

The Invisible Extinction

Private Movie Screening x The Chef • Thursday, March 9, 2023



Location: Next Jump's global HQ in NYC. We are located at 512 West 22nd Street (22nd and 10th Ave)

RSVP: This is an invitation only event. To attend, please contact your Next Jump representative or use this link:

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Charlie Kim and Meghan Messenger, Co-CEOs of Next Jump Inc., are hosting a private screening of "The Invisible Extinction" featuring scientists **Dr. Martin Blaser** and **Dr. Maria Gloria Dominguez-Bello**, the two leading scientists of the human microbiome, and how it is (quite literally) melting. The film will be paired with a dinner (inspired by the film) by Michelin-starred chef Dani Chavez-Bello. The scientists, along with the film's directors Sarah Schenck and Steven Lawrence, will have a Q&A following the film. The event will be at Next Jump's 10th floor "Sky Cinema" overlooking Manhattan.

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5:45 pm doors open

6:15 pm film screening

7:30 pm Q&A with filmmakers & scientists

8 pm dinner and conversation

About the Film: Follows the two scientists as they race to save the vanishing microbes that are essential for human survival. The charismatic scientists are partners in the lab and in life (and they happen to live in the NYC area too). See more details on the film here:

<https://www.TheInvisibleExtinction.com/>

NxJ Box Seats Series: This event is a part of Next Jump's "Box Seat Series" which brings together top-of-their-field experts with a Michelin-level dining experience curated by Chef Dani. Recent events have included "Gastro-Diplomacy" in partnership with the UN and the government of Catalonia, and "The Piano & The Chef" featuring the renowned German pianist Joja Wendt.

About Chef Dani: Dani is a Michelin-starred chef, former executive chef at Bouley and is a "Bulliniano" (aka former chef from El Bulli, Catalunya), food expert and senior partner at Next Jump. Chef Dani is focused on creating & advocating for cuisine that is delicious, optimizes gut health (and therefore human health) and good for the environment. The menu will include fermented food bar, biodynamic wine and surprises by the chef. There will be pre-event canapes and a post-film dinner & reception.

About the Scientists: **Dr. Martin J. Blaser** serves as Henry Rutgers Chair of the Human Microbiome and Director, Center for Advanced Biotechnology and Medicine at Rutgers University. For 20 years, he has been investigating the relationship of the human microbiome with the epidemics of obesity, diabetes, and asthma. He was President of the Infectious Diseases Society of America, elected to the National Academy of Medicine and American Academy for Arts and Sciences, and currently chairs the Presidential Advisory Council for Combatting Antibiotic-Resistant Bacteria (PACCARB). He wrote "Missing Microbes," now translated into 20 languages. **Dr. Maria Gloria Dominguez** has been studying the microbiomes of peoples living in the Amazon for nearly 30 years. Dr. Dominguez has also focused on the role of Cesarean-sections perturbing the early life microbiome. Together they have been working on ways to limit damage to the microbiome, and how to restore the missing microbes.

