fink
Forbes contributor, AR/VR
Expert, writer & futurist
US



Diana Rádł Rogerová
Office Managing Partner,
Deloitte
CZ



Larry Sanger
Co-founder of Wikipedia,
CIO Everpedia
US



Josef Průša
3D Pioneer
CZ



Kyle Acierno
Lunar Commerce
Specialist
LX



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Marketing Manager
Google
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Nanopharma CEO
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Telemedicine enthusiast
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Ján Ilavský
Hyperbolic Magnetism,
Co-founder
CZ



Bob Tetiva

Sense Arena / Founder
and Project Director
CZ



Fernando De Los Rios

CEO at Hyperion
Robotics
US



Kris Layng

Artist-in-Residence at
NYU Future Reality Lab
US



Jan Lukačević

Space Engineer
CZ



Daniel Sýkora

Czech Technical
University
CZ



René Waclavíček

Space Architect
AT



Tomáš Těthal

CEO of IQ Structures
CZ



Marek Polčák

CEO & Co-founder of
VRgineers
CZ



Katarína Čabáková

Co-CEO of Ecocapsule
CZ



Tomáš Žáček

Ecocapsule
SK



Martin Švík

Executive IT architect at
IBM
CZ



Samar Singla

Jugnoo = Founder of the
largest AI rickshaw startup
IN



Alžběta Krausová

Legal Researcher
CZ



**Jean-Baptiste Latil
D'albertas**

Development Manager at
Navya, FR



Michal Gloger

Expert in biomechanics
and biorobotics
CZ



Jan Hovora

CEO Pocket Virtuality
CZ



Lada Vyvialová

Nanotech Fashion
Designer
CZ



Marvan Shamma

OneProve CEO
CZ



Bach Nguyen

Marketing Manager at
SatoshiLabs
CZ



Pavel König

Founder of nvias.org
CZ



Diego Saikin

Aerospace Enthusiast
IL



Andreas Furmanek

Fusion Drone CEO
DE



Jindřich Fialka

The Greenest Company
Co-Founder
CZ



Vladimír Vencálek

Cryptominer
CZ



Petr Václavěk

Foodgroot Founder
CZ

ŠKODA AUTO BRINGS 850 EMPLOYEES TO FUTURE PORT PRAGUE AS A PART OF A COMPANY-WIDE EDUCATION PROGRAM

The well-known car manufacturer and the largest Czech company has been a partner of Future Port Prague since its founding 2 years ago through its ŠKODA AUTO Digilab.

This year the company expanded their participation in the event using it as a **company-wide educational platform** focused on future technologies, innovations and trends:

- **850 employees in managerial roles visited the event**
- **89% came back inspired and view the technologies presented as crucial for the future of their company**
- **97% sees to continuous education in digital skills, new technology and innovation as important**
- **Dozens of ideas and new technologies spotted at the event are being evaluated for possible use in the company**

The carmaker's recruiters also appreciated the possibility to connect with thousands of tech enthusiasts, the people they continuously seek, in the hiring zone at the Festival.

At the expo, the company was represented by ŠKODA Design with the futuristic concept Vision X and ŠKODA AUTO Digilab with projects like HoppyGo carsharing, and mobility as a service.



ŠKODA AUTO employees exploring newest technologies at the Future Port Festival



Mr. Bernhard Maier, the Chairman of the Board at ŠKODA AUTO the CEO of ABB Tania Vanio discuss technological trends at Future Port Prague

"I am definitely recommending my colleagues to join in next time".



ŠKODA AUTO Team in the hiring zone



Mr. Bernhard Maier meets keynote speakers Dr. Anita Sengupta (US) and Tahadiro Kawada (JP) who presented trends in the future of mobility and collaborative robotics respectively.

"Amazing experience!"

