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<b>Monday January 18, 2021</b>	<b>5pm (GMT) -</b>	<b>9:00 pm (GMT)</b>
<b>Tuesday January 19, 2021</b>	<b>4pm (GMT) -</b>	<b>9:00 pm (GMT)</b>
<b>Wednesday January 20,2021</b>	<b>2pm (GMT) -</b>	<b>10:00pm (GMT)</b>

Because of the ongoing pandemic Digital.Davos.2021 will be held virtually instead of its normal dates in late January in Davos, Switzerland . This year we will build on past successes and with our partners provide the highest quality of panels and speakers. There will be a multitude of online interactions not only with our speakers but also amongst the audience members to ensure a robust and meaningful experience.

Complimentary tickets are available for prior visitors and their guests of events from January 2020 in Davos during the World Economic Forum, as well as members of digital.davos.2020 and unDavos Telegram groups. Please follow links below in the agenda.

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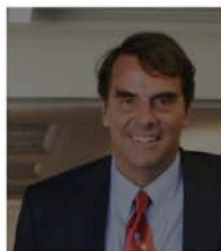
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**We would like to issue a special thanks and recognize the following prior speakers of digital.davos (2019-2020) for their extraordinary dedication in helping the children from Parkland, with fostering new business development, motivation , immigration, and data privacy & security.**



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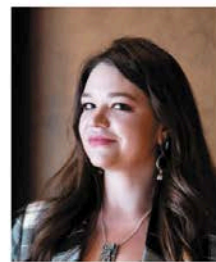
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Wladimir Klitschko



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Antigua and Barbuda



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Panel	Description	Speakers	Discussion link
<b>Open Forum Online Mixer</b> 5:00pm (GMT) - 6:00pm (GMT)			
<b>Newest Developments in AI</b> 6:00pm (GMT) - 6:30 pm (GMT)	<i>A discussion on all the improvements in AI and what to expect in the future</i>	Kumardev Chatterjee Mark Mueller Eberstein Kashyap Kompella Farsam Shadab  Moderator: Karl Seelig	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/413/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/413/</a>
<b>Offshore Banking and Investments</b> 6:30pm (GMT) - 7:00 pm (GMT)	<i>A discussion on banking in other countries as well as investments</i>	Damani Barham David Doss Karl Seelig TBA  Moderator: Thelma Weaver	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/414/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/414/</a>
<b>BREAK</b> 7:00pm (GMT) - 7:30 pm (GMT)			
<b>FinTech Solutions 2021</b> 7:30pm (GMT) - 8:00 pm (GMT)	<i>The FinTech industry is constantly changing, making it important to follow the transformations as they impact everything related to payments, money and banking. This panel will touch on improvements and solutions that we can expect to see soon.</i>	David Doss Karl Seelig Jonathan Widro  Moderator: Thelma Weaver	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/416/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/416/</a>
<b>Investments Success Stories of 2020</b> 8:00pm (GMT) - 8:30 pm (GMT)	<i>A discussion on good investments in 2020.</i>	Mark Mueller Eberstein SJ Oh Dr. Richard Weinstein  Moderator: Prof. James Cooper	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/417/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/417/</a>
<b>The Future of Blockchain Technology</b> 8:30pm (GMT) - 9:00 pm (GMT)		Kazim Atilla Michael Holdmann Jay Moore  Moderator: Pavel Jakovlev	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/418/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/418/</a>



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<b>Panel</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Speakers</b>	<b>Discussion link</b>
<b>Education and Future of Work Part II</b> 4:00pm (GMT) - 4:30pm (GMT)	<i>A continuation of last year's Education and Future of work panel at Digital.Davos 2020</i>	Dr. Toby Chan Dr. Anino Emuwa Shreen Ghaleb Mark Turell  Roundtable	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/428/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/428/</a>
<b>Central Bank Digital Currencies</b> 4:30pm (GMT) - 5:00pm (GMT)	<i>A discussion on countries making the change to digital currencies</i>	Prof. Douglas Arner Dr. Henri Arslanian Hon. Jason Hsu Prof. Michael Sung  Moderator: Prof. James Cooper	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/420/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/420/</a>
<b>The Emerging Token Economy</b> 5:00pm (GMT) - 5:30pm (GMT)		Chao Cheng-Shorland Jason Kelley Oliver Krause  Moderator: Matt Bird	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/421/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/421/</a>
<b>Augmented Reality and Cognition</b> 5:30pm (GMT) - 6:00pm (GMT)	<i>A discussion on the technology AR (augmented reality)</i>	Robert Grant Farsam Shadab Tyler Thurmond  Moderator: Karl Seelig	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/422/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/422/</a>
<b>Blockchain Investment 2021</b> 6:00 pm (GMT) -6:30 pm (GMT)	<i>A discussion on investing in the blockchain in the new year.</i>	Nicholas Johnson Mik Mironov Mark Mueller Eberstein Aaron Stanley  Moderator: Thelma Weaver	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/423/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/423/</a>
<b>Celebrity in Business and Politics</b> 6:30pm (GMT) -7:00 pm (GMT)	<i>More than ever, celebrities are branching out and taking an active role in business and politics. This panel will touch on the effects of celebrity's activity in these and other mediums.</i>	Andre Berto TBA TBA  Moderator: Mark Turell	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/424/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/424/</a>
<b>What VCs are Looking for in 2021</b> 7:00pm (GMT) -8:00 pm (GMT)	<i>New year brings new opinions or will established methods still hold. This panel will focus on what VC's want in 2021.</i>	Damani Barham Andre Berto David Doss Vera Futorjanski Martez House Donald Owens  Moderator: Karl Seelig	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/425/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/425/</a>

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<b>Tokenizing Professional Sports</b> 8:00pm (GMT) -9:00 pm (GMT)	<i>This panel will focus on the question of: Can tokenized fan engagement in pro sports be done?</i>	Andre Berto Kashyap Kompella Dr. Oliver Krause Rohn Malhorta  Moderator: Matt Bird	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/426/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/426/</a>
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<b>Crypto Token a Hong Kong Perspective</b> 2:00pm(GMT) - 2:30pm (GMT)	<i>A discussion on how Hong Kong has experienced crypto tokens as well as the similarities and differences between other countries encounter with tokens.</i>	Henri Arslanian Hugh Madden  Moderators: Max Sung and Thelma Weaver	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/419/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/419/</a>
<b>Female Entrepreneurs and Global Leaders in Tech</b> 2:30pm (GMT) - 3:00pm (GMT)	<i>This panel will focus on the growing numbers of women in tech. From entrepreneurs to global leaders, women's advancement in tech will only continue to grow.</i>	Dr. Ruchi Dana Karen Tiber Leland TBA  Moderator: Thelma Weaver	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/429/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/429/</a>
<b>Mining and Ethics</b> 3:00pm (GMT)- 3:30pm (GMT)	<i>This panel will touch on the ethics in mining.</i>	Dr. Toby Bailey Andre Berto Mike Blais-Cohen Dr. Jose Pontes Karl Seelig  Moderator: Mike Butcher	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/430/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/430/</a>
<b>Ethics and Technologies in Developing Countries</b> 3:30pm (GMT) - 4pm (GMT)	<i>This panel will discuss ethics and technology's effects in developing countries.</i>	Mike Butcher Dr. Abadir Ibrahim Dr. Karin Klempp Karl Seelig Dr. Richard Weinstein  Moderator: Prof. James Cooper	<a href="https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/431/">https://chainblx.io/index.php?p=/discussion/431/</a>

