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Event Guide
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INTRODUCTION

7TH GLOBAL MEETING AND TEN-YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF THE SUSTAINABLE BANKING AND FINANCE NETWORK (SBFN)

The Sustainable Banking and Finance Network’s (SBFN) 7th Global Meeting is a high-level global forum for SBFN members, observers, and partners, including central banks, financial regulators, industry associations and networks active in sustainable finance.

Established in 2012, SBFN is a voluntary community of financial sector regulators, central banks, ministries of finance, ministries of environment, and industry associations from emerging markets committed to advancing sustainable finance for national development priorities, financial market deepening, and stability. Members’ approaches draw on international good practices, while reflecting national contexts and priorities. IFC is SBFN’s Secretariat and knowledge partner, assisting members to share knowledge and access capacity building to support the design and implementation of national sustainable finance initiatives.

As of April 2022, SBFN comprises 72 member institutions representing 62 countries and US$43 trillion (86 percent) of the total banking assets in emerging markets.

SBFN members are committed to moving their financial sectors towards sustainability, with the twin goals of (i) improved risk management and governance of environmental, social, and governance (ESG) factors by financial institutions (FIs) — including management and disclosure of climate risks, and (ii) increased capital flows to activities with positive environmental and social impact, including climate change mitigation and adaptation.
INTRODUCTION

SBFN published its 3rd Global Progress Report in October 2021, which showed acceleration across SBFN countries to deepen and expand their national frameworks for sustainable finance. Some highlights from the Global Progress Report include:

- Member countries have launched over 200 policies, principles, guidelines, and tools that enable sustainable finance.
- Collective action between regulators and industry associations across the financial sector has emerged as an essential strategy to address environmental, social, and environmental (ESG) risk and opportunities in all financial sector activities.
- 28 members countries are leveraging existing ESG risk management frameworks for financial institutions to raise awareness and take initial steps to address the financial sector’s exposure to physical and transition risks from climate change.
- Members are promoting sustainability-focused finance to guide capital flows to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). 24 SBFN countries have launched green, social, or sustainability bond guidelines.

This year, SBFN will be celebrating its 10th anniversary. It is an important milestone to reflect on how SBFN and its partnerships across the financial sector—between public and private sector institutions and at regional and global levels—can spur positive change, championing sustainable finance and a just transition to green, inclusive, and resilient economies.

This 7th Global Meeting will feature a range of panel sessions, high-level fireside chats, and practical working group sessions. It will also engage members in designing SBFN’s work plan for the next two years.
VIRTUAL GLOBAL MEETING

- **All participants must be registered** to attend the SBFN Global Meeting. If you have not registered yet, please [Register Here](#).

- **This virtual Global Meeting will take place via Zoom.** The Zoom meeting to join the event will be open 1 (one) hour before the event start time. Details to join the event are as follows (the same Zoom link will be valid throughout the 3 days of the Global Meeting):

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  - All sessions will be conducted in English. Automated Closed-Captioning in English will be provided for this event. To access this feature, please select the “CC” button at the bottom of your Zoom task bar and turned closed-captioning “On.”

  - For any inquiries about the Global Meeting content and logistics, please email the SBFN Secretariat at sbfn@ifc.org.
Welcome Remarks
Mr. Makhtar Diop, Managing Director, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Virtual Keynote Address
H.M. Queen Máxima of the Netherlands, the United Nations Secretary-General’s Special Advocate for Inclusive Finance for Development (UNSGSA)

Shaping the Frontier of Sustainable Finance in Emerging Markets
Sustainable finance is more than a global trend. As it continues to gain momentum, it aims to address the most pressing challenges we are now facing:

- What are the main challenges that the financial sector in Emerging Markets and Developing Economies (EMDEs) face to adapt ESG best practices? Is it realistic to request EMDEs to be ready to implement the same standards as advanced economies?
- Particularly, “Greening the Financial Sector” requires a significant effort from all players in the market. What is the role that the public sector, especially regulators, and the private sector should play? What are the main constraints to make it happen?
- How can the financial sector promote an efficient and profitable flow of credit and capital, and at the same time achieve positive ESG outcomes? Is there a trade off?
- What are good examples globally that could be followed?

This session will feature high-level perspectives on the outlook for sustainable finance for the next five years and solutions to assist the financial sector and regulatory agencies tackle these challenges from now on.

It asks, “what are the missing pieces of the puzzle? What is working well and can be amplified to accelerate positive change?”

MODERATOR: Mr. Alfonso Garcia Mora, Vice-President Asia-Pacific, International Finance Corporation (IFC), and Chair, Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN)

SPEAKERS:
- Mr. Tobias Adrian, Financial Counsellor and Director of the Monetary and Capital Markets Department, International Monetary Fund (IMF)
- Ms. Jolly Mokorosi, Director, Batseta Council for Retirement Funds for South Africa, and inaugural Deputy Chair of the Batseta Asset Owner’s Forum; Professional Executive Principal officer and Independent Trustee, various funds
- Dr. Ma Jun, Co-Chair of G20 Sustainable Finance Working Group, Co-Chair of EU IPSF Taxonomy Working Group, and Chairman of Green Finance Committee of China Society for Finance and Banking
- Dr. Wimboh Santoso, Chairman, Otoritas Jasa Keuangan (Indonesia Financial Services Authority, OJK)
09:15 – 09:20 am EDT

Transition

09:20 – 10:10 am EDT

Driving Measurable Change Across Markets

In response to members’ demand for a systematic approach to assess and benchmark country progress in developing national sustainable finance frameworks, the Measurement Working Group was launched in December 2016 at the 4th SBFN Global Meeting in Bali, Indonesia. The Working Group has developed and refined a Measurement Framework that was approved by all members and continues to evolve to keep pace with country-level and global developments. The Measurement Framework guides the development of the SBFN’s Global and Country Progress Reports, the most comprehensive benchmarking of national sustainable finance initiatives across emerging markets, which are published every two years to support members and the broader financial sector. Building on the successful 3rd Global Progress Report launched last October, this session will provide suggestions on the activities and priorities for SBFN Measurement Working Group in the next two years.

