



BUILDING BRIDGES

Aligning finance with sustainability

BUILDING BRIDGES PROGRAM 2022

3-6 October, 2022



October 3, 2022

15:30 -
16:00
CET

Welcome



Patrick Odier
President,
Building Bridges



Ueli Maurer
Swiss Federal
Councillor



Rebeca Grynspan
Secretary-General,
UNCTAD

16:00 -
17:15
CET

Is Finance Transitioning Quickly Enough to Meet Climate Imperatives?



Nathan Sussman
Director, SL4SF; Professor
International Economics,
Geneva Graduate Institute
(Moderator)



René Nicolodi
Director, Head of Equities & Themes
in Asset Management, ZKB
(Introduction)



Sabine Magri
COO, UBS
Switzerland



Sergio P. Ermotti
Chairman Board of
Directors, Swiss Re



Patricia Danzi
Director General,
SDC



Christoph Aeschlimann
CEO, Swisscom

17:45 -
17:55
CET

Leveraging Economic Development for Social Justice



Helene Budliger Artieda
Swiss State Secretary, SECO

18:00-
18:45
CET

How can Finance Support a Far-reaching Just Transition to Sustainable Development?



Nick Robins

Professor in Practice for Sustainable Finance,
Grantham Research Institute, LSE
(Moderator)



Karin Reiter,

Global Head of ESG
& Sustainability,
Adecco



Vic Van Vuuren,

Director
Enterprises
Department, ILO



Veronika Giusti Keller

Head of Impact Management,
BlueOrchard

18:50-
19:10
CET

In Discussion with Philipp Hildebrand



Philipp Hildebrand

Vice Chairman,
BlackRock



Tanya König

Moderator & Journalist

19:15
CET

Welcome Cocktail Offered by Swiss Authorities

9:00
CET

Welcome Address (Video Message)



Al Gore

Former Vice President of the United States and Chairman of Generation Investment Management

9:00-
9:45
CET

Finance for Nature: Strengthening Standards, Data, Disclosure and Innovation for Biodiversity



Sonja Gibbs

Managing Director & Head of Sustainable Finance, IIF (Moderator)



Antoine Sire

Head of Company Engagement, BNP Paribas (Introduction)



Vian Sharif

Founder, NatureAlpha; Group Head of Sustainability, FNZ



Emma Crystal

Chief Sustainability Officer, Credit Suisse



Margaret L. Kulhow

Global Finance Practice Leader, WWF International

9:50-
10:40
CET

Innovation in Sovereign Debt Management



Ugo Panizza

Professor International Economics, Geneva Graduate Institute (Moderator)



Mary-Thérèse Barton

Head of Emerging Debt, Pictet



Beatrice Weder di Mauro

President, CEPR



Marcello M. Estevao

Global Director, Macroeconomics, Trade & Investment Global Practice, World Bank

11:00
12:10
CET

Agriculture, Food, Land Use : The Emerging New Reality



Eva Zabey
Executive Director,
Business for Nature
(Moderator)



Hubert Keller
Senior Managing Partner,
Lombard Odier
(Introduction)



Maria Lettini
Executive Director,
FAIRR



Johnny el Hachem
Head Private Equity,
Edmond de
Rothschild



David Nabarro
Strategic Director,
4SD; Special Envoy
for COVID-19, WHO



Rob Cameron
VP, Global Head of
Public Affairs and
ESG Engagement,
Nestlé



Louise Mabulo
Founder, Cacao Project

12:15-
13:00
CET

In Discussion with Emmanuel Faber and Paul Polman, Closing Discussion



Emmanuel Faber
Chairman, ISSD



Paul Polman
Business leader, climate
and equality
campaigner, co-author
of "Net Positive"



Tanya König
Moderator & Journalist

13:00
CET

Networking Lunch

4 October 2022

14H00-15H30 CET

CICG Room F	BlueImpact: Driving Capital to Blue SMEs <i>Ocean Assets Institute / UNDP / UNEP / ADB / BlueImpact</i>
CICG Workshop room 14	Shaping the Relationship Between Banks and Philanthropic Organisations <i>CA Indosuez</i>
CICG Room A	Investing for Change in Africa <i>UNDP</i>
CICG Room B	The Urgent Case for Inclusive Growth <i>UBS</i>
CICG Room D	The Journey to Net Zero: Deep-dive into the Net-Zero Alliances <i>PRI / UNEP FI</i>
CICG Room C	Markets for Nature: A Global Index for Biodiversity <i>E4S / Center and Crowther Lab (ETH)</i>
CICG Room E	Skin in the Impact Game: Building and Evaluating Sustainable Ventures <i>Geneva Angel Investor Network (GAIN) / TBH Global Family Office</i>