Open Discussion during the Inauguration of United States President Joseph R. Biden and Vice President Kamala Harris and Live Stream	4:00pm (GMT) – 8:00pm(GMT)
Tequila Panel	8:00pm (GMT) -10:00pm (GMT)

### **Provisional Speakers List:**

**Digital.Davos.2021** over prior years, will have many surprise speakers and guests, ranging from athletes and Hollywood celebrities to Prime Ministers, Government Officials, and Ambassadors of different countries. Due to busy schedules, some speakers will be announced on the day of their panel or speech. Thank you for your understanding.

Professor Douglas *Arner*, (Hong Kong University)



### **Panelist in: Central Bank Digital Currencies**

*Douglas Arner is the Kerry Holdings Professor in Law at the University of Hong Kong and an expert on financial regulation, particularly the intersection between law, finance and technology. He is Faculty Director of HKU's LLM in Compliance and Regulation and LLM in Corporate and Financial Law, a member of the Hong Kong Financial Services Development Council and a Senior Visiting Fellow of Melbourne Law School, University of Melbourne. Douglas served as Head of the HKU Department of Law from 2011 to 2014 and as Co-Director of the Duke University-HKU Asia-America Institute in Transnational Law from 2005 to 2016. From 2006 to 2011 he was the Director of HKU's Asian Institute of International Financial Law, which he co-founded in 1999. He has published fifteen books and more than 120 articles, chapters and reports on international financial law and regulation, including most recently Reconceptualizing Global Finance and its Regulation (Cambridge 2016) (with Ross Buckley & Emiliios Avgouleas). His recent papers are available on SSRN, where he is among the top 250 authors in the world by total downloads. Douglas has served as a consultant with, among others, the World Bank, Asian Development Bank, Alliance for Financial Inclusion, APEC and European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, and has lectured, co-organized conferences and seminars and been involved with financial sector reform projects around the world. He has been a visiting professor or fellow at Duke, Harvard, the Hong Kong Institute for Monetary Research, IDC Herzliya, McGill, Melbourne, National University of Singapore, University of New South Wales, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, and Zurich, among others.*

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Dr. Henri *Arslanian*, (Global Crypto Leader, PwC, Hong Kong)



### **Panelist in: Central Bank Digital Currencies | Crypto Token a Hong Kong Perspective**

*Henri Arslanian is the PwC Global Crypto Leader and Asia FinTech Leader, the Chairman of the FinTech Association of Hong Kong and an Adjunct Associate Professor at the University of Hong Kong where he teaches the first FinTech university course in Asia. Henri leads PwC's crypto efforts and advises many of the world's leading crypto exchanges, investors, custodians and token issuers on a broad range of crypto matters from regulatory and tax to due diligence and capital raising. He also advises many of the world's leading financial institutions and tech firms on their FinTech and crypto initiatives as well numerous governments, regulators and central banks on Fintech and crypto regulatory and policy matters.*

*With over 500,000 LinkedIn followers, Henri is a TEDx and global keynote speaker, a best-selling published author and is regularly featured in global media including Bloomberg, CNBC, CNN, The Wall Street Journal and the Financial Times. Henri was named by LinkedIn as one of the global Top Voices in Economy & Finance and is the host of the FinTechCapsules™ and CryptoCapsules™ social media series. Chambers Global recent named Henri the "highest profile FinTech consultant in Hong Kong" and Asian Private Banker awarded him the "FinTech Changemaker of the Year" award. Henri has been also awarded numerous other industry and academic awards over the years from being regularly named one of the Most Influential Individuals in FinTech in Asia to being awarded the Governor General of Canada Gold Medal for Academic Excellence. Henri's latest book "The Future of Finance: The Impact of FinTech, AI and Crypto on Financial Services" published by Palgrave Macmillan, was ranked as one of Amazon's global top 10 best-sellers in financial services and was recognized as one of the "Best FinTech Books of All Time" by Bookauthority. Before joining PwC, Henri was with a FinTech start-up and previously spent many years with UBS Investment Bank in Hong Kong. Henri started his career as a financial markets and funds lawyer in Canada and Hong Kong. Henri speaks five languages including English, French, Armenian, Spanish and Mandarin Chinese. He holds a Masters in Chinese Law from Tsinghua University; a joint Global Executive MBA from Columbia Business School, London Business School, and Hong Kong University; a Masters in Transnational Law from the University of Sherbrooke; and a Bachelor of Law from the University of Montreal (Dean's List of Excellence).*



Kazim *Atilla*, (CEO of IQONIQ)



**Panelist in: The Future of Blockchain Technology**

*Kazim Atilla, born in 1972 in Turkey, and when he was 4 years old his family moved to Holland. He grew up and studied there and since 1995 has run his own businesses, which has taken him to over 60 countries. He was involved in many businesses and sectors, but he was always a huge sports fan and his other passion is entrepreneurship - building things for wider communities. Due that sport and entertainment was a huge influence after his terrible shopping bus accident he had when he was 6 years old, he always wanted to invent something unique in particular to combine sports & entertainment. Thus, IQONIQ was born - a unified engagement platform, which has the power to meet the needs of fans, their Idols, and their clubs, as well as catering to the interest*

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Dr. Toby *Bailey*, (CEO, Bailey Holdings)



**Panelist in: Mining and Ethics**

*Dr. Toby Bailey first developed a unique set of international Lean Management business models, Asset Management, Financial and Trading structures as integrated parts of a global Gold, Diamond, Oil & Gas, Trade and Hedge Fund Consortium Group cluster. He will continue to use his diverse global background to envision, create, develop and operate under Borg Global Holdings as an OTC public company in the 2nd Quarter 2017. This collective of Borg/ICG global acquisitions, business models, private equity investments, bank instrument and trading structures will be through the use of uniquely designed concepts, management consulting strategies and global methodologies for the benefit of his Borg Global Holdings and International Consortium Groups developed domestically here in the USA or internationally.*

