## Kamlesh Kasala

**Director**
**Amwal LLC**

**Company Profile:**
Amwal LLC

**Attendee Brief Bio:**
With more than 19+ years of experience in PE, VC, M&A, RE, and risk management. At Amwal he oversees the sourcing, execution, and management of investments in PE, VC, RE, and other alternatives. He is a board-level advisor to companies in the USA/Asia/EU in the pharma, EV, and e-commerce sectors. He has sourced, transacted, and managed over $1bn+ in investments at Amwal. Prior to joining Amwal, he was a principal at Oasis Capital, Bahrain, responsible for overall structuring, risk management, and execution across their PE, RE, and FI portfolios. He oversaw the setup and structuring of their EU PE fund, UK RE portfolio, UK Tech Fund, and US specialty finance portfolio.

**Please list your organization's primary function:**
Private Equity, Asset Management, Growth Capital, and Advisory.

**What is your main function within the company:**
Overseeing the sourcing, execution and management of investments in PE, VC, RE & other Alternative Investments and structured transactions. Board level Advisor to certain companies in USA/Asia/EU in the Pharma, EV and E- commerce sectors.

**Are you responsible for hiring investment managers?**
Yes

**Total Assets Under Management:**
USD 700M

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**What percentage of the total funds are allocated to alternatives?**
70%

**Please indicate the range or size of allocations you make:**
USD 10-30M per transactionc (larger in structured investments).

**In your own words, please tell us specifically what types of investments you are looking for:**
Private equity and VC (growth capital) opportunities in developed markets (or selective Asian countries) with high growth, disruptive, scalable, revenue generating businesses, with a solid business case, strong moat, excellent management team and profitable/having a clear path to profitability with appropriate governance and shareholding/tax structure. The businesses should also meet our valuation, return and risk criteria.

**Have you invested in first time funds in the past?**
Yes

**What is your IRR target and over what duration?**
We aim for a min return of 25% net IRR over a 5-7 year holding period.

**In what geographical regions and specific subregions or countries are you looking for future investments?**
- Global, Europe, Asia, USA, MENA

**Please specify if you have any restrictions to invest in a specific asset classes or strategies or regions:**
Regulatory (QCB) restrictions on Cryptocurrency related assets.

**Products planning to invest within the next 3 to 6 months:**
- Farmland / Forestry / Agriculture, Fixed Income and Money Market, Private Debt, Private Equity, Venture Capital