

## **Request to Attend Conference**

The Data Platforms Conference in Phoenix, AZ on April 11-13, 2018 is a great opportunity for me to engage with thought leaders and experts in the DataOps space. I've reviewed the details for this event and believe that the knowledge and connections I would gain would be highly beneficial to our organization. For example, this event will allow me to:

- Learn best practices from experts at Facebook, Linkedin, eBay and Twitter who have built scalable and self-service data platforms enabling mass adoption within their organizations.
- Enhance existing and acquire new skills by attending workshops and hands-on technical training that cover the latest trends and technologies in the industry. I will share what I learn with other members of our team so we will all benefit from this event.
- Participate in networking with peers from other companies facing similar challenges, all while learning tips and best practices that I can bring back to implement within our organization.

I am seeking approval for the registration fee and travel expenditures. If you'd like to learn more about the Data Platforms Live 2018, visit www.dataplatforms.com. Please let me know if you have any questions or need further clarification. Thank you!