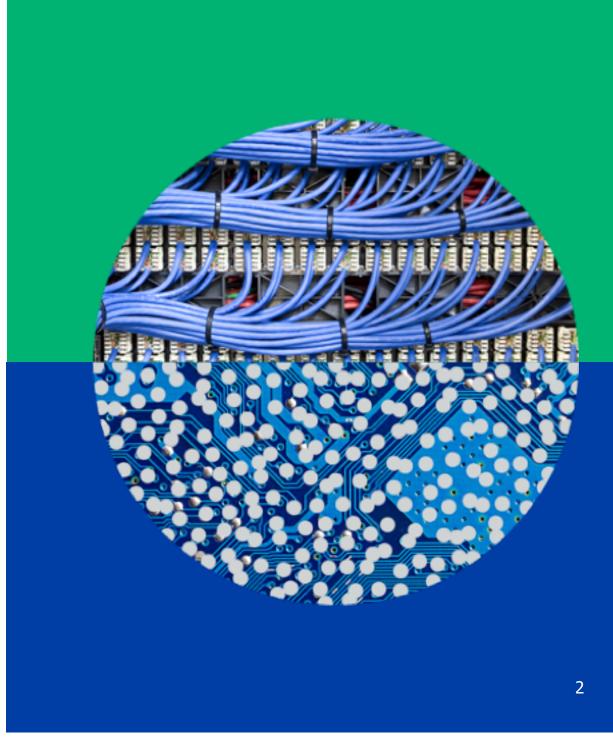




# Smart Cities Overview FOLA Plenary

Presented By: Sasha Sud Director, Smart Cities

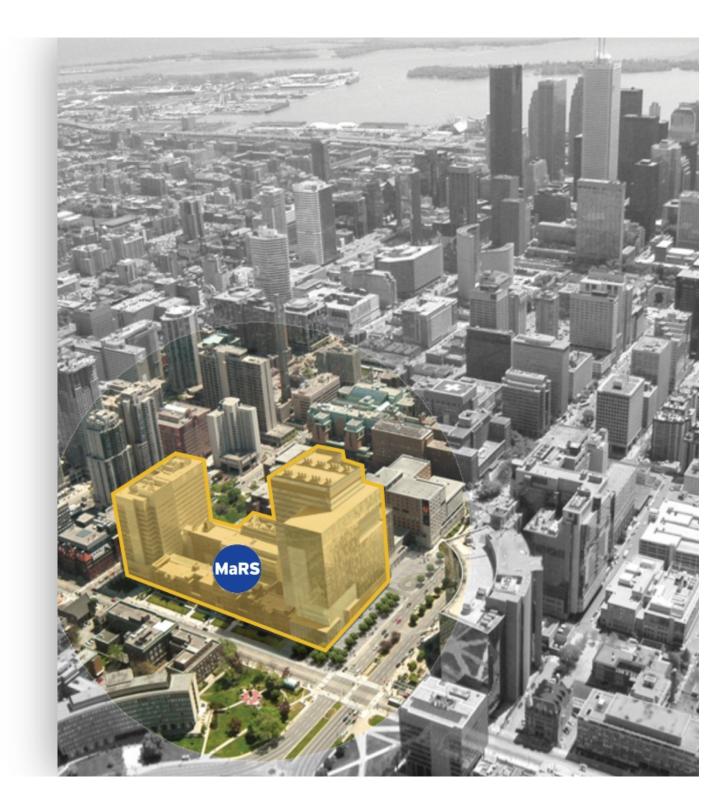
# **MaRS Overview**





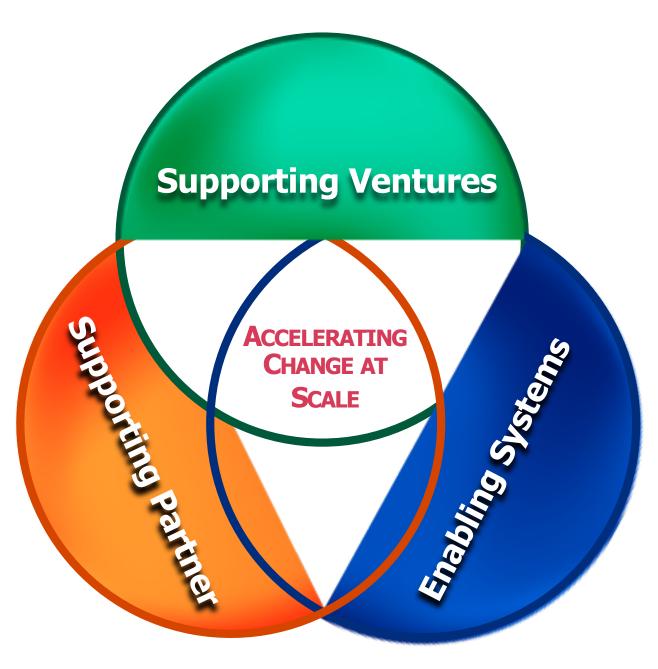
# MaRS is North America's largest urban innovation hub

- 1.5 million sq. ft. of research labs and tech offices in downtown Toronto
- 1,400 high-growth ventures supported
- 150 tenants, including Facebook, PayPal, JLABS, Airbnb, Samsung, Merck and Autodesk
- Adding another 400,000 sq. ft. by 2021 on the Toronto waterfront in partnership with the University of Toronto



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## The MaRS Formula: A Hub for Canada's Convergent Innovation





# **Supporting Ventures**

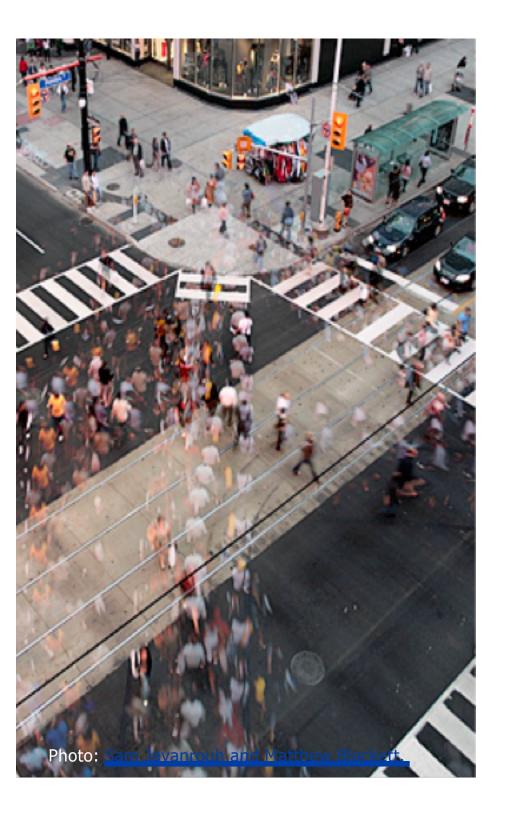
## How MaRS helps companies succeed



Scale Up Platform by FedDev Help 30 Ontario companies reach

# Supporting Partners: Our Partners





# **Enabling Systems**

We help innovators **make a better world** by convening, experimenting with, and mobilizing systems toward positive impact.

As a knowledgeable, neutral third party, MaRS Solutions Lab works with partners and participants across the system through these approaches:

- 1) Help stakeholders **understand problems and opportunities** from multiple perspectives.
- 2) Build new shared **understanding among diverse stakeholders** to unlock opportunity.
- 3) Experiment with **new business models, technologies, regulations** to determine what works.
- 4) Help partners implement and scale the most **promising solutions** capable of transforming policy, markets and culture.

