



Ethical Finance 2021 is themed “Financing a Sustainable Future: Climate and Beyond”. The summit is hosted by NatWest Group, and supported by Chartered Banker and CISI, as well as our Path to COP26 campaign partners the Scottish Government and UNDP.

# Live Summit Agenda

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*\*All information may be subject to change*

Timings listed in British Summer Time (GMT+1)



## Welcome to Ethical Finance 2021



## Ethical Finance 2021 Day 1 – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2021

### Global Regional Showcase Series

Given our increasing global reach this year we are working with select partners to curate and deliver a series of regional showcase sessions. We believe that this unique approach will further reinforce the Summit's reputation as a leading global platform for sustainable finance. Our partners are as follows:

Partner(s)	Speakers
<b>AUSTRALASIA – 0700-0830 BST (1600-1730 AEST)</b>	
	<p>Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA)</p> <p><b>Confirmed Speakers:</b>            Chris Whitehead, FINSIA            Giles Gunsekera, Global Impact Initiative            Katharine Tapley, ANZ            Lucy Thomas, NSW Treasury Corporation</p>
<b>SOUTH EAST ASIA – 0900-1030 BST (1600-1730 MYT)</b>	
	<p>Asian Institute of Chartered Bankers (AICB)</p> <p><b>Confirmed Speakers:</b>            Prasad Padmanaban, Chief Executive, AICB            Ms Lavanya Rama Iyer, WWF Malaysia            Cedric Rimaud, Climate Bonds Initiative            Tbc, World Bank</p>
<b>SOUTH ASIA – 1100-1230 BST (1530-1700 PKT)</b>	
	<p>The Institute of Bankers Pakistan (IBP)</p> <p><b>Confirmed Speakers:</b>            GM Abbasi, State Bank of Pakistan            Ahmed Bozai, Citi Bank            Mujahid Zuberi, Dubai Islamic Bank            Dr. Shah Md. Ahsan Habib, Professor, Bangladesh Institute of Bank Management (BIBM)</p>
<b>WEST AFRICA – 1300-1430 BST (1300-1430 WAT)</b>	
	<p>Making Finance Work For Africa            Lotus Capital</p>
	<p><b>Confirmed Speakers:</b>            Abdelkader Benbrahim, Making Finance Work for Africa            Jules Ngankam, African Guarantee Fund            Hajara Adeola, Lotus Capital</p>

The Global Regional Showcase sessions will be 90-minute sessions with experts from international and regional financial institutions and other regional financial services stakeholders come together to discuss the latest trends in sustainable finance around the world. The indicative agenda for each session is as follows:

- Introduction to the region
- Current activities in “ethical finance” – i.e. responsible finance, green banking & finance, SDG engagement, etc.
- Financial services market structure - Government and regulatory frameworks for financial services
- Market, regulatory and social drivers for responsible and sustainable finance
- The “S” in ESG
- Driving Financial Inclusion
- Climate Change – risks and commercial opportunities
- Tapping into global liquidity pools seeking responsible investments

## Ethical Finance 2021 Day 2 – Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2021

### Sustainability

Session	Confirmed Speakers
<b>GLOBAL TRENDS IN SUSTAINABLE FINANCE – c0930 – c1130 BST</b>	
Welcome	<b>Speakers</b> Omar Shaikh, GEFI Kirsty Britz, NatWest Group Simon Thompson, Chartered Banker Institute
Keynotes <b>Financing a Sustainable Future</b>	<b>Speakers</b> Inger Andersen, UNEP Dr Werner Hoyer, European Investment Bank Bill Winters, Standard Chartered
Panel <b>Global Trends in Sustainability</b>	<b>Moderator</b> Dame Susan Rice, Banking Standards Board & GEFI <b>Speakers</b> Tan Sri Dato' Zeti Aziz, formerly Bank Negara Malaysia Saker Nusseibeh, Federated Hermes – International Katie Murray, NatWest Group
Initiative Spotlight <b>International Platform for Climate Finance (IPCF)</b>	<b>Interviewer</b> Dr Sarah Ivory, University of Edinburgh <b>Speaker</b> Steve Waygood, Aviva Investors
<b>ROLE OF FINANCE IN DELIVERING NET ZERO – c1155 – c1400 BST</b>	
Welcome	MC, Simon Thompson
In Conversation with Manuel Pulgar-Vidal <b>COP26 and the Path to Net Zero</b>	<b>Interviewer</b> Kaisie Rayner, Royal London <b>Interviewee</b> Manuel Pulgar-Vidal, WWF International
Panel <b>Approaches to Net Zero in Banking and Investment</b>	<b>Moderator</b> David Pitt-Watson, Cambridge Judge Business School <b>Speakers</b> Deirdre Michie OBE, Oil & Gas UK Masja Zandbergen, Robeco Kaitlin Crouch, ING Joanne Manda, UNDP Indonesia
Initiative Spotlight <b>The Institutional Investors Group on Climate Change (IIGCC) Net Zero Investment Framework</b>	<b>Interviewer</b> Clare Foster, Shepherd + Wedderburn <b>Speakers</b> Daisy Streatfeild, IIGCC Dewi Dylander, PKA
<b>FINANCE FOR NATURE – c1455 – 1700 BST</b>	
Welcome	MC, Simon Thompson
In Conversation with Prof. Sir Partha Dasgupta <b>Biodiversity in Finance</b>	<b>Interviewer</b> Greg Ritchie, Bloomberg <b>Interviewee</b> Prof. Sir Partha Dasgupta, Cambridge University
Panel <b>Practical Action on Biodiversity</b>	<b>Moderator</b> Andrew Mitchell, Global Canopy <b>Speakers</b> Charlotte Kaiser, NatureVest, The Nature Conservancy Antoine Sire, BNP Paribas Tbc
Initiative Spotlight <b>Task Force on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD)</b>	<b>Interviewer</b> Natalie Jackson, GEFI <b>Speakers</b> Elizabeth Mrema, United Nations Convention on Biological Diversity Mikkel Larsen, DBS Bank

