

Dr. Jamie D. Bechtel
Co-Founder, New Course



Jamie Bechtel is the Co-Founder and CEO of New Course and is a highly regarded leader in international conservation. Her work has led to strategic advances in the fields of conservation, sustainable finance, and biology.

Before founding New Course, Jamie worked for seven years at Conservation International (CI). During her tenure at CI, Jamie worked in over 20 countries including such diverse areas as Ecuador, Costa Rica, Madagascar, Fiji, Mexico, Indonesia, South Africa, and Papua New Guinea among many others. Through her work, Jamie has tackled complex issues such as mitigating destructive fishing practice, improving legal and policy frameworks, increasing enforcement efforts, developing market based solutions, improving community engagement, and ensuring scalability of projects.

While Jamie has had the privilege of working with world leaders, CEO's of major multi-national corporations, and esteemed academic scholars; the opportunities that Jamie most highly values stem from her on the ground experiences. It is Jamie's work with fisherfolk, farmers, community leaders and men, women, and children in villages and communities around the world that has fundamentally shaped Jamie's ethic and her approach to conservation and development.

Through her research and field experience, Jamie began to realize the important need to include women in conservation and development strategies, strategies that typically exclude women. This realization led Jamie to step down from her role at CI and reengage in conservation and poverty alleviation through the development of an exciting new not-for-profit organization called New Course. New Course is focused on changing the course of women's lives through conservation and sustainable development.

Jamie is an advisor to the Clinton Global Initiative and was recently honored in Fast Company Magazine as 1 of 60 women heroes. She is represented by the prestigious National Geographic Speakers Bureau and is a lecturer at University of Washington's School of Law. Jamie has a Ph.D. from Boston University and a law degree from Boston College. She lives in Seattle with her one husband, two children, one dog, two ducks and six chickens (not necessarily listed in order of importance).



Bobbi Dunphy is an Australian social entrepreneur, angel investor and mentor living in San Francisco who has worked at the nexus of water, food, climate and energy security for the past 15 years. As a Founding Member and Strategic Director for the Global Peace Index (the inaugural initiative of the Institute for the Economics of Peace in Sydney, Australia) published by The Economist annually since 2009, Bobbi worked closely with Heads of State, Nobel Peace Laureates, CEOs of Fortune 100 companies, renowned humanitarians, entrepreneurs, celebrities and environmentalists. These deepening relationships continue to play a role in her on-going work of finding practical, sustainable solutions to some of the most intractable issues facing humanity today. Earlier this year she compiled a comprehensive report on Post Harvest Food Loss in Emerging Economies and its relationship to Food Security with recommendations for technologies that help curb it which she will present at the UN. She was recently named one of 50 Global Achievers by the Australian Government for her outstanding work in the water security sector.

Being a connector of people and dots, Bobbi helps bring resources and knowhow to mission-driven companies solving big global challenges via her brand new umbrella group, The Do Tank Group (less talking, more doing). She is deeply involved in both the impact investment and philanthropic sectors in the US and internationally. As a co-founder and Executive Director of the LifeGivingForce Foundation, she spearheads its work in clean water infrastructure and job creation initiatives in Haiti. Bobbi sits on a number of Boards/Advisory Boards including High Water Women's summit, Communitere International and WaterTrust.org and Ethic, an automated investment advisor that helps responsible investors build and optimize investment portfolios based on their specific needs and values.

Bobbi is also an advisor to Ingressive, a company based in San Francisco and Lagos, Nigeria that guides global capital and experience-driven mentorship to Africa's top entrepreneurs. Ingressive commits to impact by supporting the new generation of African innovators by leveraging high-quality, on-the-ground expertise to select and lead investments in top tech startups across Africa. Ingressive aspires to lead 10,000 investments in the next 10 years. Bobbi advises on investment strategy and curates experiences to convene opportunity with brilliance. Through her work at Ingressive, she maintains her commitment to empowering African entrepreneurs by connecting them with capital and resources, while also providing credible, scalable, and auspicious business opportunities to impact investors from around the world.

She is also a founding advisor and executive team member of the brand new Elk Coast Institute for Mindful and Sustainable Innovation where she works closely with the original founders of the Earth Institute at Columbia University. She is an advisor to the Nexus Global Network and lead the Nexus delegation to Burning Man this year where as part of the overall week long program, she co-convened the first ever Impact Investment/New Economy workshop ever held at Burning Man involving renowned speakers and participants from all over the globe. The core convening group of this Speaker Series at Burning Man are working on building the first ever Burning Man Fund that will help fund innovation at Burning Man and beyond.

