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Amanda joined VMware in April of 2010 as a Senior Systems Engineer. She has established herself as well-respected leader inside VMware as highlighted by a number of firsts – first woman Principal Systems Engineer, first woman Chief Technologist, and first woman CTO at VMware. Amanda is a passionate advocate for diversity, equity, and inclusion which is demonstrated by her professional development talks, leading the VMworld Professional Development and Inspire Change tracks, and mentoring others. She firmly believes in always doing the right thing with authenticity, respect, and by being a good human.