

Summer Forum

Investing in the Oceans and the Land

Bermuda is the perfect location for The IPI Summer Forum to address the forces at play in the oceans and on land. We share how technology and innovation is working to reverse our impact and improve these ecosystems.

ALASTAIR COOPER

Alastair Cooper swapped a 18-year banking career with Morgan Stanley for a yearlong farming course at the Royal Agricultural University. That was 2002 - he hasn't looked back. Alastair is a private investor and venture partner focused on agriculture and food. As we tackle the mega trends driving change Alastair will explain the changes face of agriculture and food from a society's and an investor's perspective.

SAM TEICHER

Sam Teicher co-founded Coral Vita, a social enterprise that grows resilient corals up to 50 times faster to restore dying reefs. Coral reefs sustain roughly 1 billion people's livelihoods and 25 percent of marine life while powering tourism economies and sheltering coastlines from storms. But half are dead and more than 90% are on track to die by 2050. Teicher previously worked on climate resiliency initiatives at the White House and the Global Island Partnership, is a Forbes 30 Under 30 Social Entrepreneur, and was a contributing author to SDG 14.

DETAILS & REGISTER

The St. Regis Bermuda Resort
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DATES

July 10-12 2022

MARK SCHROPE

The expanse of Earth's oceans is largely undiscovered. Mark Schrope will explain the future of Ocean technology and its vast potential. Mark is Schmidt Marine Technology's director. Schmidt Marine Technology is part of the Eric and Wendy Schmidt Network. As a scientist, journalist, public information officer, and photographer, he has been to sea on over a dozen UNOLS, private, and NOAA ships. As a freelance journalist, his assignments have taken him on a flight into the eye of a hurricane; to the seafloor multiple times by submersible; and around the world—from a remote Colombian island to the Egyptian desert to the coral reefs of Indonesia and Fiji.