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PATRICIA M. DINNEEN



Pat Dinneen is currently a Senior Advisor at the Emerging Markets Private Equity Association (EMPEA) and Chair of EMPEA's Impact Investing Council. Before joining EMPEA in early 2014, she spent 9+ years as Managing Director at Siguler Guff & Company, a global private equity investment firm with over \$11 billion in assets under management. While at Siguler Guff, Dr. Dinneen built and managed the BRIC private equity business, focusing on Brazil, Russia, India, China and select frontier markets. She previously held positions at Cambridge Associates, British Telecommunications, Hughes Communications, RAND Corporation and the U. S. White House. Dr. Dinneen holds degrees from the University of Pennsylvania (B.A.), London School of Economics (M.Sc.) and MIT (Ph.D.). She is involved in multiple entrepreneurial, philanthropic, and impact investing initiatives, as a Board Member and Chair of the Impact Investing Committee at Catholic Relief Services, Executive Committee of the Catholic Impact Investing Collaborative (CIIC), Mentor in the Global Innovation Through Science and Technology (GIST) Program sponsored by the US State Department, and several other boards and investment committees.



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James Warren Evans (Warren)

Independent Sr. Adviser, Sustainable Development and Climate Change



Warren Evans, formerly Director of Environment and Sr. Adviser for Sustainable Development at the World Bank, is an independent adviser to international organizations, governments, civil society and private sector. He currently is providing consultant advisory support on climate change strategy to the Asian Development Bank and the Climate Investment Funds. He serves on advisory boards of the Institute for Global Sustainability at Yonsei University, the Korean Green Technology Center, Hydrobee (a clean tech strat-up), and Birdlife International.

Immediately after retiring from the World Bank mid-2013, Warren organized, participated as Member-Secretary, and was lead author of an independent review of the CGIAR (formerly Consultative Group for International Agricultural Research).

From 2003 to 2013, Warren served as the World Bank's Environment Director and Sr. Adviser on Sustainable Development. During that time he led the World Bank team responsible for the establishment of the Climate Investment Funds; expanded the World Bank carbon finance business from about \$185 million to over \$2.5 billion, and initiated a number of natural resource management/biodiversity conservation initiatives including the Wealth Accounting and Valuation of Ecosystem Services (WAVES) partnership. In 2011-2012 Warren supported the design of the Green Climate Fund. His final role in the World Bank was in an advisory capacity, leading a small team to consider future scenarios for development assistance and the potential roles the World Bank might play in supporting global and regional public goods, resulting in publication of a World Bank Directions in Development book, [Too Global to Fail: The World Bank at the Intersection of National and Global Public Policy in 2025](#).

Prior to joining the World Bank, Warren lived and worked in Asian developing countries including (i) assisting the (then) new Thai environment agency to establish environmental impact assessment procedures and develop capacity (USAID funded from 1978 to 1981); (ii) establishing and managing a Bangkok-based boutique environmental consulting firm which operated across Asia (1981-1987); and serving as one of the first environment/development specialists and later as the Director of Environment and Social Safeguards at the Asian Development Bank (1988-2003).



Gary Fowlie is the Head of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) Liaison Office to the United Nations. ITU is the specialized agency of the UN responsible for information and communication technology.

Mr Fowlie led a UN inter-agency effort to ensure that science, technology and innovation were adopted as key catalysts for the achievement of the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). His work focused on information and communication technology (ICT) targets in the areas of education, gender equality, infrastructure (universal and affordable access to the internet) and as a means of implementation across all 17 sustainable development goals. The UN sustainable development agenda, an agreed blueprint for sustainable development in all nations, came into effect on 1 January 2016. It recognizes *'global connectivity and ICTs as having great potential for human progress.'*

Prior to joining the UN and ITU, Mr. Fowlie worked as an Account Director for the global technology practice of the consulting firm Hill and Knowlton. At the United Nations he was responsible for the communications and marketing strategy for the UN World Summit on the Information Society. From 2005-2009 he occupied the post of Chief of Media Liaison for the United Nations in New York. He is an Economist and Journalist, having worked for the news service of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and The Economist.

Mr. Fowlie is a graduate of the Universities of Alberta, Alabama and the London School of Economics.

