

# LMForums Business Breakfast The rising power of data in the London Market

#### THE IMPORTANCE OF A ROBUST DATA MANAGEMENT STRATEGY IS NOW AN ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENT OF ALL BUSINESSES IN OUR SECTOR

The London Market is evolving, like any business sector, but what is really driving the change in our business operations, practices and processes? Most people will have their own opinion on the underlying drivers, but one thing that is not in dispute is our sector's increasing need to skillfully manage, manipulate and safely store data used in all part of the insurance lifecycle. The need to manage both new and legacy data is driving new business behaviours and strategies. Join us for our next I MForums Business Breakfast where we'll look at the importance of data in our industry and in particular the value of a comprehensive data management strategy. Whether you're in an operations, broking, underwriting or IT role, this event will be both engaging and informative. We are delighted to bring you two expert speakers, with a pedigree steeped in data science and management, where we'll examine the rising significance of data in our sector, the challenges of legacy data, as well as the new data explosion from the IoT and IoE. Underlying all of this is the fundamental need for a sound data management strategy.

This is an exclusive "thought leadership style" roundtable session, which includes a delicious cooked breakfast. This session is being kindly sponsored by Charles Taylor InsureTech. As always, LMForums sessions are **without charge** to attendees and are strictly limited in numbers.

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## 20th March, 2018 from 8.30am-10.30am

The Ivy City Garden, Dashwood House, 69 Old Broad St, London EC2M 1QS

### PROGRAMME

| Date: | Tuesday 20th March 2018                            |         |
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| Time: | Registration & Coffee                              | 8.15am  |
|       | Welcome  | 8.30am  |
|       | Data management<br>thoughts from<br>Silicon Valley | 8.35am  |
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|       | Breakfast  | 9.00am  |
|       | Building a data<br>management strategy             | 9.30am  |
|       | Roundtable discussion<br>& debate                  | 10.00am |
|       | Conclusions  | 10.25am |
|       | Close  | 10.30am |



#### Ludovic Veale Director of Data and Analytics

Ludovic heads up the Data & Analytics Practice at Charles Taylor InsureTech and has over 20 years' experience in the delivery of complex data driven projects. His extensive experience covers the convergence of relational SQL technologies with Big Data Technologies, frequently operating within Agile environments and working alongside

a diverse range of clients and sectors. Ludovic joined Charles Taylor from PWC where he was a director within their Data and Analytics competency and previously at Vantage Performance Solutions, BP Shipping and Business Objects.



### Sean Kandel Silicon Valley Data Management Expert

Sean is Trifacta's Chief Technical Officer and Co-founder, He completed his Ph.D. at **Stanford University**, where his research focused on user interfaces for database systems. At Stanford, Sean led the development of new tools for data transformation and discovery, such as Data Wrangler. He previously worked as a data

analysts at Citadel Investment Group.

During this LMForums Business Breakfast, we'll hear from visiting Silicon Valley data guru, Sean Kandal, who during his PhD studies at Standford University, led the development of new exciting tools for data transformation and discovery. Sean will share with us his amazing work in the data field and tell us what is keeping him engaged at the moment.

We'll also be joined by the Director of Data & Analytics from Charles Taylor InsureTech, Ludovic Veale, who will be sharing his extensive experience of data management from his time in senior roles at companies such as PwC . Ludovic will be explaining the importance of "understanding your data" and ensuring that we focus on the elementary aspects before we embark on the more advanced components such as Ai and Machine Learning. You will learn some of the key components of developing a successful data management strategy, enjoy a stunning breakfast at

of data management,

"Information is the oil of the 21st century and analytics is the combustion engine" Peter Sandergaard - Gartner

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