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SPEAKER GUIDE
Adam Wolfensohn
Adam is Co-Managing Partner of Encourage Capital, a firm working to solve problems like global fisheries decline and climate change. He has also produced the climate change documentary, “Everything’s Cool,” that debuted at the Sundance Film Festival in 2007. He is a Trustee of the Brooklyn Academy of Music, Yad Hanadiv, Rockefeller Philanthropy Advisors and Bang on a Can. He is a member of the investment committee of Rockefeller Brothers Fund and is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations.

Adam Jagelewski
Adam leads the Capital Advisory practice as well as the day-to-day operations of the MaRS Centre for Impact Investing. Adam has spent most of his career in the social impact field in Canada. Since 2009, Adam has been contributing to national and international market development initiatives in the field of impact investment. Adam was behind the scenes of the Canadian Task Force on Social Finance in 2010, helped create the Centre for Impact Investing at MaRS in 2011, and has supported several non-profit organizations with non-traditional financing arrangements throughout his current tenure at MaRS. Prior to joining MaRS, Adam was a consultant for PwC, specializing in nonprofit performance management as well as Aboriginal community investment.

Adva Saldinger
Adva Saldinger is an associate editor at Devex, where she covers the intersection of business and international development as well as U.S. foreign aid policy. From impact investing and innovative finance to trade and social entrepreneurship, she enjoys exploring the role the private sector and private capital play in development. A journalist with more than 10 years’ experience, Adva has worked at several newspapers in the U.S. and has lived in both Ghana and South Africa.
Al Gore

Former Congressman, Senator and Vice President Al Gore is the co-founder and chairman of Generation Investment Management, and the founder and chairman of The Climate Reality Project, a nonprofit devoted to solving the climate crisis. He is also a best-selling author and the subject of the Oscar-winning documentary movie “An Inconvenient Truth”. In 2007, Gore was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize along with the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change for “informing the world of the dangers posed by climate change.”

Alejandro Preusche

A Vice-Chair and Global Ambassador of the GSG, Alejandro began his career in private equity and venture capital in South America in 2003 and began developing high social impact enterprises in 2006, attracting major investors such as the IFC and JPMorgan. Alejandro’s own enterprise Almado aims to deepen the involvement of businesses in the reduction of poverty through greater collaboration with other stakeholders. Currently Almado is collaborating with the City of Buenos Aires in a $450 million slum integration project.

Allie Burns

Allie serves as the Managing Director at Village Capital, bringing more than 16 years of experience working with entrepreneurs and innovators at the intersection of tech and social change. She previously served as a senior executive at Revolution and the Case Foundation, the venture capital firm and private family foundation created by former AOL executives Jean and Steve Case. Allie is a graduate of Boston University and holds an MBA from Thunderbird School of Global Management.
Amel Karboul  
Former Minister of Tourism of Tunisia. H.E. Dr. Amel Karboul is a social entrepreneur, chairwoman, author and one of the leading young politicians in Africa. Having held several senior leadership roles in companies such as Mercedes-Benz and DaimlerChrysler, she is currently the CEO of the Education Outcomes Fund for Africa and the Middle East, and the Commissioner of the International Commission on Financing Global Education Opportunity.

Amit Bhatia  
Amit is the inaugural CEO of GSG since 2017, an independent multilateral, catalysing impact investment and entrepreneurship to benefit people and the planet through eco-system development. An alumnus of Shri Ram College of Commerce and Delhi School of Economics, Amit quit a successful corporate career in 2007, to become an award-winning social entrepreneur. Amit has been Founder of McKinsey Knowledge Center; Founding CEO of WNS Knowledge Services; Founder & Chair of Aspire, a social enterprise in Education; and, Founding CEO of India’s Impact Investors Council.