Daniel Goldman has worked with technology to engage and transform communities since the 70s when he started building games and apps on a calculator at age 7. He has spent most of his time on the leading edge, or supporting those on the leading edge, and building communities of trust and collaboration. Daniel built the popular online community, Inner Circle, before the public internet and was senior developer on the top selling game SimCity.

He was founder and built Total Entertainment Network, now POGO, an early online community bought by Electronic Art. He has built teams with talent who have gone on to win awards and create billion dollar companies. He lead innovation work with the EPA and WHO, bridging innovation communities, and has raised over \$40 million for technology and media companies, creating products and services used by millions,

His service on non- and for-profit boards, includes the public board of Netcom, the first internet company to go public, and Climate Cartoons , the Al Gore endorsed non-profit, founded by the people behind Tri-star Pictures and Colossal Pictures. Daniel began mentoring and angel investing in 1997 with Ellie Mae, which went public in 2011 and currently trades at more than 15x its go to market price. He speaks and supports entrepreneurship, collaboration, start ups, and economic development around the world. He and his work have been included in publications from the SF Chronicle to Time magazine. He has a BA in Computer Science from UC Berkeley and did graduate studies in Cognitive Neuroscience at Columbia.

Daniel's focus is supporting people making positive world change through entrepreneurship and place. He is managing director of Ignition Angels, an angel investment groups, and CEO of Onramp, Inc., an entrepreneurship incubation and acceleration network.



Alice Gugelev is a Director with the Global Development Incubator and head of the Impact Escalated portfolio, which focuses on creating scaled solutions across various sectors such as impact investing, livelihoods and social protection, financial inclusion, youth employment and education, SME and social enterprises, corporate and INGO innovation and investing, and energy and the environment. The portfolio incubates top down initiatives that aggregate commercial and philanthropic capital in different structures to scale impact, such as commercial fund structures, financial platforms, blended finance funds, donor collaboratives, and multi-donor trust funds. The portfolio also supports bottom up strategic and implementation support for innovations, social enterprises, and small and medium businesses to build capacity, scale their impact, drive towards sustainability and facilitate partnerships. This includes providing flexible capacity in all organizations areas ranging from operations and program management to legal and communications advisory

Alice is also the Co-Founder and Executive Director of The Muskoka Foundation and the “Do Good As You Go” movement and Chief Strategy Officer and investor for AppMakr, the world’s largest DIY mobile app development platform. Prior to her entrepreneurial ventures, Alice worked with The Bridgespan Group in San Francisco on high school education reform with the Gates Foundation and started Bain & Company’s Pro-Bono practice in Asia specializing in non-profit collaboration practices, driving greater capital to SMEs, and government non-profit oversight, as a consultant and trainer for the National Council for Social Service (NCSS). Alice also worked with the World Bank in SE Asia on their regional HQ strategy.

In the for-profit world, Alice spent six years with Bain & Company in Singapore and Bangkok, where she focused on financial services, private equity due diligence, market growth, multi-factor cost models, pricing strategy, PMI, consumer products and technology sectors. Alice also spent five years on the trading floor managing assets and liabilities for Fortune 500 companies in the US and Asia. After the currency crisis in 1997, she started the fixed income derivatives desk in SE Asia for multinational corporations with The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi.

Alice is a graduate of the Stanford Japan Center, holds a double major BA in International Economics and East Asian Studies from Columbia College and an MBA from Harvard Business School. Alice is also the co-author of the highly acclaimed “What’s Your Endgame?” article published in the Stanford Social

Innovation Review and widely shared at the Skoll World Forum in Oxford and Ashoka Future Forum in DC.



Markus Lampinen is an internationally awarded digital finance entrepreneur, active in pioneering new securities models worldwide. Has worked in digital finance since 2009, recruited over 100 individuals, built up a operations on six continents and been recognized as one of the top 100 thought leaders in crowdfunding. Markus has pioneered new funding models in the US and Europe, advised policy makers worldwide—including the SEC, the European Commission and Italian regulator CONSOB—for more effective markets, and worked with visionary organizations such as the World Bank and the Kauffman Foundation to improve frameworks for digital finance. Markus has studied computer science and economics (M.Sc).

Doug Lawrence is Managing Principal and founder of 5 Stone Green Capital and has more than 27 years of distinguished real estate industry experience. Prior to forming 5 Stone Green Capital, Doug was the Co-Portfolio Manager of the green real estate Urban Renaissance Property Fund for JPMorgan Asset Management's Real Estate platform. While at JPMAM he was also a key member of the real estate marketing team serving as a trusted fiduciary to many large pension plans.

