



The **SEACEN** Centre



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SEACEN-OMFIF SUSTAINABILITY ROUNDTABLE

Coming together to set the stage for
impact in 2021

Wednesday, 3rd February 2021
4-6pm KL time (8-10am UK time)

OVERVIEW

OMFIF and SEACEN are convening a facilitated discussion on the actions needed to support sustainability and implement impactful change in Asia Pacific in 2021 and beyond.

To be held virtually on 3 February, the sustainability roundtable will feature workshop discussions bringing public investors, central bankers, asset managers and experts together to consider the impediments in achieving the United Nations' sustainable development goals by 2030 and the steps needed to overcome these.

Interactive and results-oriented, the event will distil issues of vital interest for the region. The key themes that will be explored are developing a taxonomy, standards for change, innovation in green finance and partnerships.

This event will be conducted in a virtual format, hosted on Microsoft Teams.

This is an interactive roundtable discussion, so participants are encouraged to freely ask questions, raise discussion points and share their experiences as much as possible.

To join the event, please register [here](#).

MEETING AT GLANCE

16.00 - 16.05	Welcome Remarks
16.05 - 16.15	Introductory Keynote
16:15 - 17:00	Sessions 1 & 3
17:00 - 17:05	Break
17:05 - 17:50	Sessions 2 & 4
17:50 - 18:00	Key takeaways and closing

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16:00 - 16:05	WELCOME REMARKS
16:05 - 16:15	<p>INTRODUCTORY KEYNOTE</p> <p>Speaker: Sylvain Augoyard, Vice President, Asia Sustainable Finance, WWF Singapore</p>
16:15 - 17:00	<p>STREAM 1</p> <p>SESSION 1: DEVELOPING A TAXONOMY</p> <p>Topics for discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Latest developments in implementing a national climate risk taxonomy. • Challenges of expanding this within ASEAN - will it be possible to have an ASEAN climate risk taxonomy standard? • Risks of arbitrage and green washing and how these are to be dealt with. <p>Facilitator: Mangal Goswami, Executive Director, SEACEN</p> <p>Participants: Michael Zimonyi, Policy & External Affairs Director, Climate Disclosure Standards Board Tom Delay CBE, Chief Executive, Carbon Trust Andrew Gazal, CEO, Founder, ESG Tech Lyn Javier, Managing Director, Policy and Specialized Supervision Sub-Sector, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas</p>
17:00 - 17:05	BREAK
17:05 - 17:50	<p>SESSION 2: STANDARDS FOR CHANGE</p> <p>Topics for discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The development of ASEAN specific lending standards for the origination of green loans. • Data gathering exercises that firms need to carry out to allow reporting requirements to be fulfilled. • Incorporation of climate risk monitoring and management into firms' governance risk

	<p>frameworks, risk management systems, risk appetite setting and business models.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encouragement for firms to run climate risk based stress testing and incorporating findings into capital requirements and other measures. • Assessment of whether the current Basel framework needs to be overhauled to incorporate climate risks (e.g. into RWA assessments; brown penalising or green supporting factors etc.) <p>Facilitator: Aziz Durrani, Senior Financial Sector Specialist, SEACEN</p> <p>Participants: Jim Northey, Chair, ISO TC68 Technical Committee Financial Services Prashant Vaze, Head of Policy and India teams. Climate Bonds Initiative Mathew Nelson, Global Climate Change and Sustainability Services Leader, EY Swisa Ariyapruchya, Section Head (Sustainability), Puey Ungphakorn Institute for Economic Research (PIER), Bank of Thailand</p>
16:15 - 17:00	<p>STREAM 2</p> <p>SESSION 3: INNOVATION IN GREEN FINANCE</p> <p>Topics for discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alternatives to bonds • Digitisation and disruption • Design principles for development <p>Facilitator: Tamara Singh, Head of APAC, OMFIF</p> <p>Participants: Jason Eis, Executive Director, Lead on Technology and Innovation, Vivid Economics Gerry Mattios, Co-Director, Global Sustainability Innovation Center Leo Park, Financial Institutions Manager, Green Climate Fund Natalia Rajewska, Vice President, Sustainable Finance, ING</p>
17:00 - 17:05	BREAK

17:05 - 17:50	<p>SESSION 4: PARTNERSHIP FOR IMPACT</p> <p>Topics for discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incentivising capital flows • Capacity building and pipeline growth • Identifying partners <p>Facilitator: Kat Usita, Deputy Head of Research, OMFIF</p> <p>Participants: Tony Clamp, Director A.I, Private Sector Facility, Green Climate Fund Charles Donovan, Executive Director, Center for Climate Finance & Investment, Imperial College London Mark Wightman, Partner, ASEAN Industry Leader, EY TBC, AIIB</p>
17:50 - 18:00	KEY TAKEAWAYS AND CLOSING