Amit Bouri  
Amit Bouri is the CEO and co-founder of the Global Impact Investing Network (GIIN). His work in impact investing began when he was a strategy consultant with the Monitor Institute, where he was part of the team that produced the Investing for Social & Environmental Impact report, whilst also being involved in strategic planning and organizational development work for non-profit organizations and foundations.
**Amitabh Kant**

Amitabh is currently CEO at NITI Aayog (National Institution for Transforming India). He is a member of the Indian Administrative Service (IAS) and was till recently Secretary, Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion. He is the author of “Branding India – An Incredible Story” and has been a key driver of several award-winning campaigns that positioned and branded India and Kerala State as leading tourism destinations. Amitabh has worked as Chairman & CEO at the Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corporation, and has held several high-level government and managing positions.

**Andreas Eggenberg**

Andreas is currently the Chairman of Masisa, one of Latin America’s leading forestry and wood panel providers; and the Chairman of Grupo Ecos, a pioneer impact investor in Latin America. He is also a Board Member of both VIVA Trust and VIVA Idea, and of Solarcentury, a leading solar energy company. Andreas is a member of two GSG Task Forces, one to establish a Regional Advisory Council for Central America, and the other to create the Latin American Impact Investing Fund of Funds.

**Andrew Kuper**

Dr Andrew Kuper is an award-winning entrepreneur, investor and author. He founded LeapFrog Investments in 2007 and serves as CEO. Today, LeapFrog has attracted over $1 billion in commitments from investors, and its companies serve 111 million people and support over 114,626 jobs across 33 countries. In 2017, LeapFrog was named by Fortune as one of the top 5 Companies to Change the World whilst President Clinton has recognised him for “opening up new frontiers for alternative investment”.

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**SPEAKERS**
**Angélica Zegers**

With years of experience as a corporate lawyer specialised in finance, Angélica became an advisor to the Minister of Social Development of Chile in 2010, focusing on promoting civil society solutions to social problems. In 2014, Angélica led a project at the Inter-American Development Bank with the aim of creating an impact investing ecosystem in Chile. This initiative led Angélica to found Fundación Impacta, a non-profit that seeks to build the market and create an impact investment ecosystem in Chile.

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**Ankit Agarwal**

Ankit is the founder of Kanpur Flowercycling Pvt. Ltd, a social enterprise that owns the brand Helpusgreen. Ankit was awarded the UNEP, Centre for Environment Education ‘Unsung Heroes’ Award and has won the Wharton India Economic Forum People’s choice Award 2017, Tie Global Spirit of Manufacturing Award for Social Impact, and the prestigious Abby Gold 2016. Ankit has worked on sustainability projects across 26 countries and was selected amongst the 21 young leaders for extraordinary skills by the Asia Society. He is an Acumen, UnLtd fellow and a GAP Changemaker. Ankit received his bachelor’s degree in Computer Engineering followed by a master’s in Innovation Management from SIBM. He has worked at Symantec Corporation as an automation scientist, has published 17 research papers, and holds a patent.
Anna Snider
Anna Snider is a Managing Director and Due Diligence Business Executive for the Global Wealth & Investment Management (GWIM), a division of Bank of America Corporation. In this role, she leads the due diligence team and is responsible for managing research across asset classes. She also defines and executes investment strategies focusing on impact strategy research, thought leadership and investment implementation.

Antonio Miguel
Antonio is the founder of MAZE, an impact investment firm based in Portugal. At MAZE, he manages the capital advisory services, structured four social impact bonds in Portugal, provided technical advisory to the creation of Portugal Inovação Social (the €150m social investment wholesaler) and leads the technical work of the Portuguese Social Investment Taskforce as part of the GSG. Antonio holds a MsC in Business Administration from Católica Lisbon and is a Global Shaper of the World Economic Forum.

