

Horatio Alger Association 2017 Global Leadership Summit Speakers and Site Visits

Speakers:

Franz Bozsak, Instent

Innovation to Save Lives

Franz Bozsak, CEO, of Instent has brought together a world-class team of scientists, engineers and doctors, renowned experts in their respective fields, to help him realize his vision of innovative connected vascular devices. Through his firm, Instent, he and his team have developed a breakthrough remote monitoring technology that can turn invasive vascular medical devices into connected healthcare devices. By providing instantaneous and non-invasive identification of the tissue composition in contact with a medical device, Instent's patent-pending sensor technology overcomes the limitations of vascular imaging techniques used in both interventions and patient follow-up. Instent's team is currently developing vascular access devices equipped with the proprietary sensor technology, before eventually equipping implantable devices for neurovascular, peripheral vascular and cardiovascular indications. Franz obtained his Ph.D. from Ecole Polytechnique on the optimization of drug-eluting stents and is a graduate of the Stanford Ignite-X business program.

Sean Cavan, Strategic Business Engagement, Sheffield Hallam, University

Innovations in British Education

Sean Cavan has 30 years' experience in creating and delivering professional development programs. While working in senior roles in the Department of Computing and Management Sciences and the Sheffield Business School he developed five major Masters programs for the ICT and Business Administration sectors, delivered in the UK, Europe, the Gulf and Hong Kong. Currently, Dr. Cavan is chair-elect of the UK Universities Council for the Education of Teachers which involves working with government colleagues on education policy implementation. He is also a non-executive director of a 44 school Multi-Academy Trust.

Royston Flude, Ph.D.

Exploring UK's Social Services: Focus on Mental Health

Royston Flude is an entrepreneur and chief executive with a background of facilitating change management in a wide range of international organizations. He has held senior positions with Shell Chemicals, Reed International, Lafarge Coppeé, Philips, and Manpower, among others. He has directed projects in Germany, the Netherlands, France, and the USA, as well as the UK. As a dyslexic polymath, he has faced many personal challenges that have created a warm sense of humor and a care for those less fortunate in our society and the ability to build constructive relationships at all levels and across all cultures, which includes voluntary work as a counsellor and therapist. He has been an executive mentor across a wide range of industries and professions. Educated in the UK, with a B.Sc. with honors in Physics (UMIST), an MA in Counselling and a Ph.D. (University of Manchester) his life journey is that of a polymath who is interested in 'all and everything' providing a broad framework for understanding the world of commerce, social interaction and change.

Aude Latouche, AL Corporate Advice

Women and Entrepreneurship in France

Aude Latouche serves as the Founder and Managing Partner at AL Corporate Advice. Ms. Latouche founded the firm in 2007. She also serves as a Vice-President and Board Member of *Analystes et Conseillers en Investissements, Finance et Transmission*. Previously, Ms. Latouche served in mergers and acquisitions roles at Arcelor and J.P. Morgan. She started her career as an Analyst at Credit Agricole Indosuez. Ms. Latouche serves in several networks and associations, including as a Board Member of the network PWN, where she is in-charge of the *entrepreneuriat*. She has several years of experience in investment banks and strategic and financial management of industrial groups in France and abroad. Ms. Latouche has expertise in sale-acquisition and strategic analyses. She is also certified in mental coaching and PNL. She received an M.B.A. from INSEAD in 2007 and graduated from both the Central School Paris in 1997 and the Institute of Political Studies of Paris in 1998.

James McGrory, Open Britain

Britain's Role post-Brexit: UK Business Perspective

James McGrory has over a decade of experience in political communications. Before founding Open Britain, he was Britain Stronger in Europe's Chief Campaign Spokesman and previously served as Nick Clegg's Press Secretary as a Special Adviser to the Deputy Prime Minister during the Coalition Government.

Megan Morys-Carter, Entrepreneurship Centre, Said Business School, The University of Oxford

Entrepreneurship in Great Britain

Megan Morys-Carter has a wealth of experience in innovation ecosystems, strategy, change management and science commercialization, with a focus on the culture and structures that facilitate effective innovation. She particularly values working across traditional institutional and disciplinary boundaries.

Edwige Queruel, Paris Diderot University

Entrepreneurship in France

Edwige Queruel is Head of Enterprise Relations and Entrepreneurship at Paris Diderot University.