MODERATOR: Ms. Rong Zhang, SBFN Global Coordinator

SPEAKERS:

• Ms. Nomindari Enkhtur, CEO, Mongolia Sustainable Finance Association (MSFA), Co-Chair of the Measurement Working Group

• Ms. Mariana Escobar Uribe, Head of Sustainable Finance, Financial Superintendency of Colombia (SFC), Co-Chair of the Measurement Working Group

• Mr. Yasser Mounsif, Head of Corporate Finance and Financial Disclosure, Morocco’s Capital Market Authority (AMMC), Co-Chair (Representative) of the Measurement Working Group

10:10 – 10:20 am EDT

Closing Remarks for Day 1

Conversation with Mr. Emmanuel B. Nyirinkindi, Vice President for Cross-Cutting Solutions, International Finance Corporation (IFC)
DAY 2 • WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27
All times are in EDT (Washington, D.C. time)

07:50 – 08:00 am EDT
Welcome and Announcements

08:00 – 08:50 am EDT
Achieving the SDGs in Emerging Markets: From Taxonomy Development to Innovation in Sustainable Finance Instruments

Building on the major success of green bonds, the last several years have seen an accelerating trend in new types of sustainable finance instruments, including green, social, and sustainability bonds, sustainability-linked bonds and loans, and transition finance. This trend has been supported by national and regional initiatives to develop green and social taxonomies. SBFN countries are intensifying their work to encourage sustainability-focused finance in their markets. With this in mind, SBFN launched a Working Group on Sustainable Finance Instruments in December 2021 to explore this rapidly evolving landscape, country experiences, and opportunities for SBFN members to develop common tools and approaches. This session will discuss the first milestones of research conducted by the Working Group and proposals for next steps.

MODERATOR: Ms. Louise Gardiner, SBFN Coordinator for Working Groups and African Region

SPEAKERS:
• Mr. Xavier Desmadryl, Global Head of ESG Research and PRI, HSBC Global Asset Management
• Mrs. Yvette Fernando, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Sri Lanka
• Mr. Enrico Hariantoro, Group Head, Otoritas Jasa Keuangan (Indonesia Financial Services Authority, OJK) and Co-chair of the SBFN Sustainable Finance Instruments Working Group
• Mr. Giorgio Trettenero, Secretary General, Federation of Latin American Banks (FELABAN), and Co-chair of the SBFN Sustainable Finance Instruments Working Group

08:50 – 08:55 am EDT
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08:55 – 09:40 am EDT
Leveraging International Trends for Data and Disclosure to Strengthen National Frameworks

A consistent challenge identified by SBFN members is the need for credible and comparable data in the financial sector related to ESG risk, climate risk management, and sustainable capital flows. More and better data is required for regulators to analyze the impact of sustainability risks on financial stability and alignment of financial sector activities with national development priorities. Financial institutions, in turn, face a variety of sustainability reporting frameworks at the global level and pressure from stakeholders to increase portfolio and project-level risks transparency. Launched in January 2022, SBFN’s Data and Disclosure Working Group is mapping current sustainability disclosure initiatives in SBFN countries and developing guidance and a toolkit to support SBFN members. This session will discuss country experiences, initial research results, and the next phase of work.

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MODERATOR: Ms. Martine Valcin, Global Manager, ESG Advisory, Knowledge and Learning, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

SPEAKERS:

• Ms. Mariam Kharashvili, Chief Economist at National Bank of Georgia
• Mr. Amaury Oliva, Director of Sustainability, Financial Citizenship, Consumer Relations and Self-Regulation, Brazilian Federation of Banks (FEBRABAN)
• Mr. Yanfei Ye, Senior Advisor of the Policy Research Bureau, China Banking and Insurance Regulatory Commission (CBIRC), and Co-chair of the SBFN Data & Disclosure Working Group

9:40 – 9:45 am EDT
Transition

09:45 – 10:30 am EDT
Necessary Ambition and Challenges to Solve Going Forward in Low-Income Countries

SBFN’s IDA Task Force supports low-income member countries with tailored approaches to advance sustainable finance frameworks. The Task Force completed a diagnostic study in 2019 to understand the unique challenges and opportunities low-income countries face in sustainable finance, resulting in a Diagnostic Report, “Necessary Ambition: How Low-Income Countries Are Adopting Sustainable Finance to Address Poverty, Climate Change, and Other Urgent Challenges.” The report features 16 case studies, 8 country reports, and a set of tools to support the development and implementation of sustainable finance roadmaps. The report found a strong link between sustainable finance and financial inclusion in many IDA countries, a trend reinforced by the findings of the 2021 SBFN Global Progress Report. This session will discuss sustainable finance innovations in low-income countries and the growing links with financial inclusion.

MODERATOR: Ms. Nuru Mugambi, SBFN Secretariat Advisor and Sustainable Finance in Africa Policy Expert

SPEAKERS:

• Mr. Khondkar Morshed Millat, General Manager, Sustainable Finance Department, Bangladesh Bank, and Co-chair of IDA Task Force
• Dr. Kameshnee Naidoo, Making Access Possible (MAP) Global Programme Advisor, United Nations Capital Development Fund
• Ms. Sophie Sirtaine, CEO, Consultative Group to Assist the Poor (CGAP)

10:30 – 10:40 am EDT
Closing Remarks for Day 2
Conversation with Mr. Jean Pesme, Global Director, Finance, Competitiveness & Innovation, World Bank
Welcome and Announcements

08:00 – 09:00 am EDT

Connecting Networks and Partners for Collective Action

Collaboration was a key theme in the 2021 SBFN Global Progress Report. Members reported a wide range of collaborative initiatives at national and regional levels, among regulators, and between regulators and industry. International organizations are also playing a crucial role in building capacity, supporting research, and helping countries learn from each other. International organizations can also help develop common global tools. SBFN, through the World Bank and IFC, is collaborating with regional and global initiatives to ensure coordinated action and support. This session will provide an update on these initiatives and opportunities for future collaboration.

MODERATOR: Ms. Mary Porter Peschka, Director, Sustainability and Gender Solutions, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

SPEAKERS:

- Mr. Ephyro Luis Amatong, Former Commissioner at Securities & Exchange Commission, Republic of the Philippines and Co-chair of ASEAN Capital Markets Forum Sustainable Finance Working Group
- Mr. Jean Boissinot, Head of the Secretariat, Network of Central Banks and Supervisors for Greening the Financial System (NGFS)
- Mr. Anthony Miller, Coordinator of the United Nations Sustainable Stock Exchanges initiative (UNSSE)
- Ms. Esohe Denise Odaro, Head of Investor Relations and Sustainable Finance, International Finance Corporation (IFC), and Chair of the Steering Committee of the Green and Social Bond Principles, ICMA
- Mr. Amit Puri, Chair, Equator Principles Association, Managing Director and Global head of E&S Risk Management, Standard Chartered Bank

09:00 – 09:05 am EDT

Transition

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Closing Plenary – The Path Forward: SBFN Vision 2030

In the next 10 years, emerging markets will continue to face many opportunities and challenges. IFC has estimated $23 trillion in investment potential in climate-focused and green sectors in emerging markets between 2016 and 2030. The Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) estimates that $2.5 trillion in financing are needed in developing countries to achieve the SDGs, with an additional projected shortfall of $1.7 trillion as a result of COVID-19.