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Damani *Barham*

**Panelist in: Offshore Banking and Investments | What VCs are Looking for in 2021**

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Andre *Berto*, (Active World Champion Boxer and Hedge Fund Manager, two-time former Welterweight Boxing World Champion)



**Panelist in: Celebrity in Business and Politics | What VCs are Looking for in 2021 | Mining and Ethics | Tokenizing Professional Sports**

*Andre Michael Berto is a professional boxer who holds dual American and Haitian citizenship. He is a two-time former welterweight world champion, having held the WBC and IBF titles between 2008 and 2011, as well as the WBA interim title in 2015. As an amateur he won the National Golden Gloves tournament in 2001 (at light middleweight) and 2003 (welterweight), and would represent the U.S. at the 2003 World Championships, winning a welterweight bronze medal. He also represented Haiti at the 2004 Olympics, reaching the opening round of the welterweight bracket. (<https://www.coindesk.com/latin-americas-big-blockchain-opportunity>)*

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Matt *Bird*



**Moderator for: The Emerging Token Economy | Tokenizing Professional Sports**

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Mike *Blais-Cohen*, (Co-founder, CEO of Pow.re Corporation)



**Panelist in: Mining and Ethics**

*Mike Blais-Cohen is the co-founder and CEO of Pow.re Corporation, a Canadian based company with a focus on hashing power production. With a background as a system engineer, Mike has been directly involved in digital asset mining since 2013. An active participant in the blockchain industry, Mike has served in key roles as an advisor, systems architect and investor for leading industry stakeholders, regulatory and industry bodies, and enterprise customers.*

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Mike *Butcher*, (Editor at Large, TechCrunch)



**Moderator in: Mining and Ethics**

*Mike Butcher MBE is Editor-at-large of TechCrunch, and co-founder of Pathfinder editorial events and reports series on 'impact innovation'. Mike has been named one of the most influential journalists in European technology by Wired and The Daily Telegraph, among others. He has interviewed Tony Blair, Dmitry Medvedev, Kevin Spacey, Lily Cole, Pavel Durov and many other tech leaders and celebrities. He co-founded The Europas Awards for European startups, the non-profits TechVets and Techfugees, the co-working network TechHub. He is a regular tech commentator on the BBC, Sky News, CNN, CNBC and Aljazeera and has been a judge on The Apprentice UK. GQ magazine named him one of the 100 Most Connected Men in the UK and he's a "Maserati 100 innovator". He has advised previous UK governments on tech startup policy and was awarded an MBE in the Queen's Birthday Honours.*

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Dr. Toby *Chan*, (Principal of EyeStart)



**Panelist in: Education and Future of Work Part II**

*Dr. Toby Chan is an Assistant Clinical Professor (Adjunct) of Ophthalmology at McMaster University in Canada. He is the first fellowship-trained glaucoma and anterior segment surgeon in the Kitchener-Waterloo region in Ontario, and is actively involved in teaching of medical students and residents. He is the Co-Division Head of Ophthalmology for St. Mary's General Hospital and Grand River Hospital. He received his M.D. at the University of Ottawa and completed residency at the University of Western Ontario, where he won the Best Resident Research Project Award for three consecutive years. During residency, he was recipient of the Best Glaucoma Research Proposal Award from the Canadian Glaucoma Society, and achieved third place of the Canadian Ophthalmological Society Award for Excellence in Research. He completed a fellowship in Glaucoma and Advanced*



Anterior Segment Surgery at the University of Toronto. He is trained and experienced in advanced cataract and glaucoma procedures including femtosecond laser-assisted cataract surgery (FLACS) and Minimally Invasive Glaucoma Surgery (MIGS), and was one of the first surgeons to start micropulse laser for glaucoma treatment in Western Ontario. Dr. Chan served as chair of the planning committee for the Canadian Glaucoma Society annual meeting in 2018, and was co-director of the glaucoma skills transfer course at the Canadian Ophthalmological Society annual meeting in 2017 and at the International Congress on Glaucoma Surgery in 2018. He co-chaired the glaucoma section at the Canadian Ophthalmological Society annual meeting in 2019 and 2020. In addition to authoring 5 textbook chapters and 13 journal articles, he has given over 50 presentations in national and international conferences. His current research focus is in novel glaucoma treatment options, anterior segment reconstruction, and use of technologies in improving the patient experience and medical education. He is a Principal of EyeStart, an incubator, investment hub and thought leader in the medical device and life science space headquartered in Canada.

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**Chao Cheng-Shorland**, (Co-founder, CEO of ShelterZoom)



**Panelist in: The Emerging Token Economy**

I am the co-founder and CEO of ShelterZoom Corp. I am a highly experienced executive, and internationally renowned for my work applying inventive business methods and innovative technology such as blockchain to create real value in people's daily lives. Under my leadership, ShelterZoom has successfully delivered two industry-first, next-generation blockchain-based document, contract and transaction management platforms revolutionizing many industries. As a result, ShelterZoom won multiple global awards such as SIIA CODiE Best Emerging Technology 2018 and CIO Application's Company of the Year - Blockchain. I was named Female Innovator of the Year by Women World Awards and The Responsible 100 by NY City & State as one of New York's 100 most outstanding corporate citizens. As an inventor, I have invented several major concepts, business methods and technology solutions. One of which is Contract of Things (CoT) where records, documents, and contracts are transformed into fully digital, interoperable and intelligent assets. This concept was further expanded to Document of Things (DoT) to finally arrive a digital era for interconnectivity and interoperability of all types of documents. ShelterZoom has delivered the world's first CoT and DoT SAAS platform that can be easily used by everyone, every organization and every industry.

I am a member of the Forbes Tech Council. I regularly share my experience and innovative ideas through Forbes and other publications, as well as media interviews. Prior to ShelterZoom, I worked as an enterprise architect in Australia. I have successfully led many complex and high value programs as a lead architect throughout my career working for large corporations. The US\$40-billion joint venture project between ConocoPhillips and Origin Energy, and several major ERP transformation programs are among a list of my highlights as a lead architect.

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**Professor James Cooper**, (Associate Dean, Experiential Learning, California Western School of Law, U.S.A.)