His strength as a senior asset manager garnered nine international and national awards from BOMA, IREM and NAIOP. Over the course of his career, he managed a large portfolio of industrial, office, multi-family and retail assets totaling millions of square feet and valued in excess of \$1 billion while at JPMorgan.

Prior to JPMorgan he spent seven years as a senior asset manager for TIAA-CREF's real estate investment group; he also worked in the public sector as the Asset Manager for the City of Hartford. Earlier in his career, he was a residential developer in the U.S. Southwest. Doug is a frequent speaker on green building topics.

Doug received his MBA from the University of Connecticut in International Business Finance and earned his BA from Yale University. He is or has been a member of the Pension Real Estate Association, Urban Land Institute, National Association of Securities Professionals, National Association of Real Estate Investment Managers and U.S. Green Building Council.

Doug sits on the Investment Committee and Natural Resources Committee of the University of Connecticut Foundation, the Advisory Board of Rutgers Business School, the Advisory Board of the Saunders Business School at Rochester Institute of Technology, the Global Board of Directors of the Climate Group and the Sustainability Advisory Board of the publication, the National Real Estate Investor. Doug holds or has held NASD Series 7 and 63 licenses.

Jessica Lin is a Senior ORISE Fellow to the U.S. Department of Energy in the Office of Energy Policy and System Analysis. Prior to her current role, she worked on international energy projects with the World Bank Group, primarily focusing on what role the bank could play to commercialize clean energy technologies. She started her career in the private sector, working in finance and strategic management consulting, before leading a wireless mesh technology social enterprise startup. She received her Master's in Public Policy from the Harvard Kennedy School and her Bachelors of Science in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from MIT.

**Julie McBride, Senior Social Franchise Consultant
MSA Worldwide, Washington DC**



Julie McBride has more than 20 years of experience in health care marketing and health services franchising and is a thought leader in the rapidly growing and evolving field of social sector franchising. She is currently a consultant at MSA Worldwide, and is leading the firm's efforts to better serve the needs of social franchisors. Prior to joining the MSA team she worked as a Senior Social Franchising Advisor for a large global non-profit, PSI, where she oversaw 31 healthcare franchises in 30 countries, and built the capacity of PSI country offices to operate effective social franchises. Ms. McBride has authored and

contributed to several publications related to social franchising including a case study for Stanford Business School. She earned her Masters in Public Health from New York University and her Bachelor of Science from the University of Washington.



Rachel McManus is a clean energy entrepreneur with a passion for improving energy access in Haiti. She is the Executive Director of EarthSpark International and the President of Enèji Pwòp S.A., a Haitian social enterprise that has benefited over 80,000 people to date through sales of solar lighting and clean cooking solutions. During her five years in Haiti, she oversaw the expansion of Enèji Pwòp, increasing sales of clean energy retail products by 400% in her first year. Currently she focuses on microgrid development; after successfully commissioning Haiti's first pre-pay, town-sized, solarized smart microgrid in June 2015, EarthSpark is preparing to roll out 80 grids by the end of 2020.

With a background in gender, conflict and international development, Rachel earned her BA (Hons) in International Studies and MSc in International Conflict from Kingston University in the United Kingdom. She speaks Haitian Creole and French. She is based in Washington, D.C. She speaks frequently on energy access and microgrid development.

David Norman is a development leader with a background in establishing and leading large international and domestic development and financial operations. Mr. Norman has substantial experience in both the private and public sector, as well as in both for-profit and non-profit organizations. Mr. Norman currently serves as Sr. Vice President of Investment Programs at Heifer International and is responsible for creating and deploying programs and approaches supporting the deployment of capital to enterprises and organizations associated with Heifer's mission. Prior roles include Group Vice President for Enterprise and Agriculture at Winrock International, where he was responsible for relationship management, both internal and external, as well as with development partners, donors, elected leaders and Winrock's Board of Directors. Mr. Norman was a founding Board Member of two new development organizations: NetHope and VEGA (Volunteers for Economic Growth Alliance). He also worked in the agriculture finance sector with experience in all major areas of commercial agriculture. Mr. Norman recently sat on the Board of Directors of AgriBank, one of the largest banks in the Farm Credit System, providing more than \$87+ billion in loans and services to a wide range of agriculture sectors serving over 100,000 farmer borrowers and agribusinesses in the United States.