In this global context, the efforts undertaken by SBFN members and partners to advance sustainable finance have never been more critical. SBFN's work plan has always been guided by members, through global events and various working groups, research, knowledge sharing, and capacity-building activities. This session reflects on the insights shared by members during this Global Meeting, and explores key themes identified for future work.

SPEAKERS:

Mr. Alfonso Garcia Mora, Vice-President Asia-Pacific, International Finance Corporation (IFC), and Chair, Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN), in conversation with Ms. Georja Calvin-Smith, Journalist and Moderator
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VIRTUAL KEYNOTE SPEAKER

H.M. Queen Máxima of the Netherlands

The United Nations Secretary-General’s Special Advocate for Inclusive Finance for Development (UNSGSA)

Her Majesty Queen Máxima of the Netherlands has served as the UN Secretary-General’s Special Advocate for Inclusive Finance for Development (UNSGSA) since 2009. As Special Advocate, she is a leading global voice on advancing universal access to and responsible usage of affordable, effective and safe financial services. The UNSGSA raises awareness, serves as a convener, encourages leaders and supports actions to expand financial inclusion at a global and country level, all in close collaboration with partners from the public and private sector. An important focus of her work is on enabling responsible technology for financial inclusion in support of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Since 2011, more than 1.2 billion people have gained access to financial services—and therefore have a better chance to transform their lives. Queen Máxima is Honorary Patron of the G20’s Global Partnership for Financial Inclusion (GPFI) and a Global Agenda Trustee for the World Economic Forum’s Global Challenge Initiative on the Future of the Global Financial System. She also convened the CEO Partnership for Economic Inclusion. In the Netherlands, she is a member of the Dutch Committee for Entrepreneurship and Honorary Chair of the Dutch Money Wise Platform. In all her roles, Her Majesty aims to unlock development opportunities and economic inclusion for all.
Makhtar Diop is IFC’s Managing Director. He assumed this position on March 1st, 2021. Prior to this appointment, he was the World Bank’s Vice President for Infrastructure, where he led the Bank’s global efforts to build sustainable infrastructure in developing and emerging economies. In this role, he oversaw the Bank’s critical work in energy, transport, digital infrastructure, and public-private partnerships.

Prior to this, Mr. Diop served for six years as the World Bank’s Vice President for Africa, where he oversaw the delivery of a record-breaking USD$70 billion to Sub-Saharan Africa to help tackle development challenges such as increasing access to energy; boosting women’s and youth’s economic empowerment; and promoting an enabling environment for more innovation and technology adoption. A passionate advocate for Africa’s right to clean and affordable electricity, he also called for greater investment in renewable energy. He pushed for stronger regional interconnectivity in the power and transport sectors. He previously served as World Bank Director for Finance, Private Sector & Infrastructure in the Latin America and the Caribbean Region; Country Director for Brazil, where he helped finance major infrastructure work; and Country Director for Kenya, Eritrea, and Somalia.

Mr. Diop brings to the post a deep level of experience and understanding of development challenges and a firm grasp of the public/private sector interface. His main priorities will be to mobilize investments in the poorest and most fragile countries and create the conditions for a resilient, inclusive, and sustainable recovery. In addition to his international organization experience, Mr. Diop, an economist by training who started his career in the banking industry before joining the IMF and later the World Bank, has extensive private sector experience. He has also held government positions, most notably as Minister of Economy and Finance of Senegal, where he played a key role in instituting structural reforms that helped build a strong foundation for Senegal’s growth in the late 1980s.

A recognized opinion leader in the economic and social development field, Makhtar Diop has been named one of the 100 most influential Africans in the world. In 2015, he received the prestigious Regents' Lectureship Award from the University of California, Berkeley.

Mr. Diop holds degrees in economics from the Universities of Warwick and Nottingham in England.
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SHAPING THE FRONTIER OF SUSTAINABLE FINANCE IN EMERGING MARKETS

Mr. Alfonso Garcia Mora
Chair, Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN), and Regional Vice President, Asia and Pacific, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Alfonso Garcia Mora is IFC’s Vice President for Asia and the Pacific. In this capacity, Mr. Garcia Mora is responsible for all IFC operations in the region, including operationalizing IFC’s COVID-19 crisis response, building a strong Upstream pipeline rooted in country strategies and fostering more collaboration opportunities with a range of key stakeholders for broader impact. Mr. Garcia Mora was appointed as Chair of the IFC-supported Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN) in October 2021.

Previously, Mr. Garcia Mora was the Global Director for the Finance Competitiveness and Innovation Global Practice at the World Bank Group. He led the World Bank’s work on financial stability and integrity; financial infrastructure, inclusion and access; long-term finance and capital markets; and crisis and disaster risk finance across all regions.

Since joining the World Bank Group in January 2013, Mr. Garcia Mora has led different regional responsibilities as Manager and Director in Latin America, Middle East and North Africa, and Eastern Europe and Central Asia, advising governments, supervisors and regulators on projects related to financial-sector development, access to finance, banking crises, capital markets and financial regulation. Mr. Garcia Mora managed the Financial Sector Assessment Program, leading several assessments and represented the World Bank Group in different committees of the Financial Stability Board and other standard-setting bodies.

Before his World Bank Group career, Mr. Garcia Mora worked in the private sector for over 12 years, including as Partner-Managing Director at Analistas Financieros Internacionales Consulting Group.

Mr. Garcia Mora holds a PhD in Economics from Universidad Autonoma de Madrid and served as a visiting PhD student at Boston University. He also holds a Master of Finance from the Catholic University of Leuven. Mr. Garcia Mora has lectured and published extensively on banking and financial-sector issues.
SHAPING THE FRONTIER OF SUSTAINABLE FINANCE IN EMERGING MARKETS

Mr. Tobias Adrian

Financial Counsellor and Director of the Monetary and Capital Markets Department, International Monetary Fund (IMF)

Tobias Adrian is the Financial Counsellor and the Director of the Monetary and Capital Markets Department at the International Monetary Fund. Before joining the IMF in January 2017, he served as Senior Vice President and Associate Director of Research at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, where he helped lead the New York Fed’s work on financial stability policy and monetary policy. He had earlier conducted economic research at the National Bureau of Economic Research in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and the Centre for European Policy Studies in Brussels. He earned his Ph.D. in economics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and his M.Sc. from the London School of Economics and Political Science. He also earned postgraduate degrees from Goethe University in Frankfurt and Dauphine University in Paris. He has taught economics at MIT, Princeton University, and New York University. His economic analyses have been published in such scholarly journals as the American Economic Review, the Journal of Financial Economics, and the Journal of Finance.
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SHAPING THE FRONTIER OF SUSTAINABLE FINANCE IN EMERGING MARKETS

