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## Sustainable Finance

9-11-2018 11:45 a.m.

**Jean Hilgers**, Director of the National Bank of Belgium and President of the Belgian Financial Forum has the honour of inviting you to the colloquium on “Sustainable Finance” of the Belgian Financial Forum.

**Date:** Friday 9 November 2018

**Venue:** National Bank of Belgium Auditorium  
Warmoesberg 61 - rue Montagne aux Herbes Potagères 61  
1000 Brussels

### Programme

- 11.45 Registration + Sandwich lunch
- 13.00 **Jean Hilgers**, President of the Belgian Financial Forum, Executive Director at the National Bank of Belgium – keynote address
- 13.30 **Jean-Pascal van Ypersele**, Université catholique de Louvain, Earth and Life Institute (ELI) Georges Lemaître Centre for Earth and Climate Research (TECLIM)  
Challenges from climate change and the necessary transition
- 14.00 **Christian Thimann**, Chair of the EC High-Level Group on Sustainable Finance  
**Martin Spolc**, Head of Unit Capital Markets Union, DG FISMA, European Commission
- 14.45 **Don Gerritsen**, Head of Benelux at United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment UNPRI
- 15.15 Coffee Break
- 15.45 Panel discussion chaired by **Pascale Forde-Maurice**, Sustainable Banking at Credit Agricole CIB
- **Jean-Marc Turchini**, Head of Corporate Finance ENGIE
  - **Tom Van den Berghe**, ICT & CSR Manager Febelfin
  - **Wim Vermeir**, Chief Investment Officer AG Insurance
  - **Joris Laenen**, Managing Director of Belfius Investment Partners (BIP)
  - **Wim Van Hyfte**, Global Head of Responsible Investments and Research at Candriam
  - **Jean Deboutte**, director strategy Belgian Debt Agency
- 16.45 **Frank Elderson**, Executive Director De Nederlandsche Bank DNB and chair of the Netherlands Platform for Sustainable Finance – closing keynote
- 17.15 **Johan Van Overtveldt** – Minister of Finance, Belgium - closing remarks
- 17.30 End

Please note that the programme is subject to change.

## **Practical information**

Date: Friday 9 November 2018, welcome as from 11.45 a.m., start of colloquium at 13 p.m.

Venue: National Bank of Belgium's Auditorium, Warmoesberg / rue Montagne aux Herbes Potagères 61, Brussels

Language: presentations will be given in English; there will be no simultaneous translation.

Participation fee: 125 € incl. a copy of the 'Revue bancaire et financière/ Bank- en Financiewezen containing the proceedings of the colloquium

Online registration: [Click here](#)

Attendance: a certificate of attendance amounting to 6 units will be delivered by post

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