**Moderator in: Central Bank Digital Currencies | Ethics and Technologies in Developing Countries**

James Cooper is Professor of Law and Director of International Legal Studies at California Western School of Law in San Diego and California Associate Dean, Experiential Learning. Professor Cooper has been a change agent for countries around the Americas for more than two decades, consulting for the U.S. Departments of Justice and State, the Organization of American States, USAID, USPTO, the Inter-American Development Bank, the Bolivian President's Office for the Constituent Assembly negotiations, Mexico's Executive Branch (Los Pinos), Paraguay's Congress, and a number of other international and regional aid organizations and technical cooperation agencies. An Intellectual Property and trade scholar, he has served on the U.S. government delegation to WIPO. A Cambridge University-trained Barrister and Solicitor, Professor Cooper's public policy work has been commissioned by the Konrad Adenauer Foundation and the Friedrich Ebert Foundation of Germany as well as the Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission of the Organization of American States. He has served as an academic staff member of the Heidelberg Center for Latin America Visiting Professor at University of California, San Diego, Justus Liebig University in Giessen, Germany, and the University of Macau. He is a Member of the Protocol Braintrust and columnist for CoinDesk and Principal of Globalab.io.

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Dr. Ruchi **Dana**, (Dana Group)



**Panelist in: Female Entrepreneurs and Global Leaders in Tech**

Dr Ruchi Dana is a trained physician and a Stanford MBA. Ruchi sits on multiple Corporate, startup, non-profits and University boards including Dana Group, Dubai, Duluth Medical Technologies Inc, USA, NGO Aarogy Foundation, India, NGO One Prosper, Canada, and the California State University, Chico, USA Cybersecurity Advisory Board. Ruchi is the President, COO of Duluth Medical Tech Inc, a Silicon Valley based Robotic Medtech startup. Duluth is focused to develop intelligent, agile and affordable surgical robots, to improve patient care. Ruchi has also worked with Golden Seeds, an investment firm in New York and New Silk Route Growth Capital, a PE firm in Dubai, she has mainly focused on healthcare related investments at both these firms. Ruchi has been recognized by Forbes ME as the “Next Gen Business Leader, Arab World” 2017, 2018 and 2019 and Forbes ME Top PowerBusinesswomen 2020. Ruchi has also been recognized by Campden Wealth as the “Women to Watch” and as “Top 75 Family Business Leaders” 2019 by Campden Research (UK). Ruchi is a frequent speaker at various industry conferences, mainly in healthcare, AI, Investing and she is also the lead of Global Women in VC community for Healthcare, Family offices and speaking opportunities channels. Social Media - <https://www.linkedin.com/in/danaruchi>

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David **Doss**



**Panelist in: Offshore Banking and Investments | FinTech Solutions 2021 | What VCs are looking for in 2021**

*David’s 11+ year professional track record includes leading teams of 10+ and managing budgets of \$5M+, serving a wide array of organizations including Citibank, Gilt, Saks 5th Avenue, and Gemini. He has worked across technology, media, financial services, real estate, and cryptocurrency to expand and improve monetization pathways. David earned his BA degree from UC Berkeley at age 18 – graduating #1 in his department cohort, summa cum laude – and went on to complete an MA as a Fulbright Scholar while researching international social phenomena. He additionally holds an MBA with a focus on marketing, strategy, and entrepreneurship. Drawing on his Fulbright research, David became fascinated with the global impact potential of blockchain and crypto back in 2016, and has been investing in the space since early 2017. In his time as Vice President at Citi, David developed strategies and managed projects focused on FinTech innovation (including blockchain and cryptocurrency) and was a Volunteer Award recipient for his social impact work with Nobel Peace Prize winner Muhammad Yunus’ organization, Yunus & Youth. From there, he served as Vice President at Energi (NRG), helping grow the company as one of the first 10 members — Energi has subsequently grown into a major player in the cryptocurrency space, reaching top 50 on the CoinMarketCap ranklist in 2019. As Head of Marketing at Jibrel Network (JNT, a top 100 ICO that raised over \$30M), he helped foster the team’s blockchain and cryptocurrency collaboration efforts with major institutions in the Middle East, such as the Central Bank of Jordan, Al Hilal Bank, and Abu Dhabi Global Market.*

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Dr. Anino **Emuwa**, (Founder and Managing Director of Avandis Consulting)



**Panelist in: Education and Future of Work Part II**

*Dr Anino Emuwa has over 25 years’ experience in banking, international management consulting and doctoral research. A former corporate banker with Citibank, she is the founder of Avandis Consulting, a strategy and financial advisory firm in France. Anino sits on the board of several organizations including Nottingham Trent University. She is the founder of the 100Women@Davos network. An award-winning international public speaker, Anino has been invited to speak at prestigious educational institutions and organizations including University of Cambridge Judge Business School, London School of Economics and Nottingham Business School, Forbes and Facebook. In 2020, she delivered a keynote at the Association of MBAs Business School Leaders Forum and has written several articles about the future of work. Anino is an AACSB accredited instructional practitioner. She is currently carrying out leadership*



research as part of a postgraduate programme at University of Cambridge Judge Business School. Dr Emuwa received her Doctorate in Business Administration from Nottingham Business School. She holds an MBA from Cranfield School of Management and a BSc Economics from the London School of Economics. Anino is a Fellow of the Chartered Management Institute and a member of the Institute of Directors.

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Shreen **Ghaleb**, (CEO of Collabful Inc)



**Panelist in: Education and Future of Work Part II**

Shreen Ghaleb is a leading Silicon Valley-based advocate for female entrepreneurship and innovation. Ms. Ghaleb is CEO of Collabful, Inc., an early stage education technology platform that helps connect university students for virtual study groups. She received her B.S. in Cell and Molecular Biology from San Francisco State University.

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Vera **Futorjanski**, (CEO of Veritas Ventures)



**Panelist in: What VCs are Looking for in 2021**

Vera Futorjanski is the CEO & Founder of Veritas Ventures. Most recently, she was Director of Innovation for 500 Startups in charge of the Middle East and Russia. Prior to joining 500, Vera was with the Dubai Future Foundation, where she helped built Dubai Future Accelerators. Before that Vera was with Rocket Internet and launched a startup in the UAE. She is part of the Expert Group on Digital Platforms and Ecosystems for the World Economic Forum, an Innovation Expert at the UN, and a Responsible Leader at the BMW Foundation. Social Media - <https://www.linkedin.com/in/verafutorjanski>

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Robert **Grant**, (Founder, Chairman, and CEO of Crown Sterling Limited)



**Panelist in: Augmented Reality and Cognition**

Mr. Robert E. Grant, 51, is the Founder, Chairman and CEO of Crown Sterling Limited, a leader in data sovereignty and Quantum Chain AI Encryption. He is also the Founder and Chairman of Concierge Key Health, the first on-demand app to the world's elite physician specialists. Furthermore, he is the Founder and Vice Chairman of ALPHAEON Corporation (a subsidiary of Strathspey Crown Holdings LLC which assets include Evolus Inc (NASDAQ: EOLS; AEON Biopharma Inc, ALPHAEON Credit and Zelegant), a leader in the rapidly growing field of Lifestyle Healthcare and based in Irvine, CA. He is concurrently the Chairman and Managing Partner of Strathspey Crown LLC (established in 2012), a growth equity firm based in Newport Beach, CA. Strathspey Crown LLC now manages over 15 separate subsidiary companies and investment assets.