Dr. Ma Jun

Co-Chair of G20 Sustainable Finance Working Group, Co-Chair of EU IPSF Taxonomy Working Group, and Chairman of Green Finance Committee of China Society for Finance and Banking

Dr. Ma Jun is currently the President of the Institute of Finance and Sustainability (based in Beijing). Dr. Ma is also the Chairman of the Green Finance Committee of China Society for Finance and Banking, Co-Chair of the G20 Sustainable Finance Working Group, Co-Chair of the IPSF (International Platform on Sustainable Finance) Working Group on Sustainable Finance Taxonomy, and Member of the Steering Committee of the Central Banks and Supervisors Network for Greening the Financial System. Dr. Ma was formerly a member of the People’s Bank of China (PBOC) Monetary Policy Committee (2018-21), Chief Economist at the PBOC’s Research Bureau (2014-17), Director of the Center for Finance and Development at Tsinghua University (2018-20), Chief Economist/Strategist for Greater China at Deutsche Bank (2000-13), Senior Economist at the World Bank (1999-00), and Economist at the IMF (1997-99). He received his Ph.D. in economics from Georgetown University in 1994 and his master’s degree from Fudan University in 1988.
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SHAPING THE FRONTIER OF SUSTAINABLE FINANCE IN EMERGING MARKETS

Ms. Jolly Mokorosi

Director, Batseta Council for Retirement Funds for South Africa, and inaugural Deputy Chair of the Batseta Asset Owner’s Forum; Professional Executive Principal officer and Independent Trustee, various funds

Jolly Mokorosi is a Johannesburg-based professional principal officer, independent retirement fund trustee and regional business owner. She serves as an independent trustee on the boards of the following South African retirement funds:

- Legal Provident Fund
- SAMRO Retirement Annuity Fund (Chair)
- Sanlam Umbrella Funds
- ABSA Provisor and Sanlam Preservation Funds
- Legacy Beneficiary Fund

Jolly Mokorosi is the current executive principal officer of the Sanlam Plus Preservation Funds and was previously principal officer of Mafikeng City Council Pension Fund and the Municipal Councilors Pension Fund.

She is an advisory committee member of the Southern Africa Pension Fund Investment Forum and the inaugural Deputy Chair of Batseta’s Asset Owner’s Forum as well as a Batseta Director. She is a member of the National Treasury’s Taxonomy for Green Finance Working Group as well as a JSE Sustainability Advisory Committee member.

Jolly Mokorosi is actively involved in consumer financial education as an author in the financial press, founder of Wealth@Work and Programme Champion for the Association of Savings and Investment South Africa (ASISA) Academy’s consumer financial education practitioner programme.
Wimboh Santoso took the first step of his career by taking a job as a banking supervisor at Bank Indonesia, following the completion of his undergraduate study at the Universitas Sebelas Maret, Surakarta Central Java, in 1983. He pursued further study at the University of Illinois and gained a master’s degree in Business Administration in 1993. His thirst for knowledge led him to enroll at Loughborough University, from which he took home a PhD in Banking and Finance in 1999. Wimboh was born on March 15, 1957, in Boyolali, Central Java, continued dedicating his expertise to Indonesia’s banking industry by serving as Director of Banking Research and Regulation at Bank Indonesia from 2010 to 2012. Later, he was appointed as Head of Bank Indonesia Representative of New York, before joining the International Monetary Fund to take an executive director’s seat there. Since 2015, Wimboh has been the President Commissioner at PT Bank Mandiri (Persero) Tbk, and in 2016, he also became Indonesian Banking Development Institute Director. Wimboh has been teaching at leading universities in Indonesia, for both undergraduate and postgraduate programs. Wimboh is a Professor of Risk Management at Universitas Sebelas Maret Surakarta, Central Java.
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DRIVING MEASURABLE CHANGE ACROSS MARKETS

Ms. Rong Zhang

Global Coordinator of Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN), and Lead of ESG Networks and Thought Leadership, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Rong Zhang leads IFC’s support to the Environment, Social and Governance (ESG) Networks and Thought Leadership. In her role, she manages ESG global advisory programs and knowledge products to build capacity of clients and ESG practitioners, and convene networks to support government and market over various issues such as sustainable and climate finance, ESG standards, SDGs, disclosure and transparency, women in business leadership.

Rong Zhang is instrumental in building and expanding the IFC-supported Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN), a public-private partnership platform convening financial regulators and industry associations from emerging markets committed to advancing the sustainable finance agenda. The Network was established in 2012 and is currently represented by 61 countries from the emerging markets.

She represents IFC and SBFN in various international sustainable finance fora and networks, including the G20 Sustainable Finance Working Group (G20 SFWG), the EU International Platform for Sustainable Finance (EU IPSF) and the Central Banks and Supervisors Network for Greening the Financial System (NGFS).

Prior to joining IFC in 2004, she spent over 10 years in the private sector in various capacities, providing governments and companies with strategic counsel and program implementation across the full spectrum of sustainability issues.
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DRIVING MEASURABLE CHANGE ACROSS MARKETS

Ms. Nomindari Enkhtur
CEO, Mongolian Sustainable Finance Association

Nomindari currently serves as CEO of the Mongolian Sustainable Finance Association, as well as Portfolio Management Consultant of the UN Joint SDG Fund. Nomindari also has a key role in designing and developing the Mongolia Green Finance Corporation, a unique public-private partnership institution with a special mandate to promote green finance. Since 2013, she has closely worked with policy makers and international partners to help banks in Mongolia and Cambodia integrate sustainability considerations into their lending decisions and product design. Besides, she worked as a consultant with IFC, UNEP, UNICEF, GIZ and Partners Group on a number of projects related to portfolio emissions calculation, green taxonomy development, green finance mobilization, ESG integration, and capacity building. For her contribution in sustainable development, she was recognized by the European Commission as one of the Global Young Leaders for Development of 2017. In 2018, she was also selected as one of the five young sustainable business innovators by the Business for Peace Foundation. Nomindari holds a master's degree in Sustainability Management from Columbia University in New York and is a Fulbright Awardee.
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DRIVING MEASURABLE CHANGE ACROSS MARKETS

Ms. Mariana Escobar Uribe
Head of Sustainable Finance, Financial Superintendency of Colombia (SFC), Co-Chair of the Measurement Working Group

Mariana Escobar is Head of Sustainable Finance at the Superintendencia Financiera de Colombia. With more than 12 years of experience, her work has been focused on issues related to financial inclusion and sustainable banking. Previous to this post, Mariana served as Citi Colombia’s Sustainability Manager and was a Senior Consultant for BSD Consulting, from where she led the sustainable finance practice. She has also served as a public policy advisor to the Director of the Department of Social Prosperity, was the Deputy Director at the Ministry of Information Technology and Communications, from where she supported financial inclusion and Fintech initiatives.

