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PARTICIPANTS

Institutional Closing Session

Nadia Calviño



Nadia Calviño has been First Vice-President of the Government and Minister for Economic Affairs and Digital Transformation since January 2020. On 23 December 2021, she was appointed President of the International Monetary and Financial Committee (IMFC), the main advisory body of the Board of Governors of the International Monetary Fund (IMF), a position taken on for two years and which is compatible with her functions as minister and vice-president of the Spanish government. Nadia represents Spain before several international and EU financial institutions and has published many articles on subjects within her field of expertise.

Rodrigo Buenaventura



Rodrigo Buenaventura has been Chairman of the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV) since December 2020, member of the IOSCO Audit and Finance Committee (since April 2022), Chairman of the Market Integrity Standing Committee (MISC) since March 2021, Chairman of the Investor Protection and Intermediaries Standing Committee (IPISC) and Vice-Chairman of the Committee and of the International Organization of Securities Commissions (IOSCO) Sustainable Finance Task Force (since January 2021), member of the ESMA Board of Supervisors, member of the IOSCO Board, member of the IOSCO Presidents Committee, and member of the Standing Committee on Standards Implementation of the Financial Stability Board (FSB) since December 2020.

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Montserrat Martínez Parera



Montserrat Martínez Parera has been Vice-Chair of the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV) since December 2020, member of the IOSCO Audit and Finance Committee (since April 2021), Chair of the Coordination Network on Sustainability (CNS) of the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA) since February 2021, member of the ESMA Board of Supervisors, member of the Governing Council of the Bank of Spain and of the FROB Governing Committee, the Spanish Executive Resolution Authority and of the Board and the Technical Committee of the Macprudential Authority Financial Stability Board (AMCESFI) since December 2020.

MODERATORS

1st panel: The routes of decarbonisation and taxonomy, the two pillars of the European strategy

Helena Viñes Fiestas



Helena Viñes has been Board Member of the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV) since May 2021. Furthermore, Helena contributes towards sustainable finance from several areas at the international level: by belonging to the UN Secretary-General's High-level Expert Group (since April 2022), being a member of the Climate and Environment Advisory Council of the European Investment Bank (EIB) Group since 2021, and having worked two years as rapporteur on the EU's Platform on Sustainable Finance, after having spent another two years as member of the Technical Expert Group on Sustainable Finance, both established by the European Commission. Helena has almost 20 years of experience in sustainable finance and corporate sustainability. Helena worked 10 years for BNP Paribas, where she previously managed the ESG, policy and stewardship team (including proxy voting) of BNP Paribas Asset Management, and was Senior Policy Adviser of the BNP Paribas Group.

2nd panel: The future framework on reporting on sustainability

Eduardo Manso



Eduardo Manso has been Director of the Financial and Corporate Reporting Department of the Spanish National Securities Market Commission since 2014, his professional career developing in this field since 2007. Eduardo is a member of the Accountancy Board of the Spanish Accounting and Auditing Institute (ICAC). Among others, Eduardo performs the functions entrusted to the CNMV regarding account auditing and accounting of listed companies.

3rd panel: Towards more sustainable portfolio and funds

Víctor Rodríguez



Víctor Rodríguez has been General Director of the Policy and International Affairs Department of the Spanish National Securities Market Commission since 2015. Moreover, he is the technical secretary of the CNMV's Advisory Committee. Likewise, Víctor is a member of the Academic Board of the Foundation for Research on Law and Business (FIDE) and Co-director of its Financial Markets Forum.

SPEAKERS

1st panel: The routes of decarbonisation and taxonomy, the two pillars of the European strategy



José Luis Blasco

José Luis has been the Director of Global Sustainability in Acciona since 2019. He was a member of the Technical Expert Group on Sustainable Finance of the European Commission for two years. José Luis is a member of the Spanish Institute of Financial Analysts (IEAF) and of the socially responsible investment commission of the European Federation of Financial Analysts (EFFAS).



