My role at the CINA center puts me in contact with a wide variety of people and organizations. I oversee the team that manages the Blue Sky Lab’s events, including the Mason Vision Series, which is designed to engage the community in discussions about critical issues and challenges facing society today.

The Vision Series is a unique opportunity for experts to share their insights and knowledge on a wide range of topics, from technology and innovation to social justice and global affairs. Each event features a distinguished speaker who is at the forefront of their field and provides attendees with valuable information and perspectives.

In the upcoming Vision Series event, titled “How the Smart Use of Data Is Being Used to Fight Transnational Crime,” Dr. Louise Shelley, the Omer L. and Mary Grace Bach Professor of Criminology & Criminal Justice at George Mason University, will discuss the role of data analytics in combating transnational crime. She will share her experience working with the White House Initiative on Historically Black Colleges and Universities and how it has impacted her research and teaching.

Dr. Shelley’s presentation will be followed by a Q&A session, during which attendees will have the opportunity to engage in a discussion with the speaker about the topic and ask questions related to their own experiences.

This unique opportunity to engage with experts and learn about cutting-edge topics is just one of the many benefits of attending the Mason Vision Series. Join us for a thought-provoking discussion and expand your knowledge and understanding of critical issues facing society today.