Mariana is an International Studies professional from Bentley University (Boston) and has a master’s degree in International Affairs from Columbia University (New York).
Yasser Mounsif is Head of Corporate Finance and Financial Disclosure at the AMMC (Moroccan Capital Market Authority). Yasser supervises the approval of issuer prospectuses, as well as their compliance with ongoing information obligations. He is also actively involved in many regulatory projects and working groups aimed at market development, such as sustainable finance, where he had a significant contribution in drafting the Moroccan guidelines for Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds.

Yasser joined the AMMC in 2008, where he held several positions before being appointed as Head of Corporate Finance and Financial Disclosure. Prior to joining the AMMC, he was responsible for internal auditing at a multinational company. Yasser holds a master’s degree in corporate finance from Al Akhawayn University in Ifrane (Morocco).
CLOSING REMARKS FOR DAY 1

Mr. Emmanuel B. Nyirinkindi
Vice President for Cross-Cutting Solutions, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Emmanuel Nyirinkindi is IFC’s Vice President of Cross-Cutting Solutions. He is responsible for overseeing cross-cutting services globally, including public-private partnerships (PPPs) and corporate finance, global Upstream projects and programs to proactively create new investible opportunities and markets, sustainability and gender solutions, and climate. His leadership ensures that climate, gender and E&S best practices are embedded throughout IFC operational work as well as Upstream activities. IFC’s Western Europe and Tokyo teams also fall under Mr. Nyirinkindi’s leadership, as he fosters strong relationships with World Bank Group counterparts to identify collaboration opportunities to enhance client and business delivery.

Before becoming Vice President, Mr. Nyirinkindi served as IFC’s Global Director for Transaction Advisory Services. He has over 14 years of IFC experience, working mainly across infrastructure development, including, since 2015, in his role leading the global Public-Private Partnerships Transaction Advisory and Corporate Financial Services teams and operations. Mr. Nyirinkindi first joined IFC’s Johannesburg office in 2006 as a Senior Investment Officer, and served as the Regional Manager of IFC’s Public-Private Partnerships Advisory Services for Africa before moving to Washington, D.C. He has a proven track record of leadership and execution in advising governments on designing and bringing to market commercially robust public-private partnerships across various sectors that provide high quality, affordable and efficient infrastructure and social services to communities.

Prior to joining IFC, Mr. Nyirinkindi worked for the Government of Uganda’s Ministry of Finance, where he introduced public-private partnerships in the electricity and railway sectors and coordinated legal and regulatory reforms in the basic infrastructure sectors. He worked in the petroleum products industry in Uganda and with the Faculty of Commerce at Makerere University in Kampala, where he earned his Bachelor of Commerce degree. Mr. Nyirinkindi also holds an MBA from the University of Kansas.
Ms. Georja Calvin-Smith
Journalist

Georja Calvin-Smith is a Paris-based writer, journalism trainer, presenter, reporter and producer who has worked in international magazine and current affairs broadcasting in the UK, France and US. She currently produces and fronts the daily ‘Eye on Africa’ bulletin and weekly ‘Across Africa’ magazine show at France 24, an international news network broadcasting in English, French and Arabic. She regularly collaborates with the UN and other international organisations in moderating high-level debates and dialogues.
Ms. Louise Gardiner has been a sustainable finance and disclosure specialist with IFC, part of the World Bank Group, since 2005, and part of the Secretariat of the IFC-facilitated Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN) since 2012. She is currently a Working Groups and Africa Coordinator for SBFN and led the development of SBFN’s 2021 Global Progress and Country Reports — the most comprehensive benchmarking of national sustainable finance initiatives in emerging markets. She was previously Green Bond Working Group Coordinator and managed the 2018 SBFN report “Creating Green Bond Markets.” In addition, she has worked closely with SBFN members to advance national initiatives on sustainable finance. This has included support since 2011 to the South African pension and banking sectors and support to South Africa’s National Treasury to develop a national green finance taxonomy.
DAY 2 SPEAKERS

ACHIEVING THE SDGS IN EMERGING MARKETS:
FROM TAXONOMY DEVELOPMENT TO INNOVATION IN SUSTAINABLE FINANCE INSTRUMENTS

Mrs. Yvette Fernando
Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Mrs. Yvette Fernando currently serves as a Deputy Governor at the Central Bank of Sri Lanka, in charge of the financial system stability cluster. She has over 30 years of service in the Central Bank in supervision and regulation of banks, foreign exchange management and currency management. During this period, Mrs. Fernando has served as the Director of Bank Supervision and the Controller of Exchange and has played a vital role in contributing to the financial system stability by providing leadership to implement a strong regulatory framework for banks in line with international standards and best practices. Prior to the appointment as a Deputy Governor, she held the position of Assistant Governor in charge of the departments of Bank Supervision, Currency, Foreign Exchange and Employees’ Provident Fund.


She holds a Master of Financial Economics degree from the University of Colombo and a Bachelor of Commerce (Special) degree from the University of Sri Jayewardenepura.
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Mr. Xavier Desmadryl
Global Head of ESG Research and Integration within HSBC Asset Management

Xavier Desmadryl is the Global Head of ESG Research and Integration within HSBC Asset Management and has been working in the financial industry since 1995. In his role Xavier is responsible for the integration of ESG considerations into all strategies managed across all locations. He has held this position since 2010. Initially based in Hong Kong, he moved back to Europe in 2013. Xavier joined the HSBC Group in 1999 where he worked in various marketing and SRI functions. Before that he held several positions at CDC Group, Credit Agricole, Income International and Bank Paribas. Xavier graduated from French business school ESLSCA in 1988 where he specialised in corporate finance. He is also a Certified European Financial Analyst (CEFA), a designation awarded by the European Federation of Financial Analysts.