16H00-17H30 CET

CICG Room F	Beyond the Hype: Blockchain Infrastructure and Communities for the Global Goals <i>Cardano Foundation</i>
CICG Room C	Climate Crisis: THE Economic Opportunity of the 21st Century <i>ZKB</i>
CICG Room B	What it means to be Green? A Discussion about Greenwashing Transparency and the Purpose of Regulation <i>OBERSON ABELS SA</i>
CICG Room D	Valuing Water: Engaging for Systemic Change <i>Pictet / UNICEF / CERES</i>
CICG Room E	Rethinking Financial Valuations- The Integration of Sustainability Considerations <i>IISD</i>

16H00-18H30 CET

CICG Room A	Innovative Blended Finance Solutions for Impact <i>SECO / Swiss Sustainable Finance / SDG Impact Finance Initiative</i>
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5 October 2022

9H00-10H30 CET

CICG
Workshop room 14

Is Your Portfolio Heating Up or Cooling Down the Planet?
AGEFI / FMP Formation

CICG
Room A

Net-Zero Initiatives and Forward-looking Methodologies: The Transition Way in Finance
Swiss Bankers Association / Fondation Genève Place Financière

CICG
Room B

Biodiversity Credits and a Market for Nature
Credit Suisse

CICG
Room E

Biodiversity Footprinting of Portfolio: How to Scale It Up?
BioPerf.biz / BL évolution / UICN

CICG
Room D

Sustainable Investing: Assessing Socio-economic Impacts of Exchanged-traded Funds
Observatoire de la finance / University of Fribourg / Gdansk University of Technology

CICG
Room F

The State of Impact Funds in Emerging Markets
Tameo Impact Fund Solutions

CICG
Room C

Insuring Nature to Reduce Risks – Risk-transfer Solutions for Coral Reefs
UNDP

11H00-12H30 CET

CICG
Room A

Nature Finance - The Next Wave
NatureFinance

CICG
Room C

Aligning Profits and Sustainability in Latin America and the Caribbean
UNDP / AlphaMundi Group

CICG
Workshop room 14

Demystifying Risk to SDG Investments in African Markets: Spotlight Ghana & Kenya
Ground_Up Project / SDG Lab / Swiss Embassy in Kenya / Nairobi International Financial Center / Ghana Investment Promotion Center / Financial Centers For Sustainability

CICG
Room D

Next Generation: Financing Future Climate Solutions
EFG Bank / Eurizon / Julius Bär

CICG
Room F

Helping Institutional Investors Build a European Impact PE Portfolio in Partnership with an EU Agency
CPEG / AlphaMundi Group / EIF

CICG
Room E

Fighting Off Blended Finance “Bad Press” with New Transformative Financing Models
R20 Foundation / Pegasus / Capital Advisor / Gold Standard / IUCN / Green Climate Fund

CICG
Room B

Plastics Circularity : The Role of Finance in Finding Solutions through the Plastics Value Chain
Lombard Odier

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CICG Room D	Measuring Human Rights for Investors <i>Geneva Center for Business and Human Rights / Université de Genève</i>
CICG Room A	Disclosing Climate: From International Sustainability Standards to the Swiss Climate Scores <i>Asset Management Association Switzerland</i>
CICG Room C	Invest in Peace through Water: The Blue Peace Financing Initiative is Innovative Sustainable Finance in Action <i>Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC) / the United Nations Capital Development Fund (UNCDF) / the Gambia River Basin Development Organization</i>
CICG Workshop room 14	Sustainable Investing 4.0: Big Data and AI for Maximal Impacts <i>ZHAW / Swiss Sustainable Finance</i>
CICG Room E	Commercial Financing Unlocked for Sustainable MSME Trade in Developing Countries <i>International Trade Center / Trade & Development Fund / CRDB / NMB Banks</i>
CICG Room B	Sustainable Infrastructure: New Investment Opportunities <i>UBP</i>
CICG Room F	Guidance on Impact Investing in Listed Equities <i>Global Impact Investing Network</i>

16H00-17H30 CET

CICG Workshop room 14	Building a Sustainable Finance Marketplace: How New Standards of Non Financial Reporting (EU Taxonomy) Will Impact Financial Products and Stock Market Exchanges <i>SWISOX</i>
CICG Room B	TNFD as a Solution to Address Biodiversity Risks and Dependencies <i>Swiss Sustainable Finance / Swiss Federal Office for the Environment</i>
CICG Room C	Accelerate2030 meets Geneva: Unlocking Financing for the Missing Middle <i>Impact Hub Geneva / InTent / Impact for Breakfast / Baraka Impact Finance / Cardano foundation</i>
CICG Room D	Energy Transition : From Global to Local <i>BCEG / Liontrust International</i>
CICG Room E	Regenerative Finance – Web3 for Climate Action <i>Climate Collective / Celo</i>
CICG Room F	Remittances as a Financial Tool for Impact Investments and Impact Entrepreneurship <i>4IP Group / Geneva Graduate Institute / Abrod</i>

16H00-18H30 CET

CICG Room A	Gender Equality in the Financial Industry: Quo Vadis? <i>GLIS / SFG / Alphamundi / UN Women / OXFAM / World Bank / ACP</i>
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18H00-20H00 CET

