

## MODERATOR BIO

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**Susanna Potenza is Investor at Primo Climate**, a climate-tech italian VC, covering the full investment lifecycle from sourcing to exit. She has experience across impact VC and acceleration between Brussels and Milan, with a strong focus and passion for agri-tech and food. She holds a degree in Management Engineering from Politecnico di Milano **and runs FoodHack Milan Chapter, organizing event on food innovation and tech in Italy**. Outside work, you'll always find her discovering curious food niche products from local small producers.

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**SPEAKER BIO:**

**Ivan Calimani is an engineer driven by a deep commitment to sustainability, with formative experience in the City of London. He played a key role as Project Manager for Expo 2015, a global event where food and environmental sustainability took center stage, shaping international dialogue on the future of nutrition.**

**Building on this vision, in 2016 he founded Open Line, a management consulting firm, and in 2018 launched Krillmat, a company pioneering innovative materials that offer an alternative to petrochemical plastics.** By transforming food industry by-products—such as peels, seeds, and shells—into high-value materials, his work sits at the intersection of circular economy and food sustainability.

Today, Ivan brings a pragmatic yet visionary perspective on how the food system can evolve, turning what was once overlooked into a resource for a more sustainable future.

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