Xavier was part of the initial experts’ panel in charge of defining the PRI between 2004 and 2005. He also served as the co-chair of the UNEP FI Asset Management Working Group between 2006 and 2009.
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Mr. Enrico Hariantoro

Head/Executive Director of the Integrated Financial Services Sector Policy Group, Otoritas Jasa Keuangan (OJK, Indonesia Financial Services Authority), and Co-chair of the SBFN Sustainable Finance Instruments Working Group

Mr. Enrico Hariantoro is Head/Executive Director of the Integrated Financial Services Sector Policy Group at Otoritas Jasa Keuangan (OJK, Indonesia Financial Services Authority) since 2018. His previous roles include Director in Integrated Regulation, Licensing and Supervision Department, and Director in Bank Supervision Department 2. Prior to joining OJK, he held a several roles at Bank Indonesia from 1996 to 2015, including Deputy Director in Bank Supervision Department 3. He holds a Master of Economics from Loughborough University, UK, and Bachelor of Economics from Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia.
DAY 2 SPEAKERS

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FINANCE INSTRUMENTS

Mr. Giorgio Trettenero
Secretary General, Federation of Latin American Banks (FELABAN), and Co-chair of the SBFN Sustainable Finance Instruments Working Group

Mr. Giorgio Trettenero is currently Secretary General of the Federation of Latin American Banks (FELABAN), grouping more than 600 banks from 18 countries through their respective local banking associations in Latin America. He has over 30 years’ work experience and achievements in maximizing profitability, exceeding sales budgets, and increasing efficiencies at a multinational financial sector level, mainly in the areas of commercial banking and risk management for retailers, SMEs, banking companies, and financial enterprises of different sizes across several countries (Perú, Chile, and Colombia). He was part of the top steering group for Grupo Santander at global level, and worked at Banco Santander Colombia.
Martine Valcin is the Global Manager, Corporate Governance / ESG Advisory, Knowledge and Learning in the Sustainability and Gender Solutions Department at International Finance Corporation (IFC) in Washington, DC. In her role, she is responsible for global corporate governance investment risk management, the delivery of ESG advisory solutions, knowledge support to IFC staff and clients on best-in-class ESG risk management, and ESG-related technology and tools portfolio. She also leads ESG capacity-building initiatives globally over various issues such as disclosure and transparency, sustainable finance, corporate governance for small-medium enterprises and women in business leadership.

She joined IFC in 2019 from Canada's Public Sector Pension Investment Board (PSP), where she held the role of Senior Director, Responsible Investment, inaugurating and leading the integration of ESG factors for PSP’s global public equities and bonds portfolio. Before joining PSP in 2016, Martine worked at Toronto Stock Exchange for fifteen years, where she held roles of increasing responsibilities. In her last role as Director, Listed Issuer Services, she led a multi-disciplinary team of professionals tasked with listing companies and reviewing Canada's principal stock exchange corporate finance transactions.

Martine is a McGill University graduate and holds a Master of Industrial Relations from Queen's University and an M.B.A (Finance) from École des Hautes Études Commerciales (HEC) in Montreal.
Ms. Mariam Kharaishvili
Chief Specialist, Macrofinancial Modeling and Analysis Division, Financial Stability Department, National Bank of Georgia

Mariam Kharaishvili is a chief specialist in the Macrofinancial Modeling and Analysis Division at the National Bank of Georgia (NBG). Mariam joined the NBG in 2017 and has been actively involved in developing the Sustainable Finance Framework since then. She has made a significant contribution to the NBG’s projects, such as the Roadmap for Sustainable Finance in Georgia, Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) Reporting and Disclosure Principles and Sustainable Finance Taxonomy. Mariam holds a Ph.D. in economics from Southern Methodist University (SMU, 2017), Dallas, Texas, and MA degrees in Economics from ISET (2009) and SMU (2011). During her time at SMU, she won the Melody Rice Memorial Award for her academic achievements in Economics. Ms. Kharaishvili also remains active in academia. She is a lecturer at ISET, an assistant professor, and a co-head of the Ph.D. program at Caucasus University. Mariam’s research interests include macroprudential policies, macrofinancial modeling, and sustainable finance.
DAY 2 SPEAKERS

LEVERAGING INTERNATIONAL TRENDS FOR DATA AND DISCLOSURE TO STRENGTHEN NATIONAL FRAMEWORKS

Mr. Amaury Martins de Oliva

Director of Sustainability, Financial Citizenship, Consumer Relations and Self-Regulation, Brazilian Federation of Banks (FEBRABAN)

Amaury is a lawyer and specialist in consumer rights and currently is executive director of Sustainability, Financial Citizenship, Consumer Relations and Self-Regulation at the Brazilian Federation of Banks – FEBRABAN.

He has previously served as Director of the Department of Consumer Protection (DPDC) of the National Secretariat for Consumer of the Ministry of Justice of Brazil (2013-2015), and as General-Coordinator of Legal Affairs of the Department of Consumer Protection (2008-2012).

In addition to having participated in the creation of Senacon, the Consumidor.gov.br conflict resolution platform and the Consumer Safety and Health Network of the Americas, promoted and coordinated public policies aimed at the right to information, quality, product safety, customer service and privacy. He was Executive Secretary of the Permanent Consumer Accident Study Group (Gepac), a member of the National Council for Private Insurance, and represented the Secretariat and the National Consumer Protection System in Mercosur, at the Organization of American States (OAS), in OECD and the United Nations.

LL.B., University of São Paulo Law School, Post-Graduate in Management of Market Surveillance and Regulatory Activities in Product Safety Systems, Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona, Amaury Oliva is a member of the Brazilian Bar Association, the American Association of Private International Law - ASADIP and the Brazilian Institute for Consumer Protection - Idec.
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Mr. Yanfei Ye
Senior Advisor of the Policy Research Bureau, China Banking and Insurance Regulatory Commission (CBIRC)

NECESSARY AMBITION AND CHALLENGES TO SOLVE GOING FORWARD IN LOW-INCOME COUNTRIES

Ms. Nuru Mugambi
SBFN Secretariat Advisor and Sustainable Finance in Africa Policy Expert

Nuru is a subject matter expert on Sustainable Finance and Responsible Investment in Africa. She has spearheaded strategic initiatives to reinforce the financial sector’s role of being a core driver of sustainable economic development on the Continent. Her contributions towards Sustainable Finance policy formulation have led several industries through their bankers associations, including in Ghana, Kenya and Tanzania, towards adopting numerous progressive practices. And her Sustainable Finance capacity-building work has been modelled by other countries, including Mongolia and Sri Lanka. While serving as director at Kenya Bankers Association, she designed and convened the Kenya Green Bond Program; the multi-stakeholder program resulted in pipeline research and the development of a green bond framework and a tax incentive, which supported the first green bond in East and Central Africa that was issued by Acorn Holdings. She also developed KBA’s Digital Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities roadmap.