Anubha Shrivastava
Anubha is the CIO for LGT Impact Investment Advisors. Prior to this, she was a Managing Director and Member of Management Committee at the CDC Group where she managed the Asian private equity portfolio. Anubha moved to CDC from Performance Equity Management, where she headed the London office and was responsible the European portfolio. Prior to PEM, Anubha was based in New York with General Motors Asset Management’s Private Equity Group.
Arastoo Khan

Arastoo Khan is Additional Secretary, Economic Relations Division of the Ministry of Finance, Government of Bangladesh. He is also the Focal Point for Pilot Program on Climate Resilience (PPCR) for Bangladesh. A graduate of John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, he spent 10 years at Finance Division, serving as the Deputy Secretary, Joint Secretary and Additional Secretary in the Finance Division. He was responsible for formulating the National Budget of Bangladesh for over five years. He is responsible for all International Development Association (IDA) credit support to Bangladesh along with major interventions in water, power, education and local government sectors.

Ashish Dhawan

Ashish Dhawan is Founder and Chairman of Central Square Foundation (CSF) and a Founding Member of the prestigious Ashoka University. Prior to this, he worked for twenty years in the investment management business and ran one of India’s leading private equity funds, ChrysCapital. In June 2012, he left his full-time role at ChrysCapital to start CSF, a venture philanthropy fund and policy think tank focused on improving school education and learning outcomes of children from low-income communities in India.

Athena YU

Athena YU is Executive Director of Binance Blockchain Charity Foundation (BCF), a non-for-profit foundation that aims to empower people in poverty by leveraging blockchain technology. She is also Co-Founder of the Made in Africa Initiative which is a professional NGO advising African government for industrialization and social development. She has successfully facilitated several infrastructure and industrial investment projects in Africa.
SPEAKERS

Audrey Selian
Audrey Selian currently serves as Director of the Artha Initiative. She is founder of ArthaPlatform.com, an impact investment platform designed to tackle the information asymmetries and economics of due diligence around high impact, small scale SMEs/SGBs. Through its associated vehicle Artha Networks Inc., the platform tool has been licensed for Latin America by the Inter-American Development Bank. Audrey also currently serves as a trustee for several non-profit organizations whilst being a board member in several for-profits.

Aunnie Patton Power
Aunnie is the founder of Intelligent Impact, an advisor to the Bertha Centre for Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship at the University of Cape Town and an Associate Fellow at the Saïd School of Business. In these roles, she consults to a broad range of organisations, and researches and lectures on social finance and impact investing. Aunnie’s work has been published throughout the world, including by the Oxford University Press, the Stanford Social Innovation Review and the World Economic Forum.

Benjamin Hebborn
Benjamin is Advisor to the Executive Board and Chief of Staff to Brigitte Mohn at Bertelsmann Foundation. He leads Bertelsmann’s international impact investing activities and is responsible for its partnerships. The foundation acts as a convenor for the German National Advisory Board, conducts research on impact investing, initiates Social Impact Bonds and is currently piloting a ‘platform of platforms’ for impact capital. Prior to his role at Bertelsmann, Benjamin worked as a diplomat in the German Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
Beto Scretas

Beto has 25 years’ experience in the financial markets, with primary focus on equity markets. He led Schroder Investment Management Brasil as its CEO for 10 years, before joining the Instituto de Cidadania Empresarial in 2012, a Brazilian NGO which aims to further impact investing. He is a member of the Executive Team of the “Aliança pelos Investimentos e Negócios de Impacto”, a Brazilian group that promotes impact investment and represents Brazil at the GSG.

Brace Young

Prior to joining Arabesque in 2017, Mr. Young was the CEO at Eclat Impact and the CEO and a Partner at Mariner Investment group from 2000-2015. He serves as Board Chair of GWAVE, a wave-based renewable energy company and is the Chairman of the Board at Buckingham Browne & Nichols, a coeducational day school in Cambridge, Massachusetts. He is also the Chairman of the Board at Social Finance, Inc., a Boston-based non-profit organization dedicated to mobilizing investment capital for social change.