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Michael **Holdmann**, (Founder, CEO of Prasaga)



**Panelist in: The Future of Blockchain Technology**

*Michael Holdmann is the CEO & Founder of Prasaga. He has been involved in the technology sector across different verticals - Telecom, Network, Internet, and Software for 5 decades. Michael is a strategist, a business development professional, an evangelist, and a visionary. Prasaga is his fourth start up. Michael is on a mission to create a ubiquitous, decentralized, open, equitable, technical foundation that would allow anyone and everyone to level out the global playing field. His first endeavor was with an Application Service Provider (ASP) in the mid/late 90's, which became cloud solutions as we know it today. For the last decade Michael have been working on international open standards for the Internet of Things/Smart City. His ambition is to have any object to talk to any other object regardless of the data model, protocol, platform or provider. What Michael discovered was the need to decentralize the industry to ensure that citizens, not FAANG have the power over their data. This is what his latest venture - Prasaga is set to deliver. The foundation for all transactions, financial or otherwise with a stabilized currency based on productivity and velocity of the internal economy digital GPD without the external buckets of asset.*

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Martez **House**

**Panelist in: What VCs are Looking for in 2021**

Martez House graduated with an arts degree on honor roll from Jacksonville State university. He then went on to build a successful company upon the artistic designs he has created as well as helped the NFL Cleveland Browns, H-factor water, Erewhon, Superseed and other companies with their artistic design and brand imaging. He's currently sought after to help companies with their brand imaging and artistic design. His company is on track to go from 6 figures this year to 7 figures in annual profit next year.

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Hon. Jason **Hsu**, (Former Congress Member Taiwan; Fellow, Oxford University, U.K.)



**Panelist in: Central Bank Digital Currencies**

*The curiosity to understand the world and passion to change it influence my life decisions. I believe that in order to change the system you must create something new to make the original system obsolete. For me, entrepreneurship was the answer -- a way to create opportunities for many. In 2008 I co-founded The Big Questions Conference to bring together leaders from all fields to engage in conversations and actions for sustainable future. In 2009 I co-founded TEDxTaipei. Since 2011 I have been serving as TEDx Ambassador for Asia. Over the course last years, I have organized conferences and gatherings that promote cross-border dialogues and innovation. More than 35 cities and 400 leaders and innovators participated in these meetings.*

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Dr. Abadir **Ibrahim**, Ethiopia Ministry of Justice



**Panelist in: Ethics and Technologies in Developing Countries.**

*Dr. Abadir M. Ibrahim is the Head of the Secretariat for Ethiopia's Legal and Justice Affairs Advisory Council established as an independent institution to advise the transition government of Ethiopia on conducting pro-democracy and pro-rights justice sector reforms. As a lawyer, activist, scholar, and educator of Ethiopian and African human rights law, Dr. Ibrahim both practices and studies human rights at a global, African and domestic levels. His broader practice and research interests encompass the intersections between global human rights normative structures and non-western cultural/religious institutions and traditions with a special emphasis on normative ethics and religion.*

Pavel **Jakovlev**, (Strategy Advisor at IQONIQ)



**Panelist in: The Future of Blockchain Technology**

*Pavel is a Strategy Advisor to cutting-edge technology companies. Prior to becoming an independent advisor, he spent two years at CV VC - a next-generation venture capital company. During his time at CV, VC Pavel led the CV Competition and the CV Labs Incubation Program. He is passionate about emerging technology solutions and their practical application in the commercial environment to deliver efficiency, productivity, and sustainable growth. Pavel has an aptitude for fostering and maintaining business relationships with a wide variety of internal and external stakeholders. Prior to joining CV VC, Pavel worked both as a consultant and as an internal expert in the following industries: oil and gas, renewables, financial services, eCommerce, and government affairs. Pavel holds an MBA with distinction from the University of Strathclyde. His research covers Artificial Intelligence and Scenario Planning.*

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Nicholas **Johnson**, (Founder of Tessera Insights)



**Panelist in: Blockchain Investment 2021**

*Nicholas Johnson is the co-founder of Tessera Insights and the CEO and Principal Economist of Economists Without Borders, the co-author of "Economics of the Fourth Industrial Revolution: Internet, Artificial Intelligence and Blockchain", and a long-term member of the World Economic Forum. He is a distinguished business leader and experienced board director, having held formal positions on over ten boards for institutions diverse as Brisbane City Council, the World Economic Forum, the AFL Players Association, the Global Shapers Community Australia Ltd, Young & Well CRC, and the Economic Society of Australia. Simultaneously, he has developed a global reputation as a talented econometrician and analyst, researching and teaching at the Queensland University of Technology in particular. He is completing a PhD at Griffith University, holds master's degrees in public policy from the Australian National University and mathematics from the University of Queensland, a Bachelor of Business and Mathematics from QUT, and is a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.*  
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Prof. dr Mihailo **Jovanovic**, (Director of Information Technologies and e-Government, Government of the Republic of Serbia)



**Panelist in: Serbia House**

*Experienced Assistant Professor with a demonstrated history of working in the information technology and services industry. Skilled in Business Process, IT Service Management, IT Strategy, Data Center and Management. Strong education professional with a Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) focused on Economics from Faculty of Electrical Engineering in Belgrade.*  
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Jason **Kelley**, (General Manager, Blockchain Services at IBM)



**Panelist in: The Emerging Token Economy**

*A seasoned leader of successful teams and profitable business start-ups, bringing diverse thinking, motivations, and objectives together with positive outcomes, across multiple industries.*

*An unequalled passion for building teams that amaze themselves with success, measurable execution, and blinding speed. The controlled management of chaos that is often simply the task of getting brilliant people moving toward the same objective is a 24/7 motivation. All things to inspire and enable our youth in technology, especially those less privileged, is a source of happiness.*

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Dr. Karin **Klempp**, (FACAMP Brazil)



**Panelist in: Ethics and Technologies in Developing Countries.**

*Professor Dr. Karin Klempp Franco is a partner at the law firm of Barcellos Tucunduva Advogados / Brazil. She co-coordinates the research group on compliance and business integrity of the post-graduation program in Law at Facamp-Brazil. She practices digital law with startups, fintech groups, and multinational companies. She is passionate for privacy and data protection and intellectual property.*

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Kashyap **Kompella**, (CFA CEO, RPA2AI Research author & Columnist)