# **The Urban Context**



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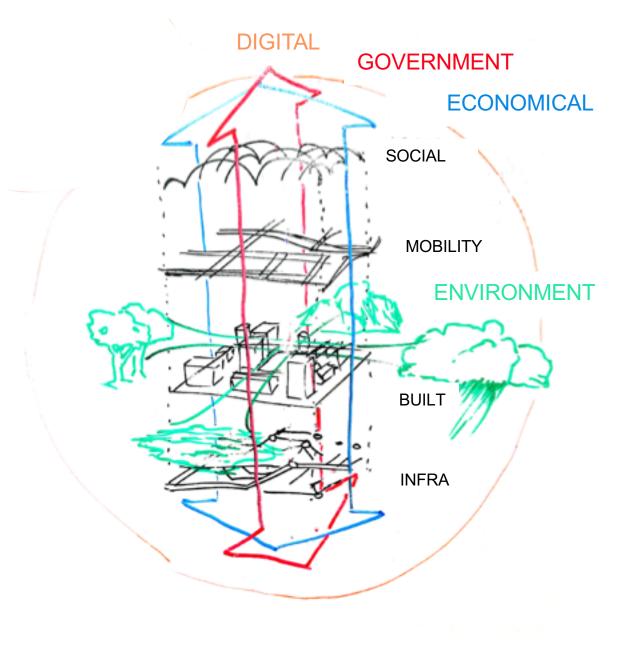
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# The Urban Context

Rapid population growth and rapid rate of technological change is causing HUGE challenges.

### CITIES:

- 55% of World population
- 80% of the population in Canada.
- 2% of Earth's surface
- Produce 70% of the world's GHG emissions
- Consume 2/3 of energy worldwide.



# Urban challenges are people every day...

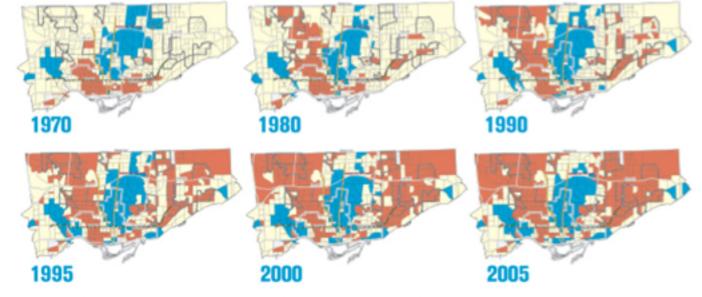
### These challenges affect people

- Transportation: People accessing jobs, students selecting courses based on bus schedules
- **Health:** Asthma in young children
- **Climate:** Frequent flooding and fires
- **Social:** Seniors being socially isolated
- Affordability: Young people and families having to choose to pay rent OR pay for childcare OR pay for food

AVERAGE INDIVIDUAL INCOME, CITY OF TORONTO, RELATIVE TO THE TORONTO CMA, 1970-2005



Middle: 20% Below to 20% Above Low: More than 20% Below



Census Tract Average Individual Income, Relative to the Toronto CMA Average, 1970-2005

Number (#) and Percentage (%) of Census	1970		1980		1990		1995		2000		2005	
Tracts in Three Income Groups by Year		%		%	*	%		%		%		%
High Income: More than 20% Above	77	15%	69	13%	86	17%	88	17%	93	18%	94	18%
Middle Income: 20% Below to 20% Above	341	66%	311	61%	264	51%	190	37%	165	32%	149	29%
Low Income: More than 20% Below	97	19%	134	26%	164	32%	236	46%	257	50%	271	53%

NOTES: 1. Based on census tract boundaries 2001 held constant over time; 2. Table counts exclude census tracts with no income published for 1970. 3. Table counts include census tracts with income published in 1970 but unpublished in one or more years after 1970.

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# How we see Smart Cities

Through engaging with key stakeholders and civic society

Being more responsive, proactive, efficient and cost effective

Smart cities **engage** communities and leverage technology in **innovative** ways to address growing urban **challenges** and generating **positive** outcomes for society.

