

HIMSS NCA: Exploring Blockchain Value
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Speaker Bios and PoC Information

Name	Role	Title and PoC Information
Emily Mitchell	Moderator and HIMMS NCA Programs Committee Member	Emily Mitchell Senior Manager, Accenture Federal Services
<p>Emily Mitchell is a Senior Manager at Accenture Federal Services Health and Public Service practice. She has more than 17 years of experience providing consulting services to public service and private clients. Since 2011, she has supported Accenture projects at the Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT (ONC). She is one of the authors of Accenture's "Blockchain: Securing a New Health Interoperability Experience" paper, which was selected as one of fifteen winners in ONC's Blockchain Challenge in August 2016. In 2018, Emily served as the Accenture Federal Services Blockchain Lead, during which she established the Accenture Federal Services Blockchain Community of Interest, and facilitated blockchain conversations with a variety of federal clients. Emily is now focused on an Accenture project with ONC to help improve integration of PDMPs and health IT, in response to the opioid crisis. Emily served as the HIMSS Government Relations Roundtable Vice Chair from 2016-2018, and is currently a member of the HIMSS NCA Planning Committee.</p>		
Roger Boodoo	Panelist	Commander Roger Boodoo, M.D. Radiologist, Defense Health Agency
<p>Roger Boodoo, MD, is a practicing Radiologist and recently completed a Clinical Informatics Fellowship at the University of Illinois, Chicago. Following the fellowship, he returned to the Navy and is currently stationed at the Defense Health Agency, Falls Church, VA. Commander Boodoo believes blockchain can be used to solve many of healthcare's pain points and to innovate with novel solutions.</p>		
Jose	Panelist	Jose L. Arrieta Associate Deputy Assistant Secretary for Acquisition Assistant Secretary for Financial Resources (ASFR) U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
<p>Jose Arrieta joined the HHS team in January 2018, and brings over 14 years expertise in policy, procurement and technology solutions to HHS. He has deep experience in all phases of the acquisition life cycle and has served in a broad range of roles including contracting officer, budget manager, financial manager, small business executive and program manager. He is a respected leader in applying emerging technologies, especially blockchain, artificial intelligence and robotic process automation, to Federal acquisition challenges.</p>		
Debbie Bucci	Panelist	Debbie Bucci Security and System Branch Chief, IT Architect Standards/OTEC/ONC/OS/HHS
<p>Debbie Bucci is the Security and Systems Branch Chief and an IT Architect in the Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT (ONC). Her primary focus is on the privacy and security aspects of Health Information Exchange and in particular the security standards that are used to support Open APIs. Debbie tends to keep an eye on emerging standards and technology. She has been previously recognized, both within HHS and nationally, for her work in Federated Identity Management.</p>		
Orlando Lopez	Panelist	Orlando Lopez, PhD Director, Dental Materials & Biomaterials Program National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research National Institutes of Health
<p>Dr. Orlando Lopez has over 20 years of experience leading MedTech innovation in academia and U.S. Federal agencies, including: biomedical research, early stage product development, regulatory affairs and technology portfolio management. Orlando is a Program Official at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) where he contributes to leadership of scientific strategies and direction of new initiatives to promote biomedical innovation in academia and small business. Orlando received a Ph.D. in biomedical engineering from the Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Science and a B.S. in biomedical engineering from Boston University.</p>		