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Overview: The Cayman Alternative Investment Summit (CAIS) is an annual conference that convenes leading thinkers and decision makers from diverse segments of the global alternatives industry to discuss and debate the challenges and opportunities that will define the future of the industry. Now in its seventh year, CAIS 2020 (CAIS20) has become one of the most influential discussion forums in the alternative investment space.

Logistics: CAIS20 will take place **February 6-7, 2020** at the **Kimpton Seafire Resort + Spa** in Grand Cayman. All qualified media are entitled to a complimentary full conference access pass when registering in advance.

Agenda: Industry speakers will hold panel discussions and keynote addresses across the span of two days to explore the theme **Global. Digital. Responsible:**

- **Day one** will focus on a high digital, low carbon future in which innovative technologies intersect with new trends in alternative investing. Panel discussions include “Investing at the Intersection of Technology,” “Artificial Intelligence: Placebo or Panacea” and “Fast & Furious: Accelerating ESG into Alternative Investments.”
- **Day two** will focus on geopolitical challenges and preparedness, including the impact of globalisation, digitalisation and climate on global financial markets. Panel discussions include “Before the Endgame: Investing in Climate,” “The Time for Impact” and “Guardians of the Galaxy 2.0: The Macro Dilemma.”

Speakers: Presentations and panel sessions from **80+ speakers** from across the global investment industry will cover the latest themes influencing the future of alternative investing. The summit concludes with a fireside chat featuring a special guest keynote, who will be announced closer to the event. Speakers announced to date include:

- **Emily Alejos**, Managing Director & CIO at Cartica Management LLC
- **Leda Braga**, CEO at Systematica
- **Ian Bremmer**, President & Founder of Eurasia Group & GZERO Media
- **Wences Casares**, Founder & CEO at XAPO
- **Nancy Davis**, Founder of Quadratic Capital Management
- **Dave McKay**, President & CEO of RBC
- **George Mussalli, CFA**, Chief Investment Officer & Head of Research, Equity at PanAgora
- **Christina Qi**, Founding Partner at Domeyard LP
- **John Studzinski**, Vice Chairman & Managing Director at PIMCO

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