



HELLENIC REPUBLIC  
CAPITAL MARKET COMMISSION

**AGENDA**

**HCMC PUBLIC CONFERENCE  
CLIMATE IN THE CENTER OF ECONOMY**

***Athens, 29 May 2024  
GRAND HYATT (Parthenon Hall)***

08:00-08:40	<b>REGISTRATION</b>	
08:40-09:30	<b>OPENING SPEECHES</b>	
08:40-08:50	<b>Welcome Speech</b>	<b>Vasiliki Lazarakou</b> , HCMC Chair
08:50-09:00	<b>Prospects of the Greek Economy</b>	<b>Kostis Hatzidakis</b> , Minister of Economy and Finance
09:00-09:10	<b>National Strategy on Climate</b>	<b>Alexandra Sdoukou</b> , Deputy Minister of Environment and Energy
09:10-09:15	<b>Recorded message: The Ministry's strategy for sustainable tourism development</b>	<b>Olga Kefalogianni</b> , Minister of Tourism
09:15-09:30	<b>Keynote speech: The powerful role of capital markets in transitioning the real economy towards more sustainable practices</b>	<b>Mairead McGuinness</b> , Commissioner, Financial services, financial stability and Capital Markets Union, European Commission
<b>CORPORATE SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING</b>		
09:30-09:45	<b>Keynote speech: IOSCO sustainability priorities and regulatory challenges</b>	<b>Jean Paul Servais</b> , Chair of IOSCO Board/Chair of FSMA Belgium
09:45-10:05	<b>Fireside chat: From standards development to implementation - road mapping the implementation of the ISSB standards</b>	<b>Jean Paul Servais</b> , Chair of FSMA Belgium/Chair of IOSCO Board  <b>Emmanuel Faber</b> , Chair of the International Sustainability Standards Board
10:05-10:20	<b>Keynote Speech: Capital Markets and the Greek economy</b>	<b>Kyriakos Mitsotakis</b> , Prime Minister of Greece

10:20-11:00	<b>Panel: Jurisdictional approaches to Sustainability Reporting - opportunities and challenges</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Rodrigo Buenaventura</b>, Chair of CNMV Spain/Chair of IOSCO Sustainable Finance Task Force</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>João Pedro Nascimento</b>, Chairman of the Comissão de Valores Mobiliários, Brazil  <b>Julia Leung</b>, CEO of the Hong Kong Securities and Futures Commission  <b>Toshiyuki MIYOSHI</b>, Vice Commissioner for International Affairs, Japan FSA  <b>Richard Metcalfe</b>, World Federation of Exchanges, Head of Regulatory Affairs</p>
11:00-11:10	<b>BREAK</b>	
11:10-11:25	<b>Keynote speech: The role of ESG in building an effective Capital Markets Union</b>	<b>Verena Ross</b> , ESMA Chair
11:25-12:05	<b>Panel: The key role of corporate governance and ethics in achieving sustainability; the importance of the external assurance in enhancing trust and confidence in ESG disclosures</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Tajinder Singh</b>, IOSCO Acting Secretary General</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Gabriela Figueiredo Dias</b>, Chair of the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants  <b>Carmin Di Noia</b>, Director for Financial and Enterprise Affairs, OECD  <b>Nezha Hayat</b>, Chairperson of the Moroccan Capital Market Authority  <b>Joseph Longo</b>, Chair of ASIC Australia</p>
<b>TRANSITION PLANS AND FINANCING; CONSIDERATIONS AND CHALLENGES</b>		
12:05-12:20	<b>Keynote Speech: Transition in the global economy – The role of transition plan disclosures for capital markets</b>	<b>Mary Schapiro</b> , Vice Chair Glasgow Financial Alliance for NetZero; Vice Chair for Global Public Policy at Bloomberg
12:20-12:35	<b>Keynote speech: Industry perspective on green transition and challenges</b>	<b>Evangelos G. Mytilineos</b> , President of Association Européenne des Metaux (Eurometaux), Chair and CEO of MYTILINEOS Energy & Metals

12:35-13:15	<b>Panel: How can new financial products accelerate the transition to a more sustainable economy? Sustainability - Linked Bonds and ESG Funds</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Paul Andrews</b>, Managing Director for Research, Advocacy, &amp; Standards at CFA Institute</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Mohamed Farid Saleh</b>, IOSCO Vice Chair, Executive Chairman of the Financial Regulatory Authority (FRA), Egypt  <b>Derville Rowland</b>, Deputy Governor, Consumer and Investor Protection, CBI  <b>Nicholas Pfaff</b>, Deputy CEO and Head of Sustainable Finance, ICMA  <b>Phoebe Koundouri</b>, Professor in Economics at Athens University of Economics and Business &amp; Technical University of Denmark, President EAERE, Chair SDSN Global Climate Hub</p>
13:15-13:35	<b>Fireside chat: Green transition and competitiveness, the industry perspective; financing of the green transition and the role of RRF</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b> <b>Maria Nikoltsiou, Journalist</b></p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Nikos Papathanasis</b>, Alternate Minister of National Economy and Finance  <b>Dimitris Papalexopoulos</b>, Chair of SEV Hellenic Federation of Enterprises, Chairman of TITAN Cement International.</p>
13:35-14:15	<b>Panel: Transition plans and pathway to sustainable investments; investor protection challenges, including the risk of greenwashing</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Jeanne Stampe</b>, Singapore MAS</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Grant Vingoe</b>, Chief Executive Officer, Ontario Securities Commission  <b>Ruairi O'Connell</b>, UK FCA, Director of International  <b>Urban Funered</b>, CEO of the Swedish Securities Markets Association  <b>Claudia Gonzalez Cabanillas</b>, JP Morgan, Head of EMEA Regulatory Affairs</p>
14:15-15:00	<b>LUNCH</b>	
15:00-15:15	<b>Keynote Speech: Climate issues from a U.S. perspective</b>	<b>Rostin Behnam</b> , CFTC Chairman