SIDE PROGRAM

KIDSXO & TEENSXO – KIDS PROGRAM BY DELOITTE

Deloitte, one of event's partners, organized special program for children and the youth helping them get excited about modern technology like virtual reality, drones, education with Minecraft, sustainable housing and more. The kids also met with keynote speakers Anita Sengupta, a former NASA space engineer, cyborg Kevin Warwick, and Charlie Fink, former Disney manager.



“Great opportunity to learn about new technologies and try them out personally”.



BEAT SABER TOURNAMENT

Beat Saber is world's most popular VR rhythm game created in Prague. The visitors had a chance to compete in a whole-day tournament or get their own mixed reality video playing.



ROTORAMA OPEN FPP 2018

The popular Drone zone hosted this year official drone races organized by **Rotorama**. Czech pilots are currently amongst the top drone racers globally bringing the show to a world level.

LAUNCHPAD

The Festival Stage hosted a set of premieres, first-offs, and new innovative product announcements in the Future Port Launchpad category.



MACHINE ETHICS SYMPOSIUM

Machine Ethics Symposium, organized in the frame of Future Port Prague, brought together a unique group of masterminds and luminaries of machine ethics to deep-dive into the practical solutions of implementing ethical principles in AI, robotics, and blockchain.

The Symposium was led by Nell Watson, one of the foremost experts in the field, the co-founder of Ethicsnet, a non-profit building a community with the purpose of co-creating a dataset for machine ethics algorithms, and AI faculty at Singularity University.



SPEAKERS



Nell Watson (US),
Guarantor of AI,
Singularity university faculty,
co-founder Ethicsnet



Wendell Wallach (US),
Robots ethicist



Roman V. Yampolskiy (US),
Associate professor
at University of Louisville



Ryan Jenkins (US),
Senior fellow at the ethics



Anish Mohammed (UK),
Technologist



Skinner Layne (US),
Exosphere academy /
Founding rector



Yolanda Lannquist (US),
AI policy researcher,
The Future Society



Denis Rivin (DN),
Factotum / Founding father



Alžběta Krausová (CZ),
Legal researcher



FUTURE OF YOU – HOW WILL EDUCATION AND WORK LOOK LIKE IN THE FUTURE

Another essential part of Future Port Prague was the Future of You hall with future jobs fair and talks about optimizing human potential, skills, and knowledge in the future. Speakers included Jan Straka, Hanka Půlllová, Diana Rádl Rogerová, Martin Šíp, Tomáš Hajzler, Julia Gaia Poupětová, Josef Šlerka, Silvie Lauder, David Kořínek, Zuzana Marie Kostičová, Ingrid Popovič, Filip Mikschík, Jan Lukačevič, Jan Vojáček, and Alžběta Krausová.



WORKSHOPS TESTED PARTICIPANTS' PRACTICAL ABILITIES

Practical **workshops** were prepared for festival and conference participants, showcasing how to use technologies and methods of exponential leadership. People could make their own chatbots, study blockchain technologies, build a crypto-safe, examine nanofibers, or experience virtual reality.



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UNPRECEDENTED MEDIA COVERAGE

Future Port Prague 2018 has been the most media-covered tech event in the country boosting over 300 articles in dozens of media with over 140 accredited journalists on the spot including global news agencies like Reuters and EFE. Articles keep pouring even after the event based on interviews with the speakers, which we mediated during the event.

The Future Port Talk radio broadcast featuring Martin Holečko, CEO of Future Port Prague, and his guests will also continue on YouRadio and Radio Z.

EXTENSIVE COVERAGE BY CZECH TELEVISION AND DVTV



Dr. Anita Sengupta on Science 24 show on Czech TV



Interview with Martin Holečko on DVTV.



Kyborg Kevin Warwick interviewed by Emma Smetana in DVTV.



Moderator Daniel Stach during live broadcasting from FPP 2018.



DVTV moderator Martin Veselovský exploring XTAL from VRgineers during interview with Martin Holečko.



Martin Holečko in TV studio created in the heart of FPP.





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