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Featured Speakers



Anastasia Leng, Entrepreneur, CEO Picasso Labs, San Francisco, USA

The Art and Science of Start-Ups



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Dr. Nancy Puccinelli, Associate Fellow at Oxford University's Green Templeton College, UK The New Psychology of

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Riley Newman, Former Head of Analytics, Airbnb, USA Building a Unicorn: How Airbnb Used Data Science to Navigate Hypergrowth

The Summit is placed under the Auspices of the President of the House of Parliament, Mr. Demetris Syllouris

Saturday 8 April 2017 | 08:30 - 13:00 | Bank of Cyprus Headquarters (Ayia Paraskevi) | Nicosia



The Summit

The CIM Summit 2017 is a reference point in the field of Management and Marketing studies in Cyprus and the rest of Europe. The CIM Summit is organised on an annual basis and aims to provide the opportunity to Cypriot firms to be informed about the latest developments in the areas of Management and Marketing. The speakers include world-renowned academics from Europe's leading Business Schools, as well as successful professionals, and they are invited to share their knowledge with attendees representing the leading companies of Cyprus and Europe.

CIM Summit 2017 marks the 10th Anniversary of the CIM Summit.

Objectives

The main objectives of the Summit are to inform and educate Cyprus' managers and executives. Moreover, it also provides a platform for managers and executives to network and discuss the latest developments in their respective fields. Finally, by organising this Summit, the CIM actively promotes research and offers added value to its members and alumni who are encouraged to attend.

Audience

- Business Executives;
- Senior Government Officials;
- Marketing Managers;
- Human Resource Managers;
- · Sales Managers;
- · Production Managers;
- Logistics Managers;
- Brand Managers;
- And any other executive who would like to be informed on the latest trends in Management and Marketing.

Summit Details

Saturday 8th April 2017, 08:30am, Bank of Cyprus Headquarters (Ayia Paraskevi), Nicosia Entry to the event is FREE (registration is essential). Any registration is subject to confirmation by the Coordinator. A Certificate of Attendance is going to be awarded to all participants.

Organiser

The Cyprus Institute of Marketing (CIM)

The Cyprus Institute of Marketing (CIM) was founded in September 1978 and operates in Nicosia and Limassol. As the first Business School in Cyprus, its main purpose has always been to fill the gap that exists in Cyprus' tertiary education by offering high-quality education to in-career individuals. When, in 1978, CIM pioneered by offering Management and Marketing Degrees in Cyprus, most companies had not yet recognised the importance of marketing and management in business activity; that corporations have now acknowledged the prominence of the sciences of marketing and of management is a testament to the immense impact CIM has had on business activity in Cyprus. Since then, CIM has expanded into areas beyond Management and Marketing, offering Diplomas and Degrees in Banking, Insurance, Finance, Shipping, European Studies, Financial & Computer Studies and an MBA. Running evening-only classes, CIM combines theory and practice. CIM has won the respect of the Cyprus business world and, with more than 5,000 alumni in Cyprus and abroad, it is the leading Business School in the country.



Anastasia Leng, Founder & CEO, Picasso Labs, USA

Anastasia Leng is the founder & CEO of Picasso Labs, a venture-backed company that develops artificial intelligence to power creativity. Through image recognition technology, their creative intelligence software measures how specific visual factors impact users' reactions to imagery and video. Picasso Labs was recently selected as one of Unilever's 50 most innovative marketing companies of 2016. Prior to that, Anastasia co-founded Hatch.co, an ecommerce company that was selected as one of Time Magazine's Top 10 Startups to Watch in New York, one of TimeOut NY's Best New Shopping Sites of 2013, as well as one of the four most innovative retail companies by the National Retail Federation. Prior to Hatch, Anastasia spent 5+ years at Google, working in New Business Development and Product Marketing. She led entrepreneurship efforts in Europe, Africa, & the Middle East and was responsible for early-stage partnerships for Google Voice, Chrome, and Wallet. Anastasia graduated from the University of Pennsylvania with a triple major in Psychology, Sociology, and French. She's been a nomad all her life and has lived in Bahrain, Vietnam, Hungary, Russia, France, England, and the US.



Jochen Menges, Lecturer in Organisational Behaviour, Judge Business School, University of Cambridge, UK

Jochen's research focus is on the social dynamics between leaders and followers and on the role of emotions and motivation in organisational life. Jochen examines, for example, what makes leaders charismatic, how charismatic leaders affect followers, how leaders infuse emotions in those who look up to them, how leaders develop and use emotional intelligence, how emotions spread to affect collectivities, and how organisations can create cultures that feature high levels of engagement and low levels of exhaustion. In his research, teaching and consulting, Jochen has worked with companies and organisations such as Ambrosetti, British Telecom, Google, Jaguar Land Rover, L'Oreal, Microsoft, Nordea, Save the Children, Waldburg Zeil Hospitals, and The World Bank. Jochen has taught at start-up incubators such as Plug & Play in Silicon Valley and The Venture Cafe Foundation in Boston. Jochen is also an expert on the medium-sized companies of the Mittelstand, the backbone of Germany's economy. He led a major employer quality assessment study, for which he evaluated more than 450 Mittelstand companies in Germany regarding their potential to attract and retain talent. Jochen is amongst the founders of the Experimental Laboratory at Cambridge Judge Business School. He conducts carefully controlled experiments to understand the causality of the social dynamics that he observes in organisations. Jochen has been a Consulting Editor of the scientific journal Emotion. His research has been featured in the media around the world, for example, by the BBC, CNN, The Economist, The Financial Times, Le Monde, NPR, The Wall Street Journal, and Die Zeit.



