

## SESSION 2 – 18 JUNE AM

### **BIO – Brian Bieron**

Brian Bieron has served as a Senior Director with eBay Inc. since June of 2004. He leads a team focused on educating policymakers and thought leaders on the evolving eBay marketplace that is expanding both in the United States and abroad and is creating small business jobs across the globe. Bieron joined eBay after spending three-and-a-half years as a Director at Clark & Weinstock, where he was an advisor to leading technology, telecommunications, and trade associations including eBay, AT&T, PhRMA, Microsoft, Adelphia, BIO, BMG, Vivendi-Universal, Instinet and Nasdaq. Bieron spent more than twelve years on Capitol Hill, where he was Policy Director for House Rules Committee Chairman David Dreier (R-CA), a member of the House Republican Leadership and a congressional leader on technology and trade policy. During that time, he headed up Dreier's successful efforts to: establish Permanent Normal Trade Relations with China; expand the H-1B Visa program for skilled technology workers; reform the export control process for high-speed computers; and reduce the liability for businesses dealing with Y2K computer problems. In 1999, the Information Technology Industry Council named Mr. Bieron the high-tech congressional staff member of the year. Mr. Bieron is a magna cum laude graduate of St. Joseph 's University in Philadelphia, and he received a Masters in International Affairs from George Washington University. He lives in Springfield, Virginia with his wife Kim Bieron, son James and daughters Julianne and Allison.

### **BIO – Alexander Mora**

Vice Chairman of Banco de Costa Rica Financial Group (BCR, [www.bancobcr.com](http://www.bancobcr.com)) and Banco Internacional de Costa Rica (BICSA, [www.bicsa.com](http://www.bicsa.com)). Chairman of BCR Insurance Broker and BCR Investment Funding. Chairman of Costa Rican Chamber of Information and Communication Technologies (CAMTIC, [www.camtic.org](http://www.camtic.org)) and Vice Chairman of the International Federation of Multimedia and Internet Associations (IFMA, [www.ifma.org](http://www.ifma.org)). Representative of the Government of Costa Rica to Commission of Science and Technology for Development (CSTD) of United Nations and Vice Chairman for the 17<sup>th</sup> Period of Sessions (2013-2014). National Contact Point on ICT -Government of Costa Rica and European Commission-. Ad-hoc Advisor to Minister of Science, Technology and Telecommunication of the Republic of Costa Rica. Co-founder, President, Chairman & CEO of TecApro Systems and Network Solutions S.A. (TECAPRO, [www.tecapro.com](http://www.tecapro.com)). Major in Economics and Master in Business Administration, Banking and Finance.

### **BIO - S M Mobasser Hussain**

Chairman ZANALA Bangladesh Ltd. 2001 – Present (12 years) ZANALA Bangladesh is a new age Market Communication company. We design identity and communication strategies/tools for your communication needs in all forms of media, be it product/service promotion or social awareness. [www.zanala.com](http://www.zanala.com)  
Managing Director iPaholics Limited 2010 – Present (3 years) 12 Karwan Bazar Immersive application development company. The core concentration of the company is on developing one of the first social platforms of Bangladesh [www.beshto.com](http://www.beshto.com). More such services are in the pipeline.

Education North South University BBA, MIS 1999 – 2004

## **BIO - Peter WU**

CEO, ASUS Cloud Corporation

### Education

- Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University
- Ph.D., Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University

### Patents & Publications

- Holds multiple issued and pending patents.
- Published over 20 international journals and conference papers.
- Peter Wu joined ASUS Group and served as CEO of ASUS Cloud Corporation since 2008. He is responsible for ASUS's development of cloud business and technologies in consumer and commercial markets, and is recognized as a leader in the field. In 2000, he founded and is chairman of the eCareme Technologies, Inc., a mobile startup aimed at wireless application enabling and later acquired by ASUS. Peter holds a bachelor's and Ph.D. degree in electrical engineering from the National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan. He also joined the EMBA program from the National Taiwan University. He has published over 20 international journals and conference papers, and holds multiple issued and pending patents.

## **BIO - Gautam Sinha, COO/CTO, Times Internet Limited**

Gautam Sinha joined the Times Group in 2007 as CTO, and is currently COO and CTO of Times Internet Limited. He leads and drives the overall strategy, vision and execution for all the internet, Video & mobile properties of the group. He has over 27 years of rich experience in technology innovation and execution, which includes a wealth of startup and industry expertise. He is a global executive with rich international experience. Prior to this Mr. Sinha was the COO and CTO of CashEdge Inc, where he worked since 2001 building and leading the company from startup to profitability. Prior to CashEdge, he held senior management positions at Sevant, Aspect Communications and at the Neural Applications Corporation. .

Mr. Sinha has been awarded patents for his work done in telecommunications and financial services. His expertise includes highly secure and scalable enterprise software architectures, artificial intelligence and call center solutions. He holds a MS in Computer Science from the University of Iowa (US) and a BS in Computer Science from Birla Institute of Technology, India.

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