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Dr. Wei Li is a Stanford Adjunct Professor and former Intel AI VP/GM & board member (PyTorch Foundation, Linux Foundation AI & Data). He partners with researchers, founders, VCs, and boards, focusing on AI innovation to enterprise-scale impact, agentic AI infrastructure, and Precision AI Governance. Previously, he spent nearly three decades at Intel—serving nine years as VP/GM of AI & Analytics—building full-stack AI platforms and hardware-software co-design that powered multi-billion-dollar product revenue. He received his Ph.D. in Computer Science from Cornell University focused on supercomputing and completed an executive program at the Stanford Graduate School of Business.

Current Academic & Clinical Focus: As an Adjunct Professor at the Institute for Computational and Mathematical Engineering (ICME) and Affiliate Faculty at the Center for Artificial Intelligence in Medicine and Imaging (AIMI), Dr. Li specializes in AI research, enterprise governance, and commercial scale. His work centers on Innovation to Impact (I2I) and Trusted AI—bridging the gap between frontier technical research, clinical adoption, and real-world deployment. He collaborates across Stanford Engineering, Medicine, and Stanford Health Care for AI deployment in high-stakes environments.

Enterprise & Open Source Leadership: Prior to Stanford, Dr. Li spent nearly three decades at Intel Corporation, serving as Vice President and General Manager of AI & Analytics. In this role, he led global teams across 10+ countries building full-stack AI software platforms and hardware-software co-design that powered multi-billion-dollar product revenues. A long-time advocate for open science and industry oversight, he previously served on the governing boards of the PyTorch Foundation and Linux Foundation AI & Data alongside leaders from Meta, Google, OpenAI, Hugging Face, and Microsoft.

Scholarship & Academic Background: Dr. Li holds a Ph.D. in Computer Science from Cornell University in supercomputing research and completed executive education at the Stanford Graduate School of Business. He is a recipient of the ACM ASPLOS Best Paper Award, a former Associate Editor for ACM TOPLAS, and served as the Intel Executive Sponsor for Cornell University while sitting on the funding committee overseeing $20M in parallel computing research at UC Berkeley and UIUC.

Keynotes & Media Contributions: A prominent voice on AI strategy, enterprise deployment, and governance, Dr. Li is a frequent keynote speaker at major global forums—including CES, the World AI Summit, GITEX, and Harvard Business School. He also regularly contributes expert commentary to leading business and technology outlets, including Bloomberg, Forbes, and Fortune.