New innovative technology like portable electronic devices, high speed internet connectivity and low power wireless communications are changing medical devices. This technology is improving telemedicine, remote patient monitoring, remote surgery and patient diagnostics. The future of medical devices will allow patients to monitor their own vital signs, be alerted to physiological abnormalities and provide doctors with advanced information which can provide rapid diagnostics.

The presentation will explore past, present and future technologies, technology trends and challenges getting these technologies to market.

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