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Cris Baez is a senior risk management and legal professional renowned for her leadership and strategic vision. With extensive experience in international financial services, she is passionate about creating innovative solutions for emerging risks and advancing sustainability and ESG priorities.

Cris is an expert in financial lines, liability, and enterprise risk management solutions, including alternative risk transfer programmes. She is a strong team leader, recognised for her technical expertise and her ability to deliver transformational and strategic initiatives. Over her career, Cris has held regional and global management roles at leading global insurers and a brokerage firm. Prior to her career in the insurance industry, she practised law, addressing a wide range of international business law issues. Her professional journey has taken her across North America, Europe, Asia, and Latin America.

Deeply committed to promoting diversity and inclusion, Cris serves as a Country Chair for ISC France and is dedicated to shaping a more inclusive and equitable insurance industry worldwide. She is also an alumna and volunteer with European Women on Boards (EWoB), Cris actively supports efforts aligned with the EU Gender Equality Strategy 2020–2025.

Cris's areas of expertise include risk management solutions, sustainability and ESG, financial and specialty lines underwriting, directors' and officers' liability, financial institution exposures, alternative risk transfer, international securities legislation and litigation, mergers and acquisitions, warranty and indemnity, claims advocacy, and litigation management.