Innovative partnerships, business models, technologies and innovative procurement processes

Driving better Economic, Social and Environmental outcomes

# THE WORLD'S FAVOURITE NEWSPAPER - Since 1879

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## **NEVER PAY SHIPPING!**

### **AV** DATA SHARING BRING INCONCEIVABLE EFFICIENCIES



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### MICRO-TARGETING ADS SURGE AFTER AV DATA BREACH



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### HACKERS HOLD CITY HOSTAGE – CONTROL AND WEAPONIZE AVS

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### COMMUTE TIMES HALVED: AI, AV DATA SHARING & ANALYTICS DRIVE THE CHANGE

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# **Key Considerations**

The digitization of everything..

### How do we

- Collect Data
- Access Data
- Share Data

### **Smart City Data approaches**

- Data Trusts
- Data exchanges
- Smart Consent



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## **VISION ZERO, NOW A REALITY**

## PLANNED AV PILOTS & REGULATIONS GUIDE

### THE WAY



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### PERSONAL AUTO INSURANCE PREMIUMS DECREASE AGAIN, 10 YEARS IN A ROW

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### LOOSE REGULATIONS, LOST LIVES

### **100 ACCIDENTS IN FIRST SNOW STORM: AVS** DON'T DELIVER



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### **AV BAN BRINGS CITIES TO A STAND-STILL**

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# **Key Considerations**

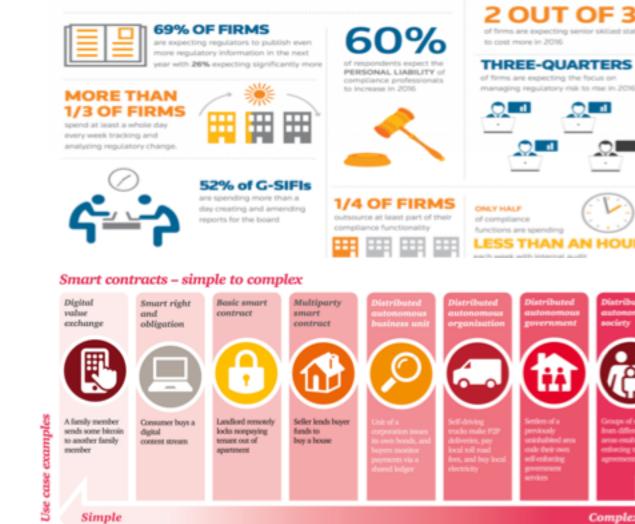
How can we generate better outcomes/solutions in this fast paced environment?

- **Regulatory Sandboxes**
- Smart Contracts
- Machine Readable Regulation
- Rules as Code



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### THE RISING COST OF COMPLIANCE



Source: Thomson Reuters 2016, Cost of compliance survey Source: pricewaterhousecoopers

Complex

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## FATHER TUCKS DAUGHTER IN BED FOR FIRST TIME

### AVs reduce commute time by $\frac{1}{2}$



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### **AV** SHARING INCENTIVES MAKES GRIDLOCKED CITY PROSPER AGAIN

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### ROAD RAGE INCIDENTS SPIKE AS INCREASING & CAUTIOUS AVS GRIND DAILY COMMUTES TO A HALT





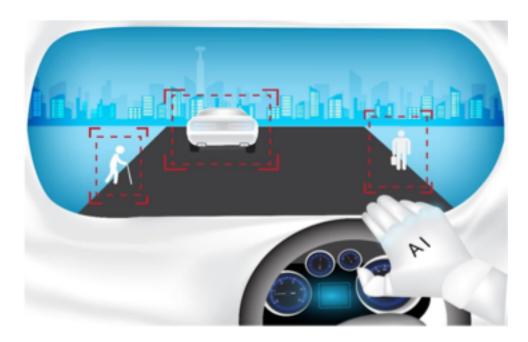
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# **Key Considerations**

- How do you manage liability with the introduction of AV fleets that offer Mobility-as-a-Service solutions?
- How do you manage, regulate insurance in that context?
- How do you govern ethics around an AV or machine making decisions about saving some lives (passengers) while endangering others (pedestrians)?