Nuru is the youngest female to earn the Fellow of the Kenya Institute of Bankers (FKIB) designation for industry excellence and leadership. And she has been recognized by the Eisenhower Fellowships program and by former U.S. President Barack Obama as an emerging African leader. She is currently pursuing graduate studies at the Andrew Young School of Public Policy in Atlanta; her area of interest is Sustainable Finance, Responsible Investment and Financial Inclusion policy development and analysis. She also has an executive master’s degree focused on social entrepreneurship from Georgia State University and graduated with honors in business administration from Kennesaw State University.
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Mr. Khondkar Morshed Millat

General Manager, Sustainable Finance Department, Bangladesh Bank; and Co-chair of the IDA Task Force

Mr. Millat is a career central banker, banking sector policy and sustainable banking expert (green banking, green and sustainable finance, environmental and social risk management, corporate social responsibility and financial inclusion). Mr. Millat has been serving for the last 29 years in the Central Bank of Bangladesh. He is the gold medal winner from Bangladesh Bank for his outstanding policy activities for green banking and sustainable finance. Throughout his career, he has conducted significant policy work on Sustainability Issues, including the development of the Policy Guidelines for Green Banking, Environmental and Social Risk Management Guidelines, Sustainable Finance Policy for Banks and Financial Institutions, and Policy Guidelines on Corporate Social Responsibility for Banks and Financial Institutions.
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Dr. Kameshnee Naidoo
Making Access Possible (MAP) Global Programme
Advisor, United Nations Capital Development Fund

Dr. Kameshnee Naidoo is a senior executive with 20+ years experience developing business models for new markets in developing countries. She transitioned into the public sector, successfully bringing diverse experience and strategic insights to multi-nationals to build new technical frameworks and methodologies for stronger guidance in public-sector policy-setting and private sector decision-making. She worked with LDC Governments, UN member states and multinationals, including MasterCard, Rabobank, and FMO. Prior to this, she was involved in key strategic roles at MTN, Deloitte and PricewaterhouseCoopers. She currently leads the global financial inclusion initiative at UNCDF, heading up the Making Access Possible Programme, coordinating policy implementation and research activities, impacting the lives of 549 million people. With an ear to the ground, rooted in developing countries, she brings deep market knowledge, applies global standards, and strong networks in governments, multi-nationals and in-country partners to spearhead inclusive growth. She is also well published in the financial inclusion and ICT fields and often works with academia leading new thinking.
Sophie Sirtaine, a Belgian national, is CGAP’s CEO. She is responsible for leading the CGAP operational team to develop, resource, and deliver CGAP’s 5-year strategy. She is also a member of CGAP’s Executive Committee.

With over twenty years of experience in the World Bank, Sophie has held various positions, including as Director of Strategy and Operations in the Independent Evaluation Group of the World Bank Group from 2016-2021 and as country director for Latin America and the Caribbean from 2013-2016. She also worked in South Asia, and the Europe and Central Asia regions; the Corporate Secretariat; and the Operations, Policy and Country Services Vice Presidency of the World Bank Group. She led the World Bank’s banking sector crisis response in several EU countries during the 2008-2009 global financial crisis.

Sophie also worked in London in investment banking at JP Morgan and as an infrastructure economist for Halcrow Fox and Associates prior to joining the World Bank.
As Global Director, Finance in the Finance, Competitiveness & Innovation (FCI) Global Practice, Jean leads the World Bank’s work to promote the development of sound, stable, sustainable, and inclusive financial systems. His global team of experts works with governments and partners to make financial systems more resilient, to open access to finance for poor and vulnerable people, to support economic activity and to develop financial markets. Their strategy and its implementation emphasize the development of digital financial services, addressing climate change and sustainable finance and creating opportunities for women by bolstering their financial inclusion.

Previously, Jean led the World Bank's Financial Stability and Integrity global team, which assists countries in building and restoring robust and resilient financial systems operating with integrity, transparency and in compliance with international standards and recommendations. He has extensive experience working on financial sector issues, notably in the Middle East and North Africa.
DAY 3 SPEAKERS

CONNECTING NETWORKS AND PARTNERS FOR COLLECTIVE ACTION

Ms. Mary Porter Peschka
Director, Sustainability and Gender Solutions, International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Mary is the Director of the Sustainability and Gender Solutions (CEG) department at the International Finance Corporation (IFC), a member of the World Bank Group and the largest global development institution focused on the private sector in emerging markets. Since 2006, an estimated $4.5 trillion in investments across emerging markets have adhered to IFC’s environmental and social standards or principles inspired by them.

The Department Mary leads is IFC’s center of excellence for sustainability and gender solutions and offers a range of expertise to help private sector clients identify and solve complex ESG issues and to find value-added opportunities in their business operations. Home to over 100 ESG and gender experts, the department undertakes ESG due diligence on each new investment project and has reviewed over 10,000 investment projects in IFC’s historical portfolio. In addition to its role in risk management, the department promotes and maintains IFC’s leadership position in sustainable development, including driving IFC’s ESG innovation practice centered on advancing ESG data and technology solutions for emerging markets, advancing gender and economic inclusion, and being an engine for high-quality good practice materials for clients and other stakeholders.

Prior to her current role at IFC, Mary was the Director of the IFC’s Advisory Solutions department. She also served as Regional Head of Advisory Services in Latin America and the Caribbean, and Regional Head of Sustainable Business Advisory in the Middle East and North Africa. Before joining IFC, Mary held various positions in the public and private sectors, including Market Access International, an economic development consulting firm; St. Genevieve Group, a group of international mining companies; and the US Agency for International Development (USAID).

Mary holds a Bachelor’s degree from George Washington University, an MSc from the London School of Economics, and an MBA from the University of Oxford.
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Mr. Ephyro Luis Amatong

Former Commissioner at Securities & Exchange Commission, Republic of the Philippines and Co-chair of ASEAN Capital Markets Forum Sustainable Finance Working Group

Ephyro Luis B. Amatong is a lawyer, sustainable finance advocate, and former regulator. From May 2014 to March 2022, he was Supervising Commissioner of the Markets and Securities Regulation Department and the Economic Research and Training Department of the Philippine Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). He was also the Philippine SEC’s representative to the ASEAN Capital Markets Forum (ACMF), the grouping of capital market regulators of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN).

As Co-Chair of the ACMF Sustainable Finance Working Group from Nov. 2016 to May 2022, Mr. Amatong played a key role in the development of the ASEAN Green, Social and Sustainability Bond Standards, which were introduced in 2017 and 2018. From Nov. 2017 to Feb. 2022, a total of US$22.46 Billion worth of ASEAN-labelled Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds have been issued across four ASEAN member states in at least five currencies and across multiple industries.

Mr. Amatong also participated in the development of the Roadmap for ASEAN Sustainable Capital Markets (2020); and was part of the ASEAN Sustainable Finance Taxonomy project, which resulted in the creation of the ASEAN Taxonomy Board and the issuance of Version 1 of the ASEAN Taxonomy for Sustainable Finance in 2021. He was also the alternate representative of the ACMF to the Green Bond Advisory Council of the International Capital Market Association (ICMA).