Bonnie Chiu

Bonnie is the Managing Director of The Social Investment Consultancy, an international impact advisory firm with a focus on convening the impact investing industry around gender and diversity. She is also the Founder and CEO of award-winning non-profit social enterprise Lensational, which equips marginalised women with photography training and digital storytelling. She has been awarded Forbes 30 Under 30 Social Entrepreneur in Europe and the Young Achiever at the Asian Women of Achievement Awards.
Brigitte Mohn
Dr. Brigitte Mohn is the daughter of Bertelsmann Stiftung founders Liz Mohn and the late Reinhard Mohn. Her career has included positions with the Kiel Institute for the World Economy; Bantam, Doubleday and Dell Publishing in New York; McKinsey in Hamburg; and Pixelpark in Switzerland. In 2002, she also became director of the Health program at the Bertelsmann Stiftung. She has been a member of the Bertelsmann Stiftung Executive Board since January 1, 2005.

Carmen Correa
Carmen is Director of Alliances at Pro Mujer, one of Latin America’s leading women’s development organizations offering access to finance, health and educational services. More recently, Carmen developed a new financial instrument for the government of Uruguay, which aimed to finance a venture capital fund and business accelerator. Carmen is also a board member of Pymecapital, an impact investment fund based in Nicaragua and of Educación Responsable, an NGO that promotes emotional intelligence in Uruguay.

Carolien de Bruin
Carolien de Bruin is the founder of C-Change, an Amsterdam based tech startup and facilitator of large-scale partnerships in sustainability. She is a frequent speaker, and moderator on the topic of building firms and markets that are ‘fit for purpose’ and maximizing cross-sectoral contributions to the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Prior to C-Change, Carolien led Monitor Deloitte’s global impact investing activities, working with clients such as B Lab, Calvert Foundation, the GIIN, and the World Economic Forum. Before becoming a social entrepreneur, Carolien held an interim role as COO at the Bertha Centre in Cape Town, Africa’s leading hub for social innovation and entrepreneurship.
Cathy Clark
Cathy serves as Faculty Director at the Center for the Advancement of Social Entrepreneurship at Duke University’s Fuqua School of Business, where she founded and directs the CASE i3 Initiative on Impact Investing and co-leads the Social Entrepreneurship Accelerator at Duke, an accelerator working to scale impact of global health ventures in India and East Africa. She helped develop the standards for B Corporations and has coordinated global research across 15 universities using data from $4.5 billion of impact assets under management.

Cheryl L Dorsey
Cheryl Dorsey is the president of Echoing Green, a global organization unleashing next-generation talent to solve the world’s biggest problems. Prior to leading this social impact organization, Cheryl was a social entrepreneur herself and received an Echoing Green Fellowship in 1992 to help launch The Family Van, a community-based mobile health unit in Boston. She has served in two presidential administrations and serves on several boards including the SEED Foundation and, previously, the Harvard Board of Overseers.

Chetna Sinha
Chetna is an activist, farmer and banker. In 1996, she founded the Mann Deshi Foundation with the aim of economically and socially empowering rural women. In 1997, she set up the Mann Deshi Mahila Sahakari Bank - India’s first bank for and by rural women, which today has 60,000 account holders and manages business of over $20 million. So far, it has supported over 400,000 women and plans to reach one million women entrepreneurs by 2022.
Chinyere Nnadi

A social entrepreneur leveraging breakthrough technologies to address economic and human development challenges in Africa, Chi is the Co-founder and CEO of Sustainability International (SI). He is a former management consultant with the Boston Consulting Group and MTV VJ. He co-founded SI to provide sustainable solutions to revitalize the Niger Delta. His Nigerian roots have made SI’s mission a personal one.

Chris Jurgens

As a Director for Impact Investing, Chris leads Omidyar Network’s efforts on increasing the reach and effectiveness of impact investing through catalytic investments, research, and field building initiatives. His work particularly focuses on building partnerships and driving innovations to increase the flow of “frontier capital” to early stage enterprises in emerging markets. Prior to joining the firm, Chris was Director of Private Sector Partnerships at USAID’s Global Development Lab, where he oversaw the entrepreneurship and impact investing portfolio.