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### **Sidewalk Labs & Toronto**

- Real estate
- Data Privacy
- Intellectual Property
- Fairer Deal
- Canadian Participation

## Sharing Economy: Redesigning Regulation for Uber & AirBnB

**Summary**. The rising popularity of the 'sharing economy' is

disrupting markets like transportation and accommodation and forcing governments to redesign regulation. The Sharing Economy Public Design project was a partnership with the Province of Ontario and the City of Toronto to apply a design perspective to this complex problem.

#### Approach.

Over the course of 8 months (2016-2017), we:

- 1. Interviewed 136 individuals; including taxi drivers, uberX drivers, hotel managers, Airbnb hosts and many others who are subject to regulation.
- 2. Convened 100 relevant stakeholders to validate our analysis and help co-design possible solutions over 3 workshops.

**Outcomes.** Published a public report which presents a 5-step framework for cities to develop a sharing economy strategy. The City of Toronto and Province of Ontario adopted majority of recommendations for new transportation regulation. MSL was invited to work with the City of Toronto to work on short-term rental regulation.



Shifting Perspectives: Redesigning Regulation for the Sharing Economy: https://www.marsdd.com/systems-change/mars-solutions-lab/redesigning-regulation-for-the-sharing-economy/

# **MaRS - Faurecia Partnership**

### Faurecia and MaRS have been partners since 2017

**Faurecia** is a global leader in automotive technology that provides innovative solutions to automotive challenges within its four strategic businesses: Faurecia **Seating**, Faurecia **Interiors**, Faurecia Clarion **Electronics** and Faurecia **Clean Mobility**.



300 sites and 34 research and development centers in 37 countries



1 in 3 cars globally have technology produced by Faurecia



122,000+ employees



6.216B market cap



# **MaRS - Faurecia Partnership**

Convening select stakeholders within and beyond the mobility ecosystem to identify key opportunities.

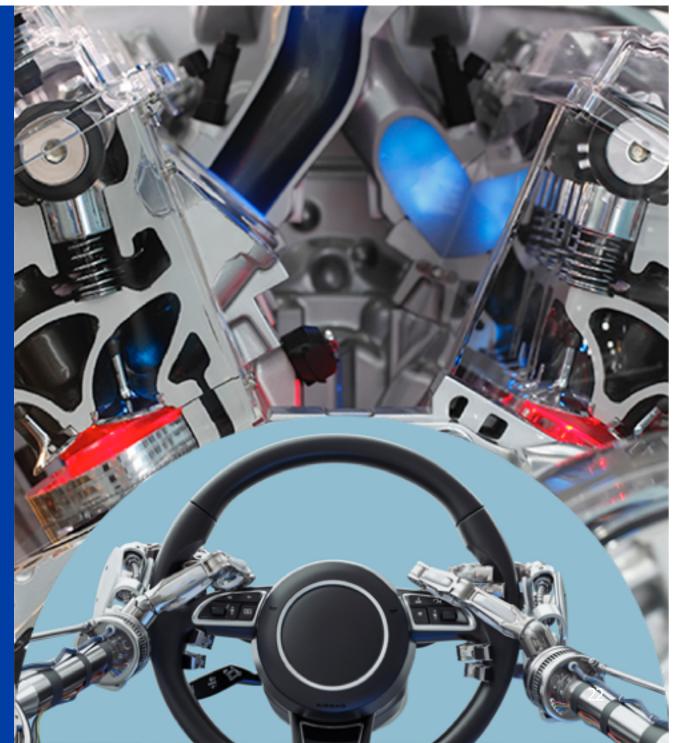
- 1. Health Data Acquisition & Sharing
- 2. Urban and Rural Health MaaS
- 3. Aging and Mobility



# **Digital Wellness Program**

**Challenge Statement** 

Faurecia is seeking to **improve wellness outcomes** for individuals through the creation of **data-enabled products and services** that can originate from, and/or, be fully deployed within the **vehicle interior of the future** 



# Data Trusts: Enabling Smart City Data Management

**Summary.** Smart neighbourhoods like Ouayside on Toronto's Waterfront have the potential to radically improve quality of life for residents through the collection, sharing and use of public realm data, but also raise important privacy, security and equity concerns. Waterfront Toronto asked MaRS Solutions Lab to explore the potential of a civic digital trust to responsibly share smart city data.

