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Speaker Introduction (Short Version):

David Hall is the **Founding Architect of Tillion** and a **Senior Adviser at Zendo**. A former **Fellow at Equinix**, David is a renowned architect of the modern data center, credited with developing the modular "brick-based" design that revolutionized global infrastructure deployment. With over 20 years of experience in the Office of the CTO at Equinix and as a frequent voice in *Data Center Dynamics*, David is a leading authority on AI infrastructure, Edge computing, and the path to sustainable digital interconnection.

Complete Biography (Full Version):

Founding Architect, Tillion | Senior Adviser, Zendo | Technology Visionary

David Hall is a preeminent technologist and infrastructure strategist with over two decades of experience architecting the global digital economy. Known for bridging the gap between deep-tech innovation and large-scale commercial execution, David has spent his career defining the physical and software-defined frameworks that power the modern internet.

As the **Founding Architect of Tillion**, David was amongst the first executive hires and a primary force in shaping the company's technical and strategic DNA. At Tillion, he drives the development of agile, unencumbered infrastructure platforms designed specifically to meet the high-density demands of an AI-centric world. His work focuses on ensuring that physical infrastructure can finally move at the rapid pace of software innovation.

David's foundational expertise was honed during his landmark tenure at **Equinix**, the world's digital infrastructure leader. Serving as a **Fellow in the Office of the CTO**, he was a chief architect of the "brick-based" modular data center design—a revolutionary shift that enabled rapid global deployment and set new industry benchmarks for efficiency. His leadership was instrumental in navigating the industry's most critical frontiers, including **Edge Computing**, **Future Data Center design**, and the large-scale integration of **Artificial Intelligence**.

Beyond his operational roles, David serves as a **Senior Adviser at Zendo**, where he provides high-level counsel on navigating the complexities of modern technology ecosystems. His ability to synthesize emerging trends—from sovereign cloud

requirements to net-zero carbon mandates—makes him a vital asset to boards and executive teams worldwide.

A frequent contributor to **Data Center Dynamics (DCD)** and a sought-after speaker at international forums, David is a recognized voice for the future of interconnection. He remains dedicated to building the sustainable, high-performance infrastructure required to power the next generation of global digital growth.