Lara Lázaro

Lara Lázaro is the Lead Researcher of the Elcano Royal Institute and Economic Theory professor at the Cardenal Cisneros Higher Education Centre. Lara has a PhD awarded by the London School of Economics (LSE) and completed a Master's Degree in Environmental Assessment and Evaluation at the same university. She has been a researcher of the Energy Climate Change Programme of the Elcano Royal Institute (2009-2011). Lara has been Director of the Master's Degree in Environmental Management at the IE University.



Mark Lewis

Mark Lewis is Head of Climate Research at Andurand Capital Management LLP. He is also a member of the Financial Stability Board's Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (FSB TCFD). Mark has 15 years of experience in sustainability strategies and research. Previously he was Head of Climate Change Research at BNP Paribas Asset Management.

SPEAKERS

2nd panel: The future framework on reporting on sustainability



María Dolores Urrea

María Dolores is Deputy General Director of Accounting Technique and Standardisation of the ICAC. She is a member of the Advisory Accounting Committee of the ICAC and secretary of the Accountancy Board of the ICAC. María Dolores has been working at the ICAC since 2005. She has participated in conferences regarding sustainable finance (EU Sustainability reporting standards setting).



Elena Valderrábano

Elena Valderrábano has been Global Chief Sustainability (ESG) Officer in Telefónica since July 2021. Previously she was Global Head of Corporate Ethics and Sustainability at Telefónica for almost 8 years (2014-2021). Elena had also been president of the Spanish Association of Sustainability and ESG Professionals (DIRSE).



Roberto Fernández Albendea

Roberto Fernández has been Director of Corporate Social Responsibility and Reputation at Iberdrola since July 2017. Most of his professional career has been at Iberdrola, where he has held major posts regarding the relation investor relations. Roberto has participated in events regarding corporate social responsibility.



Alberto Castilla Vida

Alberto Castilla is a Partner in the Area of Sustainability, EY España. He leads sustainability practices in Spain through projects within the fields of strategy, operations, reporting and auditing. Alberto periodically publishes articles related to sustainability. Last but not least, he has been a member of Solidarios Para El Desarrollo since 2015.

SPEAKERS

3rd panel: Towards more sustainable portfolio and funds



Elisa Ricón Holgueras

Elisa Ricón has been the General Director of the Spanish Association of Collective Investment Schemes and Pension Funds (INVERCO) since 2015. Similarly, she is a member of the CNMV's Advisory Committee, member of the Advisory Board of Insurances and Pension Funds (Ministry of Economy), Vice-Chair of the Standing Committee for Regulation of Management Companies of EFAMA, member of the Board of Directors of Pensions Europe, member of the Board of Directors of FIAFIN and of the Founding Board of FINRESP.



Íñigo Serrats Recarte

Íñigo Serrats is a Founder, Managing Partner and Portfolio Manager of Impact Bridge Asset Management. Íñigo is also ESG and Impact Investing professor at the IE University. He is also a member of the Sustainability Committee of CFA Society Spain, of the board of Faraday Venture Capital S.G.E.I.C, and a strategic partner of Faraday Venture Partners. Íñigo is an associate professor at CUNEF and CFA Society Spain. Previously he worked for Morgan Stanley, Robeco and was the person responsible for socially responsible investment in Caixa.



Pablo Hernández de la Merced

Pablo Hernández has been Director of the Sustainability Area at CaixaBank Asset Management since February 2022. He is also a member of the Management Committee. He has spent most of his professional career at Bankia, having joined one of the savings banks that gave rise to the group in 1998. He was executive director of Bankia Funds and previously commercial and product distribution director. Previously, he was legal advisor at the European Parliament for 3 years.



Lara Marín Fernández

Lara Marín has been Global Product Director at BBVA Asset Management since 2015. Lara is a member of the Board of Directors of BBVA AM, this grouping all the asset management activities of the Group worldwide. She is also a member of the Board of Directors of Luxembourgian investment firms BBVA Durbana International Funds, BBVA Nova Sicav and BBVA Tucuman Sicav.