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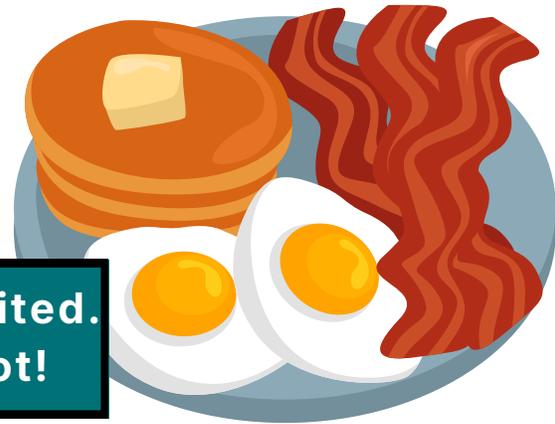
College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences

Understanding Data Centers

THE UMBC INSTITUTE OF POLITICS IS GLAD YOU'RE UP FOR SCIENCE AND POLITICS, SO **BREAKFAST IS ON US.**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2026
8:30 A.M. – 10 A.M.
ROOM 312, UNIVERSITY CENTER**

**Breakfast is free but space is limited.
RSVP today to secure your spot!**



About:

Data centers power AI and modern research, but their rapid expansion also raises serious questions about public health, energy, and the environment. Join UMBC researchers and state policymakers for a conversation on the science, policy, and ethics behind data centers and what their expansion means for Maryland.

Moderator:

Dr. Anupam Joshi

Panelists:

VP Jack Suess
Del. Brian Crosby, District 29B
Del. Chao Wu, District 9A
Dr. Tim Finin
Dr. Ida Ngambeki
Dr. Karen Chen

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