



HR Resilience and Rebirth
Day of Learning, May 6, 2025

Time	Agenda	Session title and speaker
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Registration and breakfast	
9:15 a.m. – 9:20 a.m.	Welcome remarks	<i>Corinne Bendersky</i> <i>Faculty Chair, HARRT at UCLA</i>
9:20 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Opening session	Listening with your words <i>Hanne Collins, Assistant Professor of Management and Organizations, UCLA</i>
10:15 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Bruin talks introduction	CHRO trends for 2025: Resilience amid uncertainty <i>John Bremen, Managing Director and Chief Innovation & Acceleration Officer, WTW</i>
10:20 a.m. – 11:05 a.m.	Bruin talks each lasting 15 minutes	Navigating 2025: The impact of U.S. policy shifts on rewards programs and HR strategies <i>Lindsay Wiggins, North American Fair Pay Co-leader, WTW</i>
		Strategies for retention and change management during disruption <i>James Harris, Principal, Corporate Development Integration, Google</i>
		Organization design considerations when undergoing significant change <i>Chris Taitague, Global People & Culture Lead, Roche</i>
11:05 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Refreshment break and move to 2nd floor	
11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Bruin talks deep dive Choose the two presentations that you are most interested in, each lasting 30 minutes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Impact of U.S. policy shifts on rewards programs and HR strategies – Venice Room 2. Retention and change management – Malibu Room 3. Organization design considerations – Hermosa Room
12:15 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Networking lunch	
1:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.	Introduce lunch speaker	Building HR wellbeing and resilience <i>Amy Devylder Levanat, Senior Director, WTW</i>
1:15 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Lunch speaker	The power of incentives and motivation <i>Jana Gallus, Associate Professor of Strategy and Behavioral Decision Making, UCLA</i>
2:00 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.	Closing session	Pay equity: No good deed goes unpunished <i>Athar Siddiquee, Vice President, Global Total Rewards, Micron Technology, Inc.</i>
2:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Wrap up and adjourn	<i>John Bremen, Managing Director and Chief Innovation & Acceleration Officer, WTW</i>