Jérémie Renouf, ISC Paris Business School

Entrepreneurship and Start-up Incubators in France

Jérémie Renouf is a professor of entrepreneurship at ISC Paris Business School. He oversees the entrepreneurship programs and the incubator at the University. He works on career mobility and the French entrepreneurship ecosystem. Previously he was project manager in corporate entrepreneurship at EDF (a French National energy company); Project manager at AFE (a French National agency dedicated to entrepreneurship); Entrepreneurship advisor in a City Hall (Boulogne-Billancourt); and incubator project manager at Cnam (a National higher education institution). He is a graduate of Novancia, a business school attached to the Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

Site Visits :

The Family

Alice Zagury, Co-Founder and CEO

Charles Rajjou, OPS

Growing Business in Paris

The Family's mission is to educate entrepreneurs, build an infrastructure to empower them and open access to investors. It is a platform that unites entrepreneurs across Europe in Paris, London and Berlin. The Family strives to build a startup continent that is diverse, dynamic and open.

I.D.E.E.S

Yacine Hilmi, Co-Founder

Serving the Needs of the Immigrant Community in Paris

I.D.E.E.S (Initiatives des Diplômés pour l'Education et l'Emploi des Sevranaï) is an NGO founded in 2009 in Sevran, a commune in the northeastern suburbs of Paris with a large immigrant population. The principal goals of the association are to provide support and training for youth from this area and to give students the tools to learn and to gain a sense of independence and engagement in society. Among their efforts has been a focus on startups and entrepreneurship, in partnership with several of the Paris-based accelerators and incubators. I.D.E.E.S regularly partners with the private sector as well as local and regional government to bring more opportunities to the people in the community.

Standing Together Against Domestic Violence in the United Kingdom

Nicole Jacobs, CEO

Working to End Domestic Abuse

Standing Together Against Domestic Violence is a UK charity bringing communities together to end domestic abuse. Most public services weren't designed with domestic abuse in mind, and they often struggle to keep people safe. Poor communication and gaps between services put survivors at risk. Standing Together aims to end domestic abuse by changing the way that local services respond to it. They do this through an approach that they pioneered, called the Coordinated Community Response. The Coordinated Community Response brings services together to ensure local systems truly keep survivors safe, hold abusers to account, and prevent domestic abuse. This model of a coordinated local

partnership to tackle and ultimately prevent domestic violence is now widely accepted as best practice. Standing Together advises and supports communities to introduce, strengthen, or develop the Coordinated Community Response in their area.

The University of Oxford

An “Ancient University” with a Modern Focus

The University of Oxford (informally Oxford University or simply Oxford) is a collegiate research university located in Oxford, England. It has no known date of foundation, but there is evidence of teaching as far back as 1096, making it the oldest university in the English-speaking world and the world’s second-oldest university in continuous operation. It grew rapidly from 1167 when Henry II banned English students from attending the University of Paris. After disputes between students and Oxford townsfolk in 1209, some academics fled north-east to Cambridge where they established what became the University of Cambridge. The two “ancient universities” are frequently jointly referred to as “Oxbridge.” The university is made up of a variety of institutions, including 38 constituent colleges and a full range of academic departments which are organized into four divisions. All the colleges are self-governing institutions within the university, each controlling its own membership and with its own internal structure and activities. Oxford is the home of the Rhodes Scholarship, one of the world's oldest and most prestigious scholarships, which has brought graduate students to study at the university for more than a century. Oxford has educated many notable alumni, including 28 Nobel laureates, 27 Prime Ministers of the United Kingdom and many heads of state around the world.

XLP

Mike Coates, Training Manager

Building Relationships with Inner-City Youth in London

From their 18 years of working with young people in inner cities, XLP believes that the key to bringing about sustainable change is relationship. Relationship can restore a young person’s trust in people, it can nurture the belief that things can change, that an alternative future is possible. And good relationships act as reference points for determining right from wrong. XLP has witnessed courageous life decisions made by young people emerging from tragic and hopeless situations because of the help and support provided through a strong and trusted positive relationship. To help build relationships with young people and their communities, XLP’s youth workers live in the communities where they work. This helps them to ‘be a familiar face’ in the local area, but also to be personally acquainted with the issues affecting the young people and their families. XLP works with young people across a range of projects focusing on education, the arts, the community, advocacy and mentoring. They see youth in many different settings and can build deeper relationships both with them and with their families.