

# Dan Scheinman

## Investor, Board Member, Advisor

Today, Dan Scheinman is an investor, board member and advisor for emerging technology companies in communications, media, green tech and elsewhere. Scheinman was an **early investor in Tango.me**, the leading mobile video calling company and is an advisor to the CEO. In addition, Scheinman has been a **board member for Aurn**, a leading animation platform company. Scheinman was also an **investor in Reveal Imaging**, recently acquired by SAIC. Scheinman has other Board affiliations to be announced shortly.



Previously, Scheinman had a diverse 18 year career at **Cisco Systems, Inc.** where he was an entrepreneur, strategist and leader. Most recently, Scheinman was the Senior Vice President and General Manager of the Cisco Media Solutions Group (CMSG), an internal start up which successfully developed and marketed a hosted software solution to help media owners grow social direct to consumer businesses. Scheinman developed a unique understanding of the relationship between media and technology while building a growing, scaling software platform. Scheinman was also named to the Billboard 100 to follow on twitter.

Prior to that, Scheinman was Senior Vice President of Corporate Development, overseeing the merger and acquisitions, venture investment, strategic alliance, and technology incubation functions within Cisco. Taking over in 2001, Scheinman helped rebuild Corporate Development as a growth enabler for Cisco completing more than 40 acquisitions and numerous investments helping to accelerate Cisco's growth beyond more than switching and routing (including acquiring Aerospace, Linksys and Scientific Atlanta). Under his leadership, Corporate Development also helped define how the network can serve as an innovation platform in emerging markets such as India (where he helped pioneer the engineering and investment efforts) and China (where he helped to positively invest more than \$1 Billion of strategic capital). Previously, Scheinman was the general counsel at Cisco.

Scheinman holds a doctor of jurisprudence degree from Duke University Law School and a political science degree from Brandeis University