



AI Bootcamp 2026

Presenter



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Summary:

Join us for an interactive Bootcamp where you'll practice using AI tools to assist with a variety of tasks in the procurement and solicitation lifecycle. We'll cover more than a dozen use cases of what AI can do now – and how your vendors/suppliers are already using it! Learn how AI can boost your productivity and where it's headed in the future!



- How to use existing AI tools for day-to-day procurement tasks
- Understand how suppliers are already using AI and why this will fundamentally change the client/supplier relationship in the future
- Discuss the most pressing implications of AI on the profession