



# DS TECH 2026 SHOWCASE

## KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

### The CLTO Influencers: Technology, Inclusion, and the Future We Want

As technology becomes a bigger part of everyday life, it is more important than ever to include people with lived experience in conversations about innovation and change. In this keynote, Community Living Toronto's Influencers will share personal stories and reflections about how technology can open doors, create challenges, and shape everyday life.

This session will highlight the importance of listening to people with intellectual disabilities, providing accessible information, and ensuring people are meaningfully included in decisions that affect their lives. The CLTO Influencers will explore how technology can create new opportunities, where barriers still exist, and why people must remain at the centre of innovation.

Attendees will leave reminded that the future of technology in developmental services must be shaped with people, not just for people.

#### Speakers:

CLTO Influencers: Mary O'Hearn, Erica Machtinger, Jenna Martinuzzi

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