Mr. Amatong was admitted to the Philippine Bar in 2002 and the New York Bar in 2007. He holds a Master of Laws (LL.M., 2006) degree, International Finance Concentration, from Harvard Law School. He also holds a Bachelor of Laws (LL.B., 2001) degree from the University of the Philippines College of Law, and a Bachelor of Science in Business Economics (B.S.B.E., 1997) degree, cum laude, from the University of the Philippines School of Economics.
Jean Boissinot is deputy director (financial stability) at Banque de France and head of the secretariat of the Network for Greening the Financial System (NGFS) since 2021. He was previously a special advisor to the governors particularly in charge of the coordination of financial stability function across the Banque de France and the ACPR (the prudential authority).

Before joining the Banque de France, he held various positions at the Direction générale du Trésor (French Ministry of Finance), most recently as Director, Financial stability (2017-2018) after leading the banking and financial sector analysis division (2011-2017) in charge of advising on domestic finance issues while also serving as secretary general to the Haut Conseil de stabilité financière (French macroprudential authority). In this position, he played an instrumental role in structuring the agenda on finance and climate change both at the domestic level and in the context of the COP 21 Presidency. From 2008 to 2010, he worked within the International and Finance directorate at HM Treasury, as a senior policy advisor in the Financial Stability team. Over the course of his career, he has been involved in a number of international groups (G20, FSB, OECD, etc.).

An alumni of Ecole Polytechnique, Ensae and PSE (Paris School of Economics), he is a Louis Bachelier Fellow and teaches at Paris 1 (Panthéon-Sorbonne).
Anthony Miller is the Coordinator of the United Nations Sustainable Stock Exchanges (SSE) initiative and the focal point for responsible investment within the Investment and Enterprise Division of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD). Dr. Miller is a specialist in sustainable finance, corporate sustainability, and corporate governance. He has managed the SSE initiative since its launch by UN Secretary General Ban Ki-moon in 2009. In 2011, the initiative was named by Forbes magazine as one of the “world’s best sustainability ideas” and in 2019 was endorsed by UN Secretary General Antonio Guterres. Today the SSE counts over 100 partner exchanges around the world. He is a regular contributor to UNCTAD’s flagship World Investment Report, and was the lead author of an interagency paper to the G20 “Promoting standards for responsible investment in value chains.” For over ten years he served as an annual guest lecturer on corporate sustainability and responsible investment at the Centre for Development Studies at Cambridge University. He holds a B.A. from Trent University, Canada, and an M.Phil. and Ph.D. from Cambridge University, England.
DAY 3 SPEAKERS

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Ms. Esohe Denise Odaro
Head of Investor Relations and Sustainable Finance, International Finance Corporation (IFC), and Chair of the Steering Committee of the Green and Social Bond Principles, ICMA

Denise Odaro heads investor relations globally for IFC and leads coordination on sustainable finance products. She joined IFC Treasury in 2012, establishing the investor relations function to complement IFC’s $17 billion annual funding program. She is also responsible for the management of IFC’s sustainable bonds program.

Denise has been a central figure in developing the sustainable bond market for nearly a decade. She was a founding member of the Green Bond Principles Executive Committee and subsequently chaired the Social Bonds Working Group from 2016-2020. For her efforts in promoting sustainable bonds, Denise was named “Personality of the Year” in 2020 by Environmental Finance Magazine.

Presently, Denise is the Chair of the Steering Committee of the Green, Social and Sustainability Linked Bond Principles, the most referenced framework globally for thematic bonds, hosted under the International Capital Market Association (ICMA). She is also the co-host of Climate Biz, a top-rated podcast on sustainability and climate change solutions.

In 2020, the National Institute of Investor Relations honored Denise as one of its “40 Under 40” accomplished professionals. She leads the investor relations unit, which was recognized as the “Best Investor Relations Team” for 2021 by CMD Portal.

Prior to joining IFC, she was an underwriter in the energy division at MIGA, the World Bank Group's political risk mitigation arm. Previously, Ms. Odaro worked for Lehman Brothers as a debt portfolio manager and on loan syndications and secondary loan markets at GE Capital and Goldman Sachs.

She holds an MBA from Cornell University and qualified as a Barrister (England & Wales) at The Honourable Society of Lincoln's Inn. Denise was also selected for the 2019 Emerging Leaders Program at the Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University. She is currently enrolled in the Sustainability Leadership program at the University of Cambridge.
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Mr. Amit Puri
Managing Director and Global Head of ESRM, Standard Chartered Bank; Chair of the Equator Principles Association

Amit Puri has two decades of experience in banking and financial services across a variety of disciplines – ESG Risk, Corporate Finance, Tax & Legal, COO and General Management. He is currently Managing Director and Global Head of Environmental and Social Risk Management, Sustainable Finance, at Standard Chartered Bank, and is responsible for setting and implementing the Bank's Environmental and Social ("E&S") policies and standards ("Position Statements") globally. He works closely with clients to ensure E&S risks are managed in line with the Bank's appetite for sensitive sectors. Since joining the Bank in 2004, he has held senior roles in Corporate Finance, Group Tax, and as the Head of the Group CEO's office. Amit is a qualified Chartered Tax Advisor, Attorney at Law (New York) and the current Chair of the Equator Principles Association.
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Established in 2012, SBFN is a voluntary community of financial sector regulatory agencies and industry associations from emerging markets committed to advance sustainable finance. The first global network of its kind focused on sustainable finance at the market level, SBFN represents 62 countries and $43 trillion (86 percent) of the total banking assets in emerging markets. SBFN members are committed to moving their financial sectors towards sustainability, with the twin goals of improved environmental and social risk management (including disclosure of climate risks) and increased capital flows to activities with a positive climate, environmental, and social impact. For more information, visit www.sbfnetwork.org.

Facilitated by IFC as secretariat and supported by the World Bank Group, SBFN helps mobilize information, resources, and practical support for members to design and implement national initiatives that advance sustainable finance at national, regional, and global levels.

IFC — a member of the World Bank Group — is the largest global development institution focused on the private sector in emerging markets. We work in more than 100 countries, using our capital, expertise, and influence to create markets and opportunities in developing countries. In the fiscal year 2021, IFC invested $31.5 billion in private companies and financial institutions in developing countries, including $10.8 billion mobilized from other investors, leveraging the power of the private sector to end extreme poverty and boost shared prosperity. For more information, visit www.ifc.org.

Additional resources:


SBFN Measurement Framework and Methodology.

Sustainable Finance National Framework Library.