**Panelist in: Tokenizing Professional Sports | Newest Developments in AI**

*Kashyap Kompella, CFA, is the CEO of the industry analyst firm RPA2AI Research. RPA2AI advises global corporations, venture capital / private equity firms and govt. agencies on Digital Transformation, Enterprise AI, AI investments, & AI Ethics. Kashyap is currently ranked as the #1 Global Thought Leader on Artificial Intelligence by Thinkers360. He is the author of bestseller "Practical Artificial Intelligence" and is a columnist/contributor for Business Line, Info Today, Speech Tech and [Forbes.com](https://www.forbes.com).*

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Ms. Deyana **Kostadinova**, (UNICEF Representative in Serbia)



**Panelist in: Serbia House**

*Prior to this assignment, she was the Permanent Representative of the Republic of Bulgaria to the United Nations Office at Geneva and has participated as a member in the work of the Human Rights Council. Ms. Kostadinova has also worked as the Head of the Cabinet of the President of the Republic of Bulgaria, when she oversaw the organizing of the political activities of the President, as well as international negotiations. She*





was the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Labour and Social Policy in the caretaker government in 2013. During that time Ms. Kostadinova was responsible for the formulation and realization of the government's policies in the areas of social policy and labour market, education, healthcare, culture. As an advisor to the Republic of Bulgaria's Deputy Prime Minister, she provided political analysis and proposals for political decisions concerning social, cultural, and legal issues. During her time as Deputy Minister of Labour and Social Policy, she was in charge of formulating and implementing labour market policies and the implementation of the "Human Resources Development" operational programme.

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Dr. Oliver **Krause**, (Untitled INC, Liquiditeam)



**Panelist in: The Emerging Token Economy | Tokenizing Professional Sports**

Oliver is a Founder, Investor and Advisor. With more than 25 years' experience in innovation & transformation from roles in top management consulting, VC, startups, industry and applied research he set up his own consulting business Advantum Partners to help clients with their digital transformation, venture and ecosystem building. Early on Oliver has been fascinated by the potential of blockchain as a socio-economic technology innovation and co-founded Untitled INC Think Tank & Ventures in 2017. UINC is a global network of experts on DLT Blockchain and Crypto from diverse backgrounds to help to do innovation in the platform economy. Topics are: New Products & Services, Operating & Business Models, Technology Assessment & Selection, Proof of Concept & Solutions, Venture & Ecosystem Building, Investment Due Diligence & Fundraising Governance & Transformation. Key ventures that have been launched by and with the support of UINC colleagues are Liquiditeam - providing token-based solutions for fan engagement and financing for professional sports clubs and athletes where Oliver is chairman and Untitled Investment Expertise helping funds and investors to identify the most promising opportunities. Oliver is also the co producer of the award winning Cryptopia documentary film and a frequent speaker at international conferences. He started his professional journey with studies in engineering and computer science in Stuttgart, London, Paris, Berlin and worked on deep tech topics at the intersection with processes and organization. This covered Artificial Intelligence and software development for Engineering Design and R&D (3D Modelling, Constraint-based Reasoning on complex variable networks to optimize techno-economic solution spaces), Enterprise Planning & Control, as well as for Organizational Design (Business Intelligence, Process & Organizations Mapping).

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Karen Tiber **Leland**, (Company - Sterling Marketing Group)



**Panelist in: Female Entrepreneurs and Global Leaders in Tech**

Karen Tiber Leland is the President of Sterling Marketing Group, a branding, marketing and color strategy and implementation firm. She works with entrepreneurs, small businesses and Fortune 500 companies on building stronger personal, CEO and business brands. Karen has worked in more than 50 countries throughout the world, with a highly diverse group of industries. Her clients have included: Apple, AT&T, Google, Oracle, Avis Car Rental, Johnson & Johnson, LinkedIn, Twitter and American Express, among others.

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Hugh **Madden**, (CEO of BC Technology Group)



**Panelist in: Crypto Token a Hong Kong Perspective**

BC Technology Group CEO since July 2019, Hugh has had two decades of experience in blockchain, financial markets and security. He also co-founded digital asset exchange and brokerage company, ANX International, and previously served as BC Technology Group CTO from 2013 to early 2019. Prior to ANX, he worked as a Lead Architect, FX, at HSBC and as a Solutions Architect, Institutional Banking & Markets at Commonwealth Bank of Australia. His professional experience also includes senior roles at Lloyds Bank, HBOS and the Bank of Scotland



Treasury Australia. He is active in several industry associations and holds a Bachelor's in Computer Science from the University of Newcastle.  
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Rohn **Malhorta**, (Co-founder SportsTechX)



**Panelist in: Tokenizing Professional Sports**

Rohn is a serial entrepreneur with over 12 years of experience as a founder and mentor to multiple startups after starting his career as a management consultant. Currently he is the co-founder of Berlin based *SportsTechX*, the leading market intelligence company for all things related to sports and innovation. Founded in 2018 and having raised a seed round in 2020, SportsTechX provides detailed insights into the SportsTech ecosystem through their various content channels. A major highlight are their ecosystem overview reports covering Europe, North America and Asia and specific sports which have become a standard for the industry. They recently launched a B2C focused platform called *Hello SportsTech* which allows sports enthusiasts to discover the latest in innovation that caters to the sports industry. Rohn combined his biggest passions, sports and innovation, into a company and a career to coincide with the rise of this fast-growing industry. Rohn successfully exited his first startup in 2017 after 8 years at the helm overseeing 2 rounds of funding, a team of 60+ people and over 2 million units sold. Bangalore based *Alma Mater*, is still India's leading customized merchandise provider with a special focus on educational institutions. Since 2009 Rohn has also acted as a mentor & advisor to multiple startups in Europe & India. Prior to founding *Alma Mater*, Rohn spent 3 years with *KPMG* as a management consultant assisting telecom operators and financial services companies in Dubai, South Africa and India on his way to becoming the youngest ever Senior Consultant in KPMG's Risk Advisory Services. When not geeking out on sports, Rohn is also a self-confessed film nerd so is usually found watching classic movies with his two dogs beside him.

