

# Reid Takahashi

## **Interim Chief Financial Officer**

Reid Takahashi is a seasoned financial executive serving as Interim Chief Financial Officer at Perfect Day, the global precision fermentation leader on a mission to create a kinder, greener tomorrow through the harmony of nature and science. With an extensive background in finance spanning over three decades, Reid brings a wealth of experience to his role, overseeing all aspects of finance, accounting, and fundraising for Perfect Day.

In his capacity as Interim CFO, Reid is responsible for leading Perfect Day's finance team, driving initiatives in accounting, financial reporting, financial planning, treasury management, tax strategies, and fundraising efforts. His strategic guidance and financial acumen play a crucial role in ensuring Perfect Day's financial stability and supporting its mission of sustainable innovation.

Reid's journey to Perfect Day began in 2018 when he joined the company from Amyris, where he held the position of Senior Accounting Manager. Prior to his tenure at Amyris, Reid held various financial roles at prominent food and ingredient companies, including Intematix, Revolution Foods, Whole Foods Market, Resources Global Professionals, Mervyns, Evelon, Etec Systems, and KPMG. This diverse background has equipped him with a deep understanding of the financial intricacies within the food and technology sectors.

Reid holds a Bachelor of Science in Accounting from the University of San Francisco. His educational background, coupled with his extensive industry experience, positions him as a strategic leader capable of navigating complex financial landscapes. Along with the rest of the Perfect Day team, he is passionate about using precision fermentation to make systemic change with partners around the world, for a more equitable and sustainable future.