Agri Investor

Chicago Forum 2019

November 12-13 Renaissance Chicago Downtown Hotel

Investors and fund managers putting capital to work in U.S. agri



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Event highlights



Featured keynote presentation

This year's Forum features a keynote address from **Jamie Shen**, Chief Investment Officer, **PGIM Agriculture Investments**.

Access to exclusive agriculture content

Hear from industry executives on topics such as agtech, impact investing, farmland investing, water investing, and more.





Unique networking opportunities with agribusiness leaders

Network with decision makers during networking breaks, lunches, and the networking reception at the close of day 1.

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Confirmed speakers



Anna Rath President, Chief Executive Officer **Vestaron Corporation**



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Natalya Zhukova Director, Agribusiness **EBRD**

For a full list of speakers, visit agriinvestor.com/chicago-speakers



Agenda | Day 1: November 12

8:00	Registration and networking breakfast	
8:45	PEI welcome & chairman's introduction	
9:00	Keynote presentation	
9:30	Agriculture's place in the GP/LP nexus Big picture institutional demand	
10:20	Where's the beef? PE's role in the plant-based alternatives sector	
11:10	Networking break	
11:40	AgTech Exploring PE's role in a very broad market	
12:30	Networking lunch	
1:30	Why now? The real deals of the year	
2:20	Breakout session I	
	Track A - Private Investor's role in the U.S. hemp supply chain	
	Track B - Timber Challenges, opportunities and the market response	
3:10	Breakout session II	
	Track A - Organics The active corner of the big market	
	Track B - Aquaculture PE's role in this key emerging protein market	
4:00	Networking break	
4:20	The LPs' perspective The agri investment process & fundamentals	
5:10	Networking reception	

Agenda | Day 2: November 13

3:30	Registration & networking breakfast	
9:15	PEI welcome	
9:20	The state of play in US farmland	
10:10	Ag & impact Riding the regenerative wave	
11:00	Networking break	
11:30	Where to? The next emerging markets for agri	
12:20	Water - Case study Defining's PE role & how to asses new opportunities	
1:10	Networking lunch & conference adjourns	

"The depth and breadth of information is superior to other agfocused conferences. Keep up the great work!"

Jim Schultz,Open Prairie Rural
Opportunities Fund

"Great conference, great location, great speakers."

Dylan Marschall, CBRE

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Registration type	Price
General delegate	\$2,595
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Service provider**	\$3,495
Qualified investor	Complimentary

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Registration





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Venue

Renaissance Chicago Downtown Hotel 1 W Wacker Dr, Chicago, IL 60601

Hotel accommodations are available at the Renaissance Chicago Downtown Hotel. We have arranged a special conference rate of \$299.00 + tax. Rooms are limited and are on a first-come-first-served basis.

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