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Goran **Markovic**, (Business development consultant at Algotech Srbija)



**Moderator in: Serbia House**

*Experienced Telecom&IT Executive and Consultant. Huge experience in international Telecom/ISP/Mobile/VAS operations management and restructuring. Engineer with a soul of a salesman. Entrepreneur spirit. Strong Leader. Winner Mentality.*

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Aleksandar **Matanovic**, (CEO & Founder at ecd.rs, MSc in Digital Currency)



**Panelist in: Serbia House**

*Aleksander has been in cryptocurrency business since 2011. he started as a miner, then trader and now is the owner of the local bitcoin exchange (www.ecd.rs), CoinTelegraph franchise in Serbia (www.cointelegraph.rs) and one of the founders of the Serbian Bitcoin Association. He has installed the first bitcoin ATM in Serbia (we currently have 3 of them). Aleksander is also engaged in promotional and educational activities related to bitcoin. Prior to all that, he directed a e-currency exchange that worked with currencies such as e-gold, Liberty Reserve and Perfect Money. Always striving for perfection in everything he does, Aleksander earned a MSc. degree in Digital Currency from the University of Nicosia and BA degree in Electronics from the University of Belgrade. He is fluent in English and Spanish.*

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Mik **Mironov**, (SMC Capital, Crypto Rebel, GITA Alliance)



### **Panelist in: Blockchain investment 2021**

*Mikhail Mironov built career with top European banks. As a Coverage Banker for Financial Institutions in EMEA region at ABN AMRO Bank he managed large million dollars assets portfolio. He was an early day's community growth mastermind at Airbnb. Mikhail is involved in blockchain industry since 2015. He is a foundation council member of Global ICO Transparency Alliance (GITA), a Founding Partner at SMC Capital - NYC based investment and a CEO at Crypto Rebel. He holds an MBA from the University of Wales and a master's degree in International Relations from the University of Amsterdam.*  
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Jay **Moore**, (Co-founder, CMO of Prasaga)



### **Panelist in: The Future of Blockchain Technology**

*Jay Moore is a massively parallel entrepreneur, human connector, and industry insight merchant. In his 25+ years in the video game industry he has spoken internationally and is domain expert on community branding, startup ecosystems, and new venture and strategic market planning. Jay a successful track record in 12 new ventures with four exits.*  
*Most known for being GarageGames' marketing director & chief evangelist, he helped grow a community of 250,000 game developers. GarageGames licensed the first AAA game engine for \$100 and coined the term "Indie Games" and ignited the indie game movement.*  
*Jay believes the future will be massively improved by blockchain, empowered by AI, and driven by an economy based on reaching our full human potential.*

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Mark **Mueller Eberstein** (Entrepreneur and Investor)



### **Panelist in: Newest Developments in AI | Blockchain Investment 2021 | Investments Success Stories of 2020**

*Mark Mueller-Eberstein is one of the world's leading experts on leveraging technology for competitive advantage. An internationally renowned business leader, entrepreneur, investor, best-selling author in 12 languages, and teacher (at Rutgers University's Business School). Unlocking business advantage with IT for 2 decades.*  
*Mark is the founder of Adgetec Corp. and is a manager of the Codex3 blockchain investor partnership. He is a member of the Alliance of Angels (AoA), Angel Capital Association (ACA) and SWAN.*  
*Mark wrote the CES 2019 "Gary's Book Club" highlight "The Trust Technology". He is an advisor, investor and board member to selected companies in the blockchain space for over 5 years, helping teams like PundiX, Dragonchain, CoinStats, CryptoSlate; Funds (e.g., Blocclerate, REDDS) and global initiatives.*  
*Mark: The Digital Transformation leader for Blockchain, Crypto Currencies, IoT, AI and Cloud Computing. Driven to empower billions with technology.*  
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SJ Oh, (Co-founder of [Pow.re](#))



**Panelist in: Investments Success Stories of 2020**

*SJ Oh spent 15 years in the world of investment banking, as an equity sales trader based primarily at Morgan Stanley. He has gained extensive experience as a Korean market specialist and Asian market generalist at multiple brokerage firms. He currently holds the title of Director, Head of Custody & Prime products sales at OSL, Asia's largest digital asset prime brokerage. He most recently co-founded Pow.re an innovative digital asset mining company.*

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Donald Owens, (Founder and CEO of HNO Green Fuels)



**Panelist in: What VCs are Looking for in 2021**

*Donald Owens is the Founder and CEO of HNO Green Fuels. He has been developing hydrogen fuel cell technology for over a decade and holds over a dozen patents. His LeefH2 technology can be installed in any combustion engine no matter the size to safely reduce its pollution, improve the fuel economy, and create oxygen. His technology can cut one of the most ubiquitous and harmful emissions (particulate matter and black carbon) in half. This is all safely accomplished without any need for infrastructure changes or refueling stations; only water. HNO Green Fuels is poised to clean up any engine in the world today while transitioning us to a 100% clean energy future.*

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Mr. Nenad Paunovic, (Co-founder of Belgrade Venture Forum)



**Panelist in: Serbia House**

*A business growth consultant, trainer and manager with over 20 years of professional experience in various Serbian and international companies. Has an Executive MBA from Cotrugli Business School and a degree in organizational sciences from Faculty of Organizational Sciences on Belgrade University. In 2001, he received scholarship from Cyprus Government and attended Customer Oriented Quality Management program in Nicosia. Nenad is founder of EDGE, strategic growth consulting and training company. Company's mission was to help ambitious companies achieve sustainable, profitable growth by providing cutting-edge knowledge, methodologies and tools. It delivered unique consulting and training programs on strategy, marketing, innovations, management and sales topics. EDGE was also the first company that has introduced webinars to Serbian market back in 2006. EDGE was also an exclusive partner of Value Innovations, Inc. for eight countries of South East Europe region. Due to other commitments, Nenad left the company in 2017. Nenad is co-founder and was President of the Board of Serbian Venture Network (SeVeN) which is successfully organizing Belgrade Venture Forum since 2012. More about BgVF can be seen at: [www.belgradeventureforum.org](http://www.belgradeventureforum.org)*

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Dr. Jose **Pontes**, (FACAMP Brazil)



**Panelist in: Mining and Ethics**

*Dr. José Antonio Siqueira Pontes is a Professor of Philosophy of Law Facamp-Brazil. Where he co-coordinates the research group on compliance and business integrity for the Postgraduate Program in Law. He researches logic, ethics, law and economics and business integrity regulations and their impacts on human rights.*

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Mark **Turell**, (YGL, Marksterclass / Orcasci / unDavos),



**Moderator in: Celebrity in Business and Politics**

**Panelist in: Education and Future of Work Part II**

*Mark is an educator, strategist, author, and entrepreneur. He is a Professor at Hult International Business School, was a Research Fellow at the THINK School of Creative Leadership, and the author of "Scaling". His work combines collective intelligence with AI, networks, complex systems, behavioral science and neuroscience. His current focus is the challenge of how to teach 21st century work-life skills to 100 million learners, kids and adults, over the next five years - Previously Mark founded Imaginatik plc, a pioneer in crowdsourcing and collaborative problem solving for innovation. The World Economic Forum nominated him a Technology Pioneer and a Young Global Leader. [www.markturrell.com](http://www.markturrell.com)*

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Karl **Seelig**, (Digital.Davos Co-curator, ChainBLX CEO)