Christine Engstrom

Christine is the Director of the Private Sector Financial Institutions Division at the Asian Development Bank. She leads ADB’s long-term debt and equity funding to financial institutions throughout ADB’s developing member countries in Asia and the Pacific, as well as ADB’s Trade Finance and Supply Chain Finance Programs, and Microfinance Risk Participation and Guarantee Program. Christine has worked at ADB since 2006, supporting private sector financial development with a focus on inclusive finance.
Chul Woo Moon

Chul Woo Moon is the chair of the S.Korean National Advisory Board. On research front, during the last three years, he wrote two books on mergers and acquisitions (M&A), and published several research articles in international scholastic journals on such issues as global strategies, strategic alliances, and organizational learning. Currently, he lectures mainly on M&A and strategic alliances in Asia and Europe. In addition to his advisory roles to both multinational and Korean firms, Professor Moon has also been advising to the Korean government on such issues as APEC cooperative policy and industrial technology development policy. His current research/teaching interest deals with post-M&A integration strategies and strategic management in creative industries.

Clara Barby

Clara is currently leading facilitation of the Impact Management Project. Backed by a wide range of organisations, this open source project is supporting enterprises and investors to agree on and move to a widely shared convention for impact measurement and management. As a Partner at Bridges Fund Management, Clara leads Bridges’ impact strategy across all fund types, as well as the firm’s advisory efforts to promote the growth of sustainable and impact investment.

Cliff Prior

Before becoming the CEO of Big Society Capital in March 2016, Cliff was CEO of UnLtd for social entrepreneurs, supporting 13,000 new start-ups and building a 50-country Global Social Entrepreneurship Network. He has co-created a number of social start-ups, mentors emerging social leaders and is involved in the UK National Advisory Board on Impact Investing. He also leads an international working group on the development of wholesale social impact investors and market development agencies.
Cyrille Langendorff
With over 20 years’ experience in the banking sector, Cyrille is Managing Director of the International Affairs Department of the French cooperative bank Credit Coopératif (CC). Prior to his current role at CC, Cyrille analysed and monitored the solidarity investments portfolio managed by Ecofi Investissements in France, and the investments done in collaboration with CC’s European partners. He is also the Chair of the French National Advisory Board, representing France on the executive committee of the GSG.

Darren Walker
Before becoming the President of the Ford Foundation, Darren was Vice President at the Rockefeller Foundation, overseeing its global and domestic programmes. He chairs several organisations, including the UN International Labor Organization Commission on the Future of Work. Additionally, he serves on the boards of various organisations and councils such as Carnegie Hall and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and is the recipient of thirteen honorary degrees and university awards, including the W.E.B. Du Bois Medal from Harvard University.

Dave Richards
Dave Richards is a co-Founder and Managing Partner of Capria, which supports and invests in the next generation of fund managers that back small and fast-growing businesses innovating for people in emerging markets. In 2012, he co-founded Unitus Ventures Funds, now the leading venture seed fund supporting innovative Indian start-ups. Previously, he developed and led multiple high-growth technology businesses at RealNetworks, Sybase and Symantec from start-ups to multiple hundred-million-dollar global enterprises.
David Blood

David Blood is co-founder and Senior Partner of Generation Investment Management. Previously, he spent 18 years at Goldman Sachs including serving as co-CEO and CEO of Goldman Sachs Asset Management from 1999-2003. David received a B.A. from Hamilton College and an M.B.A. from the Harvard Graduate School of Business. He is on the board of Dialight, New Forests, Motivate International, On the Edge Productions; and SHINE, Social Finance UK and WRI.

David Hutchison OBE

David has been Chief Executive of Social Finance since May 2009 and since May 2010, a General Partner for the Peterborough Social Impact Partnership, an initiative that has brought Social Finance significant national and international recognition. He is also a non-executive Director of Start Up Loans, a government funded pilot to extend small loans to young people and help them start their own businesses, and 3i, one of the world’s leading international investors, with over £11bn of assets under management.

