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Church & Technology Summit Expands Into Experia Summit, Marking the Next Chapter of a Global Movement

The Church & Technology Summit Continues as a Flagship Experience Within the New Experia Summit, October 5–8, 2026, in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Calif. — After years of equipping pastors and ministry leaders to navigate the rapidly changing intersection of faith and technology, the **Church & Technology Summit (CTS)** is entering an exciting new chapter.

Organizers today announced that **Church & Technology Summit is not going away—it is growing into something even more significant.** Beginning in 2026, CTS will become one of three flagship conferences within **Experia Summit**, a new immersive innovation destination bringing together leaders in ministry, artificial intelligence, entrepreneurship, and technology.

For attendees who have faithfully supported CTS over the years, the mission remains unchanged: equipping the Church to lead with wisdom, innovation, and biblical conviction in an increasingly digital world.

What has changed is the opportunity.

“For years, Church & Technology Summit has helped pastors understand how emerging technologies can strengthen ministry and expand the reach of the Gospel,” said **Pastor Keith L. Odom**, Founder of Church & Technology Summit and Experia Summit. “As technology has accelerated, we’ve realized that the conversations shaping the future of ministry are no longer happening in isolation. They are happening alongside advances in artificial intelligence, entrepreneurship, innovation, and business leadership. Experia allows us to bring those worlds together while preserving everything that has made CTS so impactful.”

Founded to help churches navigate emerging technologies, Church & Technology Summit has become a trusted resource for pastors, executive leaders, communicators, technologists, and ministry innovators from around the world. From artificial intelligence and cybersecurity to digital discipleship, communications, administration, production, and leadership, CTS has consistently equipped the Church to lead rather than react.

Now, that vision expands.

The Church & Technology Summit Remains the Heart of Church Innovation

As part of Experia Summit, Church & Technology Summit will continue to feature dedicated keynote speakers, ministry-focused breakout sessions, hands-on workshops, technology demonstrations, networking opportunities, and practical solutions designed specifically for churches and faith-based organizations.

Attendees can continue to expect the high-quality content, ministry-focused education, and collaborative environment that have defined CTS since its inception.

The difference is that they will now gain access to two additional conferences included with their registration.

One Registration. Three World-Class Experiences.

Experia Summit brings together three complementary conferences under one roof:

- **Church & Technology Summit** – Equipping churches to innovate, lead, and thrive in the digital age.
- **AI Summit** – Exploring the future of artificial intelligence, automation, ethics, and emerging technologies.
- **Entrepreneur Summit** – Empowering founders, innovators, and business leaders to build organizations that create lasting impact.

Together, the three summits create opportunities for pastors, entrepreneurs, executives, developers, creatives, educators, nonprofit leaders, and innovators to learn from one another while discovering practical solutions that transcend traditional industry boundaries.

A Natural Evolution

The launch of Experia Summit reflects a broader shift occurring across every sector of society.

Artificial intelligence is changing how people work, communicate, worship, learn, and build organizations. Entrepreneurs are driving innovation at unprecedented speed. Churches are increasingly navigating questions that require collaboration with technology leaders, business innovators, and policy thinkers.

Rather than hosting these conversations separately, Experia intentionally brings them together.

“The future belongs to leaders who can think across disciplines,” Odom said. “Pastors can learn from entrepreneurs. Business leaders can learn from ministry. AI researchers can benefit from ethical and theological perspectives. Innovation happens when different worlds come together, and that’s exactly what Experia was designed to facilitate.”

More Value Than Ever Before

Church & Technology Summit attendees will receive access to more than ever before, including:

- More than 60 educational sessions.
- Over 30 nationally recognized speakers.
- Interactive technology showcases and innovation labs.
- Hands-on demonstrations and emerging technology experiences.
- Expanded networking opportunities across ministry, business, and technology.
- Cross-industry collaboration designed to inspire practical innovation.

Continuing a Global Mission

Since its founding, Church & Technology Summit has grown from a single conference into a global movement, hosting events that equip church leaders around the world to embrace technology with wisdom and purpose.

Experia Summit represents the next step in that journey—not a departure from the mission, but an expansion of it.

The Church & Technology Summit remains committed to helping churches leverage innovation to advance the Gospel, strengthen ministry, and prepare leaders for the challenges and opportunities of the future.

Join Us in Los Angeles

The inaugural **Experia Summit**, featuring the **Church & Technology Summit**, **AI Summit**, and **Entrepreneur Summit**, will take place **October 5–8, 2026**, at the **Hilton Los Angeles Airport** in Los Angeles, California.

Registration is now open.

About Church & Technology Summit

The Church & Technology Summit (CTS) equips pastors, ministry leaders, and churches to faithfully navigate the intersection of technology and ministry. Through practical education, strategic leadership development, and emerging technology insights, CTS empowers the Church to lead with innovation while remaining grounded in biblical truth. Today, CTS serves leaders across the United States and internationally, helping ministries embrace the opportunities of the digital age.

About Experia Summit

Experia Summit is the immersive innovation destination where faith, business, and technology converge. By bringing together the Church & Technology Summit, AI Summit, and Entrepreneur Summit under one experience, Experia creates a unique environment where imagination becomes reality and leaders discover what's possible together.

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