**Moderator in: Newest Developments in AI | Augmented Reality and Cognition | What VCs are Looking for in 2021**

**Panelist in: Offshore Banking and Solutions | FinTech Solutions 2021 | Mining and Ethics | Ethics and Technologies in Developing Countries**

*Karl Seelig is co-founder of ChainBLX.io and curator of digital.davos. Karl is the inventor of multiple patents including the RingBack Tone technology a 5.8-billion-dollar yearly market and founder of the U.S. wireless carrier Ring Plus, Inc. . Karl's academic research is in the field of attitude formation and social media. He is a manager of over 12 VC-funds, investing in different technologies. Because of his expert experience in intellectual property, Karl was part of the ethical committee of the IPO. Karl hosted over 50+ panels and was interviewed by many media outlets including The Economist Magazine, Forbes, Entrepreneur Magazine, Fox, Insider, and many others. He took part in several TV shows as himself to support the make a wish foundation.*

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Farsam **Shadab**, (Founder, Head of Research, CTO. InterEnactive)



**Panelist in: Newest Developments in AI | Augmented reality & Cognition**

*Founder of Enaxion, InterEnactive and the Bay Area's first Integral Commons (2002-2004; also, first in the USA), Farsam Shadab has taken a background in Cognitive Science as well as 20 years of Integral studies (both academic and applied) into the world's first full-realized Integral platform for "Holonomic" interactivity that marries decentralization tools (Holochain) with holistic AR. In 1998,*

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Aaron **Stanley**, (Author at CoinDesk, Content Developer for Consensus)



**Panelist in: Blockchain Investment 2021**

*I oversee content development for Consensus, the global gathering of the blockchain and cryptocurrency industry that takes place each spring in New York (though virtually in 2020!). I also look after CoinDesk's physical and virtual side events including CoinDesk: Invest and CoinDesk Live. I previously covered the blockchain and cryptocurrency industry as a reporter for CoinDesk and Forbes.com. Prior to that, I spent four years with the Financial Times' Washington Bureau, where I focused on covering U.S. business and politics and building out interactive and multimedia products.*

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Professor Michael **Sung**, (Fanhai FINTECH Research Center, Fudan University, People's Republic of China)



**Panelist in: Central Bank Digital Currencies**

*Professor Michael Sung is a technology venture builder. He is the Chairman of CarbonBlue Innovations, co-director of the Fudan Fanhai Fintech Research Center at the Fanhai International School of Finance at Fudan University. He served in numerous advisory roles over the years for the HK, Taiwan, and China governments on international tech transfer, innovation ecosystem building, AI, blockchain, and fintech policy for various top city and minister-level officials. He is frequently invited to speak at the UN, Vatican, OECD, C100, Money20/20, Crypto Finance Conference, etc. and has organized and hosted high-profile events including the One World Blockchain Forum and an annual Future of Fintech and Finance Forum at Davos. Prof. Sung serves as a member of the China Digital Finance Advisory Group for the United Nations Task Force on Digital Financing of the Sustainable Development Goals and also is working with the UN Economic and Social Commission for Asia Pacific on various digital finance and digital economy initiatives. He was also the chairman of the steering committee for MIT Tech Review's Emtech HK Conference. Prof. Sung has received various awards for technology entrepreneurship, including MIT Enterprise Forum's Most Visionary Technology Award and Google's Solve for X Prize. Prof. Sung received his Ph.D. in EECS at the MIT Media Lab/Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence Laboratory as well as a graduate financial engineering degree from MIT Sloan Business School.*

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Tyler **Thurmond**, (Managing Partner at Sensei Group)



**Panelist in: Augmented Reality and Cognition**

*Strategic partnerships | Solutions architecting | Rollout strategy | Applied science | Renewables | IoT | Fintech*  
Serial entrepreneur and business operator with 15+ years of emerging technology experience across the applied science, IoT, renewables, and fintech sectors -known for his emphasis on product innovation, interdisciplinary collaboration, and strategic rollout partnerships. He is the co-founder of Sense Terminals, a partnership between Senseology, MavenWave and Forstmann & Company, which leverages IoT to protect the public against COVID-19 and future health security threats. Previously, while a senior consultant at Futurephase X, Tyler co-developed "COIIN", i.e., the utility token and platform behind the upcoming "Atari Movie" -executive produced by Leonardo DiCaprio and JD Seraphine. He has been a keynote speaker at the California Science Center's Endeavor Shuttle Exhibit, as deputy director of advanced applied mathematics projects for Aerodynamics University. Tyler holds several patent pending involving the Internet of Things, germicidal technology, fintech software.

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Thelma **Weaver**, (CEO at Phood Farmacy)



**Moderator in: FinTech Solutions 2021 | Blockchain Investment 2021 | Crypto Token a Hong Kong Perspective | Female Entrepreneurs and Global Leaders in Tech**

*Thelma Weaver is an experienced marketing and project manager in the communications and restaurant industries. Thelma's background includes 12 years of diversified experience in project management, marketing, and promotional programming. Currently, Thelma is senior consultant of marketing & systems at The Next Idea and has worked in multiple countries including Bahrain and Italy.*

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Dr. Richard **Weinstein**



**Panelist in: Ethics and Technologies in Developing Countries**

*Richard Weinstein, M.D. is a comprehensive ophthalmologist practicing at the Ocular Health Centre in Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario, Canada. He received his Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Western Ontario and then went on to obtain his medical degree at the University of Ottawa before completing his ophthalmology training at the University of Medicine and Dentistry in New Jersey. Dr Weinstein is a co-founder of the Ocular Health Centre, a large multi-physician practice and the Ocular Health Network, which has treated thousands of patients using tele-ophthalmology in the Waterloo region. He has been actively involved in the local startup community as a mentor and an investor for numerous companies in the MedTech space and recently co-founded EyeStart, an incubator devoted to early-stage ophthalmic companies. He has performed thousands of intraocular surgical and laser procedures to treat a comprehensive list of eye diseases including cataract, glaucoma, macular degeneration and diabetic retinopathy. He has also volunteered his time doing ophthalmology work in South America. He is a serial investor with a penchant for finding new medical applications for new technologies.*

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Jonathan *Widro*, (CTO of chainBLX)

**Panelist in: FinTech Solutions 2021**

*Jonathan Widro has over 20 years' experience using creative technical solutions to solve unique and compelling market deficiencies. At 4Kids Entertainment, he guided the site to an explosive 600% growth in traffic and 800% growth in revenue over 3 years. Widro raised \$500K for a user-generated gaming platform Fyrebug, which had successful white label arrangements with PBS, Viacom, Fox Kids, WWE and Simon & Schuster. With a continued focus on blending bleeding edge technology with future-looking economic trends, the suite of blockchain products that Widro has stewarded over the last few years has uniquely positioned ChainBLX to have competitive advantages in several major market types.*