Andrew W. Reynolds
Former Senior Advisor, U.S. Department of State (retired, 9/2015)
Consultant, Science, Engineering and Technology for Development
Adjunct Professor, University of Virginia

Mr. Reynolds, a career civil servant, served more than four decades at the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) and Department of State with responsibilities for S&T and engineering issues, forecasting, strategic planning, non-proliferation, export controls and related cooperative research. He was DOE representative in the US Mission to OECD in Paris, 1983-1986; Executive Secretary, US/USSR Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy Agreement, 1986-1990; S&T Counselor, US Embassy, Rome, 1996-2000; and Deputy and chief of staff to four Science and Technology Advisers to the Secretary of State, 2000-2011.

From 2007, Mr. Reynolds led the U.S. delegation to the UN Commission on S&T for Development and served as Chairman in 2013-2014. In 2011, he was appointed Senior Advisor for Space and Advanced Technologies at State Department, concluding his federal career in the Office of International Communications and Information Policy which facilitates Internet governance and deployment of information and communications technologies (ICTs) for development. Throughout his career Mr. Reynolds was recognized for his service with Meritorious and Superior Honor Awards.

Mr. Reynolds currently serves on advisory boards at Purdue, University of Colorado-Boulder and Villanova, Engineers without Borders-USA, and the UN World Federation of Engineering Organizations in Paris. He also advises the UN on S&T, engineering, ICTs and Internet as enablers for the new Sustainable Development Goals and the 2030 Development Agenda, is a member of UN Network Eleven on sustainable urbanization and a Senior Fellow in Global Urban Development, an NGO. This Fall Mr. Reynolds was appointed as an adjunct professor at the University of Virginia where he lectures in the School of Engineering and the Batten School of Leadership and Public Policy on S&T, engineering and innovation for development. He holds a BA from UVA and MS degrees from GW University and the National Intelligence University.



Louis (Lou) Schick, Partner & CTO, co-founded NewWorld in June 2009. Before NewWorld, he was an independent consultant specializing in business applications of environmental technologies. Earlier, he was a Managing Director at Ritchie Capital, a hedge fund, where he oversaw a legacy portfolio of environmental businesses.

Mr. Schick spent 8 years at General Electric, mainly at Corporate Research. He began as a product service engineer supporting installation and repair of gas turbine power plants worldwide. Subsequently, his senior roles included leading evaluation of Disruptive Technologies for GE Energy. He functioned as developer and head of GE's solid oxide fuel cell program, and Master Black Belt focusing on low-carbon technologies. In his role as head of the solid oxide fuel cell program, he led a team with more than 100 scientists and researchers in five facilities and participated in strategic partnership negotiations, mergers and acquisitions, and government relations.

As a Managing Director at Ritchie Capital he oversaw a legacy portfolio of environmental businesses. Earlier, he was a product manager for MTI Micro Fuel Cells, a developer of direct methanol fuel cells, and ran the military product development team, developed the strategic marketing plan, and applied GE Six Sigma to develop customer critical metrics. Mr. Schick also managed several state and federal grant programs, and developed patent applications while at MTI. He holds technology patents in gas turbine parts, vehicle telematics, and other fields.

Mr. Schick has considerable business building experience, leveraging his understanding of science, technology, and business processes.

Lou Schick graduated cum laude with a BS in Physics and Phi Beta Kappa from Union College and holds an MS in Physics from Cornell University.

Ambassador John A. Simon
Managing Partner
Total Impact Capital
Senior Director
Medical Credit Fund



John A. Simon is a founder and Managing Partner of Total Impact Capital (TOTAL), a merchant bank for the impact investing sector, and a Senior Director of the Medical Credit Fund. Total Impact Capital has closed nearly \$200 million in impact investment transactions for enterprises and funds in the global health, education, agriculture, and financial inclusion sectors. The Medical Credit Fund is an impact debt financing vehicle created by the PharmAccess Foundation for health facilities and enterprises in Africa as part of its efforts to increase access to quality private healthcare on the Continent. It has deployed more than \$16 million in loans to nearly 1,000 borrowers, with a presence in Kenya, Tanzania, Nigeria, and Ghana.