CICG Room B	The Territory: Movie Screening and Discussion <i>Nature Finance / Green Digital Finance Alliance / E4S / Sustainable Finance Geneva / WBCSD</i>
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6 October 2022

9H00-10H30 CET

CICG Room B	Social Impact Real Estate: Moving Beyond Green Building <i>Edmond de Rothschild</i>
CICG Room F	Commercially Scalable Global Health Solutions: Business Models and Co-Investment Partnerships to Drive Success <i>Baraka Impact Finance / Impact Hub Geneva</i>
CICG Workshop room 14	It Takes Three to Tango <i>The Impact Office / World Economic Forum (Uplink)</i>
CICG Room E	Impact Investment in Times of Crisis <i>Swiss Impact Investment Association / POP Movement / Impact Investment Solutions</i>
CICG Room C	From Why to How: Investing in the Transition through Public and Private Markets <i>BlackRock</i>
CICG Room D	Finance in a New World <i>J. Safra Sarasin / Mirabaud Group / Reyl Innovative Banking / Asteria Investment Managers</i>
CICG Room A	Leading Sustainability from the Boardroom <i>B Lab Switzerland / InTent / Swiss Boards for Agenda 2030</i>

11H00-12H30 CET

CICG Room F	Digitization Trends & Opportunities in Emerging Markets <i>Seedstars</i>
CICG Room E	The Sanitation Economy: Where 'Investment and Impact' Meet <i>The Sanitation and Hygiene Fund (UNOPS) / Toilet Board Coalition</i>
CICG Room C	Financing Climate Adaptation and Disaster Risk Reduction in Emerging Markets and Developing Economies <i>World Bank Group</i>
CICG Room B	Finance as a Driver of Peace <i>Sustainable Finance Geneva / ICRC / Geneva Graduate Institute</i>
CICG Room D	Infrastructure for Impact Accountability: Towards Standards for Quality Impact Reporting <i>BlueMark</i>
CICG Room A	Engagement as a Means to Impact the Real Economy <i>Foundation Ethos</i>
CICG Workshop room 14	Digital transformation – Risks and Opportunities for a Holistic Approach to Sustainable Finance <i>SDG Lab / IISD / CyberPeace Institute</i>

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14H00-15H30 CET

CICG Room E	All Along the Green, Social & Sustainability Bonds Investment value Chain <i>Symbiotics</i>
CICG Room B	Re-thinking Finance <i>Club of Rome / Incitare</i>
CICG Room A	Investing in a Just Transition <i>Impact Investing Institute / ILO / BlueOrchard</i>
CICG Room F	Responsible Investment in Tech <i>Human Technology Foundation (HTF)</i>
CICG Room C	Ecosystem Restoration: the Next Frontier of Environmental Investing <i>BNP Paribas</i>
CICG Room D	Can Data Save US from Greenwashing? <i>Barclays / Capital Group / KPMG / RepRisk</i>

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CICG Room F	Step by Step Guide to Natural Language Processing: Extract ESG Sentiment from Company Reports <i>RAM Active Investments</i>
CICG Room E	The Criticality of Building Resilience against Physical Climate Risks <i>CelsiusPro / HOLCIM</i>
CICG Room D	Implementing Sustainability n Wealth Management <i>Association of Swiss Private Banks</i>
CICG Room C	Sustainability and Impact Measurement and Reporting: Where do We Stand? <i>Geneva Graduate Institute / SL4SF / IFC / Geneva Finance Research Institute</i>
CICG Room A	Billions to Trillions – The Financial Opportunity of Building the Digital Bridge <i>Equity4Humanity / Artha / Geneva Centre for Security Policy / Accenture IDE4 (CERN)</i>
CICG Room B	How Big Platforms Develop Green Digital User Journeys <i>Green Digital Finance Intelligence</i>



BUILDING BRIDGES VILLAGE

4 October 2022

15H30-16H00 CET

CICG
Village Area

Pitch: Giga
an initiative by UNICEF and ITU

17H30-19H00 CET

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Networking Cocktail
Sponsored by Cardano Foundation

5 October 2022

10H30-11H00 CET

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Pitch: SDG World Tour
SDG Impact Stories

12H30-14H00 CET

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Building Bridges Networking Lunch
Sponsored by Credit Suisse and Lombard Odier

15H30-16H00 CET

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Pitch: Small Business Champions Winners
a joint program between the WTO, ITC, and ICC

17H30-18H30 CET

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Networking Cocktail
Organised by Innovate4Nature

18H30-19H00 CET

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Networking Cocktail
Organised by Gender Lens Initiative for Switzerland (GLIS)



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6 October 2022

10H30-11H00 CET

CICG
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Pitch: Sustainable Finance Hack 2022
by Open Geneva and the Geneva School of Economics & Management

12H30-14H00 CET

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Building Bridges Networking Lunch
Sponsored by Pictet and UBS

13H00-14H00 CET

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Networking Session: Accelerate 2030 Entrepreneurs
by Accelerate 2030

17H30-18H30 CET

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Building Bridges Closing Cocktail
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