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2026 U.S.–KOREA STANDARDS FORUM

Friday, July 31, 2026

Grand Hyatt Denver
1750 Welton Street, Denver, CO 80202

Advance Registration Required: www.ansi.org/summit

The U.S.–Korea Standards Forum brings together U.S. and Korean government and industry leaders to share expertise and shape collaboration on some of today’s most consequential technologies. This year’s forum features high-level dialogues and expert panels on priority areas including artificial intelligence, quantum technologies, future mobility, and biotechnology.

| Times (MDT) | Discussion and Speakers |
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| 9:00 | Registration and Continental Breakfast |
| 10:00 – 10:10 | Opening Remarks |
| 10:10 – 10:25 | <p>Welcome Remarks</p> <p>Laurie E. Locascio, Ph.D., NAE, President and CEO, American National Standards Institute (ANSI)</p> <p>Daeja Kim, Administrator, Korean Agency for Technology and Standards (KATS)</p> <p>Dongmin Moon, Chairman & CEO, Korean Standards Association (KSA)</p> |
| 10:25 – 10:55 | <p>Keynote Speeches</p> <p>Senior U.S. and Korean leaders discuss the strategic priorities, shared challenges, and opportunities ahead for bilateral standards cooperation.</p> |
| 10:55 – 11:10 | Coffee Break |
| 11:10 – 12:10 | <p>Standards for Artificial Intelligence</p> <p>U.S. and Korean experts discuss standards priorities and cooperation opportunities in artificial intelligence, including shared technical challenges and the path to interoperable, trustworthy, and ethical AI systems.</p> <p><i>Audience Q&A to follow.</i></p> <p>Moderator: Ajit Jillavenkatesa, Vice Chair of the Board of Directors, ANSI</p> |

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| | <p>Panelists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Muhammad Ali, Standards and Policy Strategist, HP, Inc. • Alexandra Robinson, Director - AI Systems and Platforms, Responsible AI, Slalom • Yeong-im Cho, Professor, Gacheon University • Sun-ho Ahn, Team Manager, Korea Testing Laboratory (KTL) |
| 12:10 – 1:10 | Networking Lunch |
| 1:10 – 2:10 | <p>Standards for Future Mobility</p> <p>U.S. and Korean experts explore standards priorities for future mobility, focusing on unmanned aircraft and intelligent and connected vehicles, and the cross-border interoperability needed to support next-generation transportation.</p> <p><i>Audience Q&A to follow.</i></p> <p>Moderator: You-Jun CHOI, Team Leader, Automated Driving System Research Center, Korea Automotive Technology Institute</p> <p>Panelists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jeff Grove, Vice President, Global Policy, Cooperation and Communications, ASTM International • Glauci Fernandez, Senior Program Manager, UL Standards & Engagement • Hak-Sung Kim, Chief Researcher, LG Electronics |
| 2:10 – 2:20 | Coffee Break |
| 2:20 – 3:20 | <p>Standards for Quantum Technologies</p> <p>U.S. and Korean experts examine standards needs across quantum computing, sensing, and communications, with attention to the supply chain, measurement infrastructure, and international cooperation required to support a global quantum industry.</p> <p><i>Audience Q&A to follow.</i></p> <p>Moderator: TBD</p> <p>Panelists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Austin S. Lin, Head of U.S. Delegation to ISO/IEC JTC 3 • Sangyun Uhm, General Manager, IDQuantique Ltd. • Joon-Shik Park, Chief Researcher, Korea Electronics Technology Institute |
| 3:20 – 3:30 | Coffee Break |
| 3:30 – 4:30 | <p>Standards for Biotechnology</p> <p>U.S. and Korean experts discuss standards priorities in biotechnology, from emerging therapeutics and bioprocessing to the regulatory and measurement frameworks that support safe, interoperable bioscience.</p> <p><i>Audience Q&A to follow.</i></p> <p>Moderator: TBD</p> <p>Panelists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matthew Williams, Vice President of Standards, Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation (AAMI) |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Insup NOH, Professor, Seoul National University of Science & Technology |
| 4:30 – 4:40 | Closing Remarks and Adjournment |