David Bohigian

David serves as the Executive Vice President of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC) since August 2017. Before OPIC, David was the Managing Director of Pluribus Ventures, an advisor to innovative financial services firms and invested in impact-driven companies. In the Bush Administration, David served as the Assistant Secretary at the U.S. Department of Commerce, where he led international trade and investment efforts. Earlier in his career, David was a Managing Director of Idealab after it acquired the venture capital firm he founded, VenCatalyst.
SPEAKERS

David Woods
An experienced general manager and Board director, David is currently the Chairman of the Impact Enterprise Fund. David held an executive role as MD of a large social finance/impact investing organisation, supporting financial inclusion, agriculture and renewable energy in the developing world with a capital base of EUR 1.2bn. He is also a Director of Whai Rawa Fund Ltd and a trustee of The Gift Trust, in addition to sitting on three overseas microfinance company boards for the Aga Khan Foundation as an independent director.

Dr. Devi Prasad Shetty
Devi is a pioneering cardiac surgeon and award-winning social entrepreneur. He is chairman and Founder of Narayana Health, a chain of 21 medical centers in India. He has been awarded multiple awards and honours including the Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year in 2003, the World Economic Forum Social Entrepreneurship Award in 2005 and Padma Bhushan in 2012, the third highest civilian award by the Government of India for his contribution to the field of affordable healthcare.

Donald Hinkle-Brown
As President and CEO, Don Hinkle-Brown leads the Reinvestment Fund, a national leader in rebuilding America’s distressed towns and cities through the innovative use of capital and information. With over 20 years of experience in the CDFI industry, Mr. Hinkle-Brown is widely recognized as an expert in developing new programmatic initiatives, raising capital and creating new products to meet market demand. In 2017, he was appointed to the Community Advisory Council for the Federal Reserve Board.
Drew von Glahn

Drew is a Senior Advisor to the World Bank and a number of global philanthropic organizations. He has recently taken on the role as the initial director for the Collaborative for Frontier Finance. CFF is a multi-stakeholder initiative looking to address the constraints in access to capital for SGBs.

For over twenty years he was an investment banker and investor, leading transactions across the globe. Drew has built and managed investment banking operations at such global firms as Credit Suisse, J.P. Morgan and ING.

Drew managed the World Bank’s venture philanthropy program. He Co-founded Third Sector Capital, a leading U.S. advisor on impact financings and Pay-For-Success mechanisms. Drew has been the CEO of a global social enterprise and a senior member of the management team for a marketplace-based online finance company.

His research and writing topics include: the use and application of performance-based financing mechanisms; benchmarking organizational traits that drive capacity to implement innovative financings; and, subsidies and incentives mechanisms regarding increasing capital to early-stage businesses.

Elena Casolari

Elena is co-founder and Executive President of OPES-LCEF Foundation, Trustee and Managing Director of OPES-LCEF Trust and chair of OPES-LCEF investment committee; the Opes-LCEF Fund is an early stage impact fund that provides investment, management and technical support to entrepreneurs whose businesses serve disadvantaged communities. Elena serves as a Director at Fondazione Umano Progresso, a family run Foundation, The water shop Naivasha a social enterprise in Kenya, the Social Enterprise World Forum C.i.C in Glasgow, and the Social Impact Agenda for Italy, the leading network promoting impact investing in Italy.
Elias Masilela

Founder of several research and policy initiatives, Elias is the Executive Chairman of DNA Economics and the Commissioner of the 1st & 2nd National Planning Commission. His previous roles include CEO of the PIC, Head of Policy Analysis at Sanlam, Act. Deputy Director General for Economic Policy at the South African National Treasury. Currently he serves as Chairman of multiple organisations including V&A Waterfront and Absa Asset Management, and serves on several boards including Multichoice SA and Alternative Prosperity Holdings, amongst others.

