Session Topic Summary

- Shared frameworks for testing automated vehicles streamline the process of collecting and processing data
 - ADS Data Acquisition & Analytics Platform (US)
 - CARMA CDA Simulation Platform (US)
 - VOICES for live, virtual, and constructed AV testing (US)
- Data is critical and efforts that allow organizations and stakeholders to share data will remove barriers to progress
 - ARCADE CSA (EU)
- These tools are maturing and combining to enable verification, validation, and safety assurance
 - HEADSTART, SUNRISE (EU)



Key Findings and Lessons Learned

- Collaboration. It is enabled by shared frameworks. It is necessary to work across borders of nations and companies
- Sharing and collaboration requires standardizations. Now there are lots of standards and more on the way. But there's still a lot of work between standards and interoperability.
- More harmonization in simulations would go a long way to create consensus among stakeholders



Outcomes & Research Needs Statements

- It will take time to assimilate and integrate all the standards and establish a common practice
 - Who will review the standards landscape to identify remaining gaps?
- Are demonstrations and proofs of concept enough to launch a tool's adoption?
 - Need projects with real-world roads and scenarios to further exercise and stretch these new frameworks
- How to get to a commonly accepted safety assurance framework?
 - What safety metrics and benchmarks should be used?

