

IEEE AGE TECH WORKSHOP
JUNE 9 & 10, 2025
TUFTS UNIVERSITY
JOYCE CUMMINGS CENTER

PROGRAM

Day 1 – AgeTech
Workshop June 9, 2025
11:30 AM – 6:00 PM

Time	Event	Room
11:30 – 12:45	Lunch	
12:45	Welcome – George Arnold <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introductions• Housekeeping items	
1:00 – 1:30	AgeTech Workshop – Background, Goals and Expected Outcomes George Arnold	
1:30 – 2:15	IEEE AgeTech Overview – Thinking Globally, Acting Locally, Taking it Personally – An individual and stakeholder perspective Michael Andrews, Managing Partner, Andrews & Associates	
2:15 – 3:00	From Detection to Prevention: Wearables and the Future of Senior Safety Management Professor Harivardhagini (Hari) Subadhra, Professor and Head, Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering, CVR College of Engineering, Hyderabad India	
3:00 – 3:15	Break	
3:15 – 4:00	Enhancing Access to Innovative and Age-Friendly Tech Solutions Brittne Kakulla, Senior Research Advisor in Consumer Insights, AARP	
4:00 – 4:30	The Process for Setting the Standards Peter Wishart, Secretary, IEEE SSIT Standards Committee	
4:30 – 5:00	Age-Responsive Design: A New Paradigm for Demographic Inversion Radia Funna, Futurist Principal, Build n Blaze UN Special Advisor	
5:00 – 5:30	Opportunity for Better Solutions, Standards and Measurements Eugene Chang, AgeTech Executive Committee	
5:30 – 6:00	Wrap-up of Day 1 and Orientation to Day 2 Breakouts	

6:00	Adjournment	
	Dinner for On-site Participants	

Day 2 – AgeTech
Workshop June 10, 2025
9:00 AM – 5:30 PM

Time	Event	Room
7:00 – 8:30	Breakfast	
8:30 – 8:45	Opening and Day 1 Recap	
8:45 – 10:15	Featured Speakers – AgeTech Impact and Global Reach <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:45 – 9:30 Ruomei Li – Invite Research Fellow, Tsinghua Univ., Chair of IEEE WIP PES. 9:30 – 10:15: Rada Sandic-Spaho, Faculty of Nursing and Health Science, Nord University, Norway. Findings from studies from healthcare professionals and older patients in palliative care and implications for standardization 	
10:15 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – noon	Morning Breakout Sessions: Standards & Education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Standards Breakout: Establish foundational priorities for AgeTech standards. Education Breakout: Clarify foundational educational priorities for AgeTech users, caregivers, and developers that can be addressed by IEEE. 	
Noon – 1:00	Lunch	
1:00 – 3:00	Afternoon Breakout Sessions: Standards & Education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Finalize discussions and agree on recommendations. 	
3:00 – 3:15	Break	
3:15 – 4:45	Breakout Groups Report Out	
4:45 – 5:30	IEEE AgeTech Call to Action – Summary of Action Plans, Next Steps and Resource Requirements	
5:30	Adjournment	
	Dinner for On-site Participants	