

# Speaker Profile

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## Biography

Christian Kameir is a managing partner at Sustany Capital, a venture capital firm investing in blockchain and decentralized finance solutions. He has been a tech entrepreneur since the dial-up days of the internet and is an expert in future technologies, network effects and sustainability. Twenty years ago, Christian led the legal and operational matters for the merger of two of the earliest internet service providers in Europe, consequently moving to California to start a technology venture fund. Christian studied classical literature, is certified in neurolinguistic programming, and a graduate of Muenster's School of Law. He writes and speaks on topics ranging from high-tech investing to decentralized finance, and blockchain for Forbes, Hacker Noon, and other publications.

## Speaking Topics

### Topic #1: The State of Blockchain

The blockchain space is a rapidly evolving new paradigm, reshaping the landscape of a wide variety of industries, ranging from finance to supply chain and many more use cases. As managing partner of a venture fund Sustany Capital with focus on financial technologies, Christian evaluates hundreds of projects in the blockchain space each year. Together with Sustany's scientific approach to investing, which includes a constant peer-review process, Christian is in the unique position to provide a comprehensive view of the state of blockchain.

## **Topic #2: Investing into Decentralized Finance and Blockchain**

Blockchains and decentralized finance solutions provide investment opportunities that far exceed those of previous advances in technology. However, an overwhelming amount of marketing material, often using jargon borrowed from a variety of disciplines makes it difficult for investors to develop actionable investment criteria for this emerging space. In this lecture, Christian is applying sound technology investor principles, combined with industry expertise to explain what makes projects in the blockchain space investable.

## **Topic #3: What blockchain means for your business**

Blockchain-based solutions are destined to not only disrupt the financial industry but will affect many other industries. Companies that want to stay relevant must understand how blockchains might impact their business, and whether they themselves should deploy a blockchain-based solution to advance their business objectives. This talk will provide an overview of particle blockchain-based solutions and can be tailored to a specific (business) sector, if requested.

## **Topic #4: Blockchains: the only solution to cyber security of personal data?**

Cybercrimes costs individuals and businesses an estimated \$500 billion a year and is "by definition the greatest threat to every profession, every industry, every company in the world" (Virginia Rometty, CEO IBM). While California is the first State to adopt a Consumer Privacy Act resembling the protections of Europe's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), several other State have already announced to pass similar laws, including: Texas, Nevada, Washington and New York. A slew of new data management tools has sprung up, addressing the inherent cyber security risks of storing data protected by these new regulations. Many of these solutions propose blockchain or graph-based architectures. As venture capitalists with a background in technology and law, Christian Kameir and his team of data scientists and analysts have been focused on researching sustainable solutions in this field for the past two years, resulting in the first investment into a decentralized identity solution with advanced biometric earlier this year. The presentation will focus on the latest developments in cyber security with particular focus on personal data.

**Other topics can be deduced from a list of Christian's articles, which can be found at:**

<http://kameir.forbes.com/>

<https://hackernoon.com/@kameir>

## **Event and Company Specific Topics**

Event and company specific topics can be facilitated upon request.

## Selected Pervious Speaking Engagements, Interviews and Podcasts

OWI: The State of Identity Technologies  
<https://oneworldidentity.com/podcast/sustanycapital/>

Keynote OnChain: Blockchain Investing 2019  
<https://youtu.be/brzLTA2q6qs>

Keynote IDEAS: Blockchain and your business  
<https://youtu.be/L-2ciRnlpys>

Expert Panel: Alternative Funding  
<https://youtu.be/neV9Mz6oOkk>

Interview: Blockchain and Venture Capital  
<https://youtu.be/2OW8pczQOPo>

Association for Corporate Growth: Introduction to Blockchain  
<https://youtu.be/4CREK3DuOow>

The Blockchain Show: A VC's perspective on ICOs  
<http://www.theblockchainshow.com/78-sustany-with-ceo-christian-kameir/>

Crypto the Wonderdog Show: Crypto Exchanges  
<https://youtu.be/wcNrO3c1gPU>

Radio: Wild West Crypto  
<https://youtu.be/i5-I5xParY4>

A Comprehensive list of articles, podcasts and events can be found here:  
<https://sustany.co/press.html>

### Pricing\*

United States	\$8,500 + Travel Cost
Europe	\$12,500 + Travel Cost
Asia	\$15,500 + Travel Cost

*\*additional fee might apply for company specific engagements*



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