

“Green financing: Developments, Challenges and Opportunities in Eurasia” Conference

Date and time: February 13, 2024, 14.00 – 18.00 (GMT +6)

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Agenda

Time	Presentations	
14.00 – 14.10		Natalya Lim, Strategy& Partner and PwC Eurasia Advisory Leader <i>Opening remarks and Welcome speech</i>
14.10 – 14.15		Azamat Konratbaev, Country Managing Partner, PwC Kazakhstan <i>Welcome speech</i>
14.15 – 14.30		Madina Abylkassymova, Chairperson of ARDFM <i>On development of legislation on green financing in RK</i>
14.30 – 14.45	Survey	Natalya Lim, Strategy& Partner and PwC Eurasia Advisory Leader <i>Barriers and challenges to attracting green finance</i>
14.45 – 14.55		Andrew McDowell, Strategy& Partner <i>Current state and dynamics of green bond markets</i>
14.55 – 15.05		Maira Karassayeva, Principal Banker at EBRD in Kazakhstan <i>EBRD Perspective: Challenges and opportunities financing green projects in Kazakhstan</i>
15.05 – 15.15		Alina Aldambergen, Chairman of the Board at JSC “KASE” <i>Role of KASE in the promotion of ESG principles in the financial market</i>
15.15 – 15.50	Moderator: Speakers:	Panel discussion <i>Increasing green bond volume</i> Natalya Lim, Strategy& Partner and PwC Eurasia Advisory Leader Dauren Tasmagambetov, Advisor to the Chairman of the Board, Issuer and Investors Relations Head at JSC “KASE”, The process of issuing green bonds Sholpan Aynabayeva, Chairman of the Executive Board at JSC “SkyBridge Invest”, About the practical experience of issuing 'green' bonds for clients Dina Zhanadil, Managing director of JSC “Development Bank of Kazakhstan”, Commitment of the Development Bank of Kazakhstan to sustainable development Daniyar Kelbetov, Board Chairman of Green Finance Centre at AIFC, On AIFC's experience in the placement of green bonds
15.50 – 16.30	Coffee break	
16.30 – 16.40		Odilbek Isakov, CEO and Co-Founder, Infrasia Capital Ltd. <i>Evolution of Uzbekistan's sovereign Eurobonds: from conventional to green</i>
16.40 – 16.50		Abhishek Hegde, Private Sector Development Specialist, Asian Development Bank <i>ADB's Climate Financing Agenda in Central and West Asia</i>
16.50 – 17.00		Anita McBain, Head of EMEA ESG Research at Citi <i>COP28 Outcomes and Evolving Sustainable Investment Landscape</i>
17.00 – 17.10		Amanda Vainio, Co-Head of Sustainable Financing EMEA, MUFG <i>MUFG's leadership experience in issuing, underwriting and arranging green and sustainable loans and bonds</i>
17.10 – 17.40	Moderator: Speakers:	Panel discussion <i>Facilitating green financing by commercial banks</i> Murat Koshenov, Deputy Chairman of the Executive Board at JSC “Halyk Bank of Kazakhstan” Paul O'Connor, Head of EMEA Sustainable Finance at JP Morgan, Increasing green finance flow to the real economy - perspectives from the debt markets Adalyat Abdumanapova, ESG Team Lead in Central Asia and Turkey, IFC <i>ESG risk assessment as an important element of green financing and sustainability projects</i> Olga Vuros, Deputy Chairman of the Executive Board at JSC “Halyk Bank of Kazakhstan”, Bank's current practices, plans, and accomplishments in green finance Tereza Steflova, PwC Expert, Green banking products
17.40 – 17.55	Survey	Natalya Lim, Strategy& Partner and PwC Eurasia Advisory Leader <i>What level of green finance are you ready to attract?</i>
17.55 – 18.00		Natalya Lim, Strategy& Partner and PwC Eurasia Advisory Leader <i>Closing speech</i>