15:15-15:50	<b>Panel: Climate Change and finance mitigation activities: The role of VCMs; the role of DLT and tokenization in VCMs</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b> Kris Nathanail, IOSCO Chief of Staff</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Astrid Ludin</b>, Deputy Commissioner, FSCA (South Africa)  <b>Ana Fiorella Carvajal</b>, Lead Financial Sector Economist, World Bank Group  <b>Gordon Bennett</b>, Managing Director, Utility Markets Intercontinental Exchange (ICE)</p>
15:50-16:30	<b>Digital Finance, Fintech and crypto assets: Supervision challenges and experiences</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Christopher Buttigieg</b>, MFSA Malta, Chief Officer Supervision</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Caroline D. Pham</b>, CFTC Commissioner  <b>Carlo Comporti</b>, CONSOB Commissioner  <b>Lim Tuang Lee</b>, Assistant Managing Director for capital markets at MAS Singapore/ Chair of IOSCO Fintech Task Force  <b>John Georgoulas</b>, Non- Executive Director at ECOMMBX, Former Board Member of Cysec</p>
16:30-16:55	<b>Panel: Financial Stability – mitigating risks from NBFIs and transition challenges</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Christos Gortsos</b>, Professor of Public Financial Law, Member of ESMA Board of Appeal</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Michael Pedroni</b>, ICI Global, Investment Company Institute  <b>Constantin Cotzias</b>, European Director, Bloomberg LP</p>
16:55-17:00	<b>The Capital Markets Union as a catalyst to strengthen Europe's competitiveness</b>	<b>Ioannis Tsakiris</b> , Vice President, EIB
<b>IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON ECONOMY &amp; SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT</b>		
17:00-17:20	<b>Fireside Chat: The Greek banking sector and the growth of the Greek economy; the upgrade of the Greek market and its potential</b>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Yianos Kontopoulos</b>, CEO of Athens Exchange</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Christos Megalou</b>, CEO of Pireaus Bank  <b>Alex Patelis</b>, Chief Economic Adviser to the Prime Minister of Greece</p>

17:20-17:35	<b>Keynote speech: Climate change: Challenges &amp; Central Banks actions</b>	<b>Yannis Stournaras</b> , Governor of the Bank of Greece
17:35-17:55	<b>Fireside Chat: Financing of the green transition</b>	<b>Moderator</b> <b>Nikos Filippidis</b> , Journalist  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Vassilis Psaltis</b> , CEO of Alpha Bank <b>Andreas Shiamishis</b> , CEO of HELLENIQ ENERGY
17:55-18:15	<b>Fireside Chat: ESG Criteria for the financing of the non- financial sector</b>	<b>Moderator</b> <b>Evgenia Tzortzi</b> , Journalist  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Ernestos Panayiotou</b> , General Manager Transformation, Strategy & International Activities of National Bank of Greece <b>Panagiotis Skiadas</b> , Senior Sustainability Director of VIOHALCO
18:15-18:45	<b>Fireside Chat: Sustainable development and climate change challenges; Sustainability in several sectors of economy, including the financial sector, tourism and transportation industry and the challenges going forward</b>	<b>Moderator</b> <b>Michalis Kefalogiannis</b> , Chairman of the Athens International Airport  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Marinos Giannopoulos</b> , CEO of Enterprise Greece <b>Haris Lambropoulos</b> , President of Hellenic Development Bank of Investments S.A. (HDBI) <b>Fotis Kourmouzis</b> , Executive Member of the Hellenic Financial Stability Fund
18:45-19:15	<b>Panel: Sustainability trends in investments: Building a resilient and equitable economy by addressing climate change, biodiversity loss and other climate related risks</b>	<b>Moderator</b> <b>Anastasia Stamou</b> , Vice Chair, HCMC  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Nikolaos Karamouzis</b> , Chairman of the SMERemedium CAP <b>Apostolos Tamvakakis</b> , Founder and Managing Partner of EOS Capital Partners <b>Andreas Papandreou</b> , Professor of Environmental Economics Department at the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

19:15-19:55	<p><b>Panel: The importance of ESG mainly for the fund and investment firms' industry: Challenges in connection with the climate crisis; Client preferences for sustainability</b></p>	<p><b>Moderator</b>  <b>Michael Fekkas</b>, First Vice Chair, HCMC</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>George Theocharides</b>, Chair of CySec Cyprus  <b>Charikleia Apalagaki</b>, General Director of the Hellenic Bank Association  <b>Chris Aesopos</b>, Chairman of the Hellenic Fund &amp; Asset Management Association  <b>Spyridon Kyritsis</b>, Chairman, Association of Brokers of the Athens Stock Exchange  <b>Giannis Papadopoulos</b>, Chair of the Hellenic Venture Capital Association, Senior Partner, EOS Capital Partners</p>
19:55-20:30	<p><b>Panel: "Putting the S in ESG" - The role of diversity in the Economy and especially in the Financial Sector;</b></p>	<p><b>Moderator</b> <b>Vasiliki Lazarakou</b>, Chair, HCMC, Chair of IOSCO Diversity Network</p> <p><b>Speakers</b>  <b>Christina Papakonstantinou</b>, Deputy Governor of the Bank of Greece  <b>Sophia Efraimoglou</b>, President of the Athens Commerce and Industry,  <b>Stavros Ioannou</b>, Deputy CEO of Eurobank  <b>Eleni Vrettou</b>, CEO of Attica Bank  <b>Anastasia Stamou</b>, Vice Chair, HCMC</p>