Prior to starting Total and joining the Medical Credit Fund, Ambassador Simon was a visiting fellow at the Center for Global Development, where he co-authored *More than Money*, a report on impact investing as a development tool. Previously, Ambassador Simon held a variety of posts in the US federal government, including serving most recently as the United States Ambassador to the African Union and the Executive Vice President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC).

Ambassador Simon also served as Special Assistant to the President and Senior Director for Relief, Stabilization, and Development for the National Security Council (NSC) at the White House, the first to hold this post. During his tenure at the NSC, Ambassador Simon oversaw the implementation of groundbreaking development initiatives, including the Millennium Challenge Account, the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief, the Multilateral Debt Relief Initiative, and the President's Malaria Initiative. He was also responsible for

coordinating the U.S. government response to international humanitarian disasters, such as the 2005 South Asia Earthquake.

From 2002 to 2003, Ambassador Simon was Deputy Assistant Administrator at the United States Agency for International Development, overseeing the agency's development information and evaluation units. Earlier in his career, he served as Director of Business Finance and Strategic Planning at Harvard Pilgrim Health Care and worked for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Office for Administration and Finance in several capacities, including Deputy Director for Research and Development.

Ambassador Simon received his bachelor's degree from Princeton University and a master's degree in public policy from Harvard University.



Leena Pische Thomas: International Business, Climate Change Mitigation, Finance, Technology and Project Management Specialist

Leena has almost two decades of experience in the field of International Business, Technology and Project Management in the Climate Change Mitigation, Energy, Environment, Transport, sectors working with various US, European and Indian organizations.

Leena established Global Business Inroads (GBI) in September 2009 to assist and serve Government, NGOs, Financial Institutions, and Private Sector organizations with their technology, sustainable energy, environment project development and international business needs. Leena's unique approach to developmental sector consulting, business strategy, technology and innovation management across borders, combined with business model and financing strategies have focused on tech deployment and ecosystem development.

GBI has supported over 200 clean tech related private organizations and institutions in the development and deployment of solutions and has been appointed as India Deployment Hub of the Global Cleantech Cluster Association (GCCA)

Prior to GBI, Leena has worked on USAID programs in energy efficiency and the Clinton Climate Initiative to scale the deployment of climate change mitigation solutions in India. Leena was selected by the US State Department in April 2011 for the US Government's International Visitors Leadership Program (IVLP) as a leader in the Clean Energy and Climate Change category and between 2010 – 2014 appointed by the EU Commission to strategise, develop and implement a program focused to transferring EU clean technologies into the Indian market. Leena was presented the Award for Woman Achiever of the Year 2015 by ISBR, Bangalore.

As the founding partner, Xiaochen brings more than 15 years of global experience and thought leadership to the New Development Ventures. He also serves on the Board of Directors of American Crowdfunding Professional Association, as a green finance advisor of the Inter-American Development Bank, the Asia Small and Medium Enterprises Financing Network and UN ESCAP's Task Force on Digital Economy and Task Force on Green Business. He leads the design and implementation of NDV's global strategy, which drives global innovation through a number of innovative collaborative initiatives such as a clean tech lab, a FinTech Lab, and an insurance blockchain lab.

Before NDV, Xiaochen advised government agencies and multinational organizations on innovative finance, green technology, climate policy, and sustainable energy in positions at the World Bank, United Nations, and other international partnership platforms. Xiaochen has extensive experience in the incubation and scale-up of result-based solutions for the public and private sectors globally. He is a recognized thought leader, a mentor, a financial advisor and a keynote speaker on FinTech and green innovation. He holds an M.A. in Global Studies from Leipzig University.



张晓晨，新发展资本联合创始人，科技金融国际联合实验室，新能源共享经济联合实验室和保险区块链联合实验室创始合伙人，美国众筹行业协会董事，泛美开发银行绿色金融和亚洲中小企业融资网络顾问，联合国亚洲及太平洋经济社会委员会数字经济特别行动组和绿色商业特别行动组成员。曾服务于世界银行、联合国、德国南德集团、弗吉尼亚大学、北京大学等机构；在美国、欧洲、亚洲、非洲和拉丁美洲有丰富的工作经验。过去 15 年致力于推动全球可持续发展、创业创新、能源环境、气候变化和金融科技方面的创新，帮助发展中国家政府和企业利用最先进的教育理念和技术成果进行人才培养、能力建设和获得投资；代表所在机构在许多国际论坛和会议就可持续发展、绿色金融、创新体系、智能技术、金融科技以及社会创新方面发表演讲或为参会者提供培训。