## Ethical Finance 2021 Day 3 – Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2021

### Beyond Climate

Session	Confirmed Speakers
<b>HOW THE WORLD CAN FINANCE THE SDGS – c0930 – c1130 BST</b>	
Welcome	Graham Burnside, GEFI George Littlejohn, Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment
Keynote Financing the SDGs	<b>Interviewer</b> Kat Feldinger, Scottish Government <b>Speaker</b> Achim Steiner, UNDP  <b>Presentation</b> Dora Benedek, International Monetary Fund Alexander Ferenc Tieman, International Monetary Fund  <b>Keynote</b> Arunma Otey, University of Oxford and formerly World Bank
Panel Global Perspectives on SDG Finance	<b>Moderator</b> George Littlejohn, Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment <b>Speakers</b> Arunma Otey, University of Oxford and formerly World Bank Dr Hayat Sindi – Islamic Development Bank Arshad Mohamed Ismail, Bank Pembangunan Malaysia Berhad Abubakar Suleiman, Sterling Bank
Initiative Spotlight Global Islamic Finance & the SDGs Taskforce	<b>Moderator</b> Sultan Choudhury, UKIFC <b>Speakers</b> John Glen, Economic Secretary to the Treasury and City Minister Stella Cox CBE, DDCAP Group
<b>THE 'S' IN ESG – WHY IT MATTERS – c1155 – c1400 BST</b>	
Welcome	MC, George Littlejohn, Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment
In Conversation with	<i>*details to be announced shortly</i>
Panel Rethinking the 'S' in ESG	<b>Moderator</b> Thom Kenrick, NatWest Group <b>Speakers</b> Andrew Cave, Baillie Gifford Elena Espinoza, Principles for Responsible Investment Leslie Swynghedauw, MSCI Lesley-Ann Vaughan, Moojaloop Foundation (Co-Creator of M-PESA for Vodafone)
Initiative Spotlight Tobacco Free Portfolios	<b>Interviewer</b> Gail Hurley, GEFI <b>Speakers</b> Dr Bronwyn King, Tobacco Free Portfolios Ruben Zandvliet, ABN AMRO
<b>STRATEGIC BUSINESS AND SUSTAINABILITY LEADERSHIP – c1455 – 1700 BST</b>	
Welcome	MC, George Littlejohn, Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment
A series of keynote interviews and fireside chats with global finance and industry leaders	<b>Presentation</b> Louai Al Roumani, Author of 'Lessons from a Warzone: How to be a Resilient Leader in Times of Crisis'  <b>Speakers</b> Sir Howard Davies, NatWest Group William Russell, The Lord Mayor of the City of London Keith Anderson, Scottish Power  <b>Interviewer</b> George Hay, Reuters BreakingViews <b>Speakers</b> Hiromichi Mizuno, United Nations Special Envoy on Innovative Finance and Sustainable Investments

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## The Path to COP26

As an organisation founded in Scotland and committed to sustainable finance, having the world come to Glasgow in November 2021 for COP6 has inspired GEFI to launch a campaign that enables our stakeholders to come together to amplify their commitment to climate finance. For more details, see [pathtocop26.com](http://pathtocop26.com). The campaign aims to assist financial institutions to:

- Showcase their commitment and existing efforts towards climate finance at COP26.
- Accelerate practical efforts by helping to identify and connect with relevant climate standards and initiatives and encouraging adoption of these.
- Connect and share knowledge to address industry challenges and showcase existing efforts.

