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Cyril Demaria started in 2000 in fund investing (private equity funds, funds-of-funds, and start-ups) and fund raising. He was previously Partner in charge of Private Markets at Wellershoff & Partners, an independent buy-side and top-down research firm. Formerly Chief Investment Officer for private markets at UBS Wealth Management and for a multi-family office, he was also the advisor of the President of a French Bank. His experience encompasses investment and portfolio management in a Swiss fund-of-funds and a French insurance group. Cyril started his career as an analyst in a venture capital fund in the US and Europe.

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