### Tentative 2018 SPRI Conference Technical Program

**Theme: “Solving Industry Challenges Through Research”**  
**Wednesday, June 27, 2018**

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