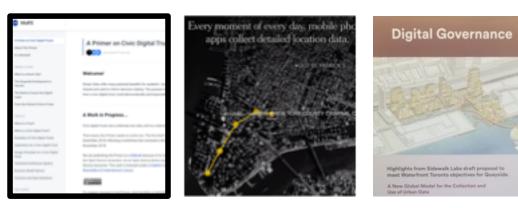
#### Approach.

- Global scan
  - Documenting global case studies
  - Surveying business, legal, and technical models
- Primary Research 2.
  - 12 subject matter expert interviews ٠
  - Workshop 37 experts from 26 public and private organizations, and advocacy groups
- 3. Gitbook
  - Living document for expert feedback •
  - 22 contributors ٠

**Outcomes.** Created a Data Trust Primer to inform both private and public entities and civil society. The Primer overviewed and contextualized the following areas:

- The need for better data governance within a smart city
- What a data trust is and its potential forms Use cases to contextualize a data trust in various scenarios
- Call to action around stakeholder engagement, prototyping, and alternative models





# **APPENDIX**

## Autonomous Vehicles: Enabling AVs in Toronto - Sidewalk Labs

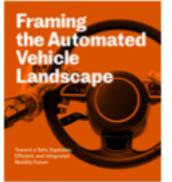
**Summary.** MaRS Solutions Lab and MaRS Smart Cities with support from Sidewalk Labs set out to address the question of how we might create market and policy conditions that enable automated vehicles to support safe, equitable, and efficient transportation models for Toronto and Ontario?

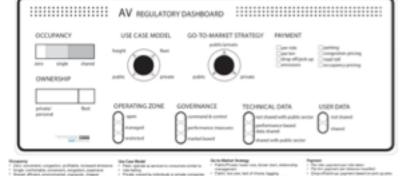
**Approach.** Over a six-week period spanning November to December 2018 our team performed research and convened stakeholders to deliberate on automated vehicle (AV) deployment in Toronto, with a focus on safety and microeconomic considerations.

- 1. Secondary Research: Rapid research and horizon scan to provide an overview of the future of AV deployment timelines and understand the current landscape.
- 2. Primary Research: Interviews with 13 national and international AV experts to inform workshop design and report development.
- 3. Co-Design Workshop: Developed and delivered a co-design workshop with 26 participants from public, private, academic, and civil society organizations to test regulatory levers and explore future scenarios.

**Outcomes.** Developed a publicly available report that summarizes our highlevel insights and nine recommendations for automated vehicle deployment. We are focused on scoping considerations for a deeper collaborative process, in which companies, government, civil society, and citizens can codesign and deploy (1) regulatory interventions to manage AV deployment, and (2) use cases for emerging transportation technologies that solve for both social need and commercial viability.







## Civic Capital Lab: New Investment Models for Cities

**Summary.** The lab is tackling emerging challenges faced in cities through new forms of financing to create equitable and regenerative forms of urban development. This includes both financing a new class of solutions and finding a new innovative way of financing itself.

**Approach.** In the next two 90-day sprints, the Civic Capital Lab will engage with each of these communities of investors, developers, government and innovators, to share the work done to date and listen to their point of view and culminate this engagement with a launch event in Fall 2019.

#### **Outcomes.**

- Inform different audiences on the value proposition of social finance
- Build a parade of champions and participants: Catalyze interest from targeted interest groups to participate in the civic capital lab's experiments as a participant, funder or champion
- Build momentum for the social change being targeted through the civic capital lab toward the work being carried out







