Xavier Gonzalez serves as Vice President, Cyxtera Conference & Community Engagement of Cyxtera Technologies. In this role Gonzalez spearheads the company’s efforts to build a world-class user conference that brings together its ecosystem of partners, customers and other key stakeholders. Additionally, he leads Cyxtera’s community engagement across its global footprint.

Prior to joining Cyxtera, Gonzalez served as Chief Executive Officer of eMerge Americas, the premier technology event connecting Latin America, North America and Europe. By bringing together the top leaders from the innovation ecosystems around the world, eMerge Americas is helping lead the effort to establish Miami as the technology hub of the Americas. Under Gonzalez’s leadership eMerge Americas evolved from a vision to a global conference that attracts more than 15,000 attendees annually and more than 500 participating companies annually, as well as helping over 600 innovative startups from across the globe gain valuable exposure.

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