Dr. Nancy Puccinelli, Associate Fellow at Oxford University's Green Templeton College, UK

Dr. Puccinelli is one of the world's leading experts in consumer behaviour and the psychology of marketing. Her work informs the understanding of how surprising environmental cues drive consumer decisions in retail stores. She has been a consultant to some of the world's largest companies including the HMRC, Spencers (leading Indian retailer), CVS (largest US chemist), American Chamber of Commerce, Dakar-Senegal, Four Seasons Hotels, Coca-Cola and Procter & Gamble. She serves on the board of one of the leading mobile advertising companies, AdMaxim. She also serves on the editorial boards of the Journal of Marketing, the American Journal of Business, and the Journal of Consumer Marketing. She has published in leading journals such as the Journal of Marketing, Journal of Business Research, Journal of Consumer Psychology, Journal of Marketing Management, Journal of Nonverbal Behaviour, Journal of Retailing, and Psychology & Marketing.



Riley Newman, Former Head of Analytics, Airbnb, USA

Riley Newman was one of the first employees at Airbnb, joining at a time when the company was largely unknown. Over the course of the subsequent 6 and a half years, he helped grow the company in over 190 countries while building its Data Science organization from the ground up. As of his departure in July 2016, he managed one of the largest and most advanced data science teams in Silicon Valley and the company was valued at over \$30 billion. He holds an MPhil in Applied Economics from Cambridge and degrees in Economics and International Relations from the University of Washington.

08:30-09:00	Registration
09:00-09:15	Opening Ceremony - Welcome by the Chairman of the Summit, John Vickers, Editor Gold Magazine - Welcome address by Yangos Hadjiyannis, Deputy -Director-General, CIM - Welcome address by Dimi Morozof, CEO, Green Energy Group - Welcome address by Demetris Syllouris, President of the House of Parliament
09:15-09:45	The Art and Science of Start-Ups With a success rate of less than 10%, starting a company is the riskiest bet you'll ever make. Since de- parting Google and founding two companies, Anastasia has spent five years thinking about the factors that lead to startup success and the attributes of founders who make it big. In this brutally honest talk, Anastasia will discuss the art and science of startups, including the many mistakes made along the way that she hopes other founders can learn from as they embark on their own startup journey. Anastasia Leng, Entrepreneur, Founder & CEO, Picasso Labs, USA
09:45-09:50	Questions and Answers
09:50-10:20	The Acceleration Trap Faced with intense market pressures, companies often take on more than they can handle: they increase the number and speed of their activities, raise performance goals, shorten innovation cycles and introduce new management technologies. For a while, they succeed brilliantly but eventually the frenetic pace starts to sap employees' motivation and, ironically, begins to hamper performance. As a result, exhaustion and resignation begin to blanket the company, with dire consequences for all. I call this problem 'The Acceleration Trap'. In my talk, I will explain how you can find out whether your company is in the Acceleration Trap, how you can break free from the trap, and how to avoid excessive acceleration in the future. Jochen Menges, Lecturer in Organisational Behaviour, Judge Business School, University of Cambridge, UK
10:20-10:25	Questions and Answers
10:25-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-11:30	 The New Psychology of Marketing Dr. Nancy Puccinelli applies psychology to customer decision making at Oxford University with special expertise in predicting consumer behaviour in difficult economic times. In particular she will focus on how entrepreneurs can use customer behavior to disrupt sleepy incumbents. Dr. Nancy Puccinelli, Associate Fellow at Oxford University's Green Templeton College, UK
11:30-11:35	Questions and Answers
11:35-12:05	 Building a Unicorn: How Airbnb Used Data Science to Navigate Hypergrowth In less than a decade, Silicon Valley startup Airbnb grew from an airbed on the floor of a San Francisco apartment to a \$30 billion dollar company that has changed the way people travel all over the world. Many stories of the company's growth focus on the products and marketing campaigns we launched that resulted in our growth. But what happened behind the scenes to make these efforts successful? This talk will examine some of the key challenges Airbnb faced and how the company's culture and use of data helped overcome them. Riley Newman, Former Head of Analytics, Airbnb, USA
12:05-12:10	Questions and Answers
12:10-12:40	Panel Discussion
12:40-13:00	Closing Ceremony – Proclamation of 2017 CIM Honorary Fellows Award of Certificates

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Coordinator



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