Elizabeth Boggs Davidsen

Elizabeth is a Principal at the IDB’s Multilateral Investment Fund, which uses both grant and investment mechanisms to strengthen the environment for business. She advises the Fund on new partnership opportunities for its grant and investment activities by leveraging and increasing financial and non-financial support for programmes through targeted outreach. Previously, she served as a Principal Investment officer for the Opportunities for the Majority Initiative, the first dedicated office within a development finance institution to finance inclusive business models using market-based principles.

Elli Booch

Elli is the Director of Philanthropy at the Edmond de Rothschild Foundation (Israel), which spearheads philanthropic efforts to build an inclusive society, and the Chair of the Forum of Foundations in Israel. He is also a member of the GIIN’s Israel National Advisory Board and a member of the board of the Edmond de Rothschild Partnerships. He has also established several educational programmes, and was a founder and executive director of Kav Hazinuk, an NGO that develops leadership and social entrepreneurship.
Emily Gustafsson-Wright
Emily is a fellow in the Global Economy and Development Program at the Brookings Institution. A global expert on innovative financing mechanisms, she is also the premier thought-leader and convener in the emerging field of social and development impact bonds. Her previous professional experience includes working at the World Bank, the UNICEF Innocenti Research Center, and as Senior Researcher with the Amsterdam Institute for International Development (AIID).

Eric Savage
Eric is the Co-Founder & CEO of Unitus Capital (UC) and has led the company in raising almost US$2 billion for various impact businesses. Unitus Capital has been ranked the #1 Indian investment bank by Venture Intelligence and VCCircle for the past five years. In 2014, Eric was named Indian Expat Entrepreneur of the Year by Expat Entrepreneurs Circle, and, in 2016, was awarded the Indira Gandhi Sadbhawana Award for his contributions to the impact investing sector.

Eric Wetlaufer
Eric provides counsel to a range of companies, with a particular focus on sustainability and impact in the technology and financial sectors. He most recently was responsible for leading the CPP Investment Board’s Public Market Investments department, a multi-strategy platform of investing globally over C$180 billion. During his time at CPPIB, he was responsible for CPPIB’s Sustainable Investing Group and served on the Board of Directors of the UN-backed Principles for Responsible Investment.
Eriko Ishikawa
With over 25 years of development finance experience at the World Bank, Ms. Eriko Ishikawa leads the Inclusive Business team at the International Finance Corporation (IFC). IFC’s Treasury has raised over US$1.2 billion to fund inclusive projects in developing countries through its innovative thematic bond program (“Social” and “Inclusive Business” bonds). At the global level, Ms. Ishikawa has helped establish IFC’s leadership in “Inclusive Business” through her work with the G20 Development Working Group, APEC, ASEAN, UNDP and UNGC.

Farhad Reza
Farhad leads Build Bangladesh, an issue-based platform, complementing social entrepreneurship, economic empowerment and environmental sustainability while focusing on intergenerational well-being and the SDGs. Build Bangladesh has partnered with UNDP SDG Impact Finance to launch the Build Bangladesh Impact Fund, worth US$100m, which is the first fund of such nature launched globally in 2017. He is also leading the Spark* Bangladesh Team to deliver an accelerator and growth programme for young social entrepreneurs in partnership with Australian based YGAP.

Filipe Santos
Filipe Santos is Professor and Chair of Social Entrepreneurship at CATÓLICA-LISBON and Visiting Professor at INSEAD. He was a full-time faculty member of INSEAD for 12 years until 2014 before founding and leading Portugal Social Innovation, a new government initiative aiming to catalyze the social investment market in Portugal. He also co-founded IES – Social Business School and the Laboratory for Social Investment (now Maze – Decoding Impact). Professor Santos is co-author of the book ‘The Social Entrepreneur’s Guide to Changing the World’.
Gavin McGillivray
Gavin has been head of the UK Department for International Development (DFID) Office in India since June 2017. He previously led DFID’s office in Burma and before that was based in DFID’s London office where he headed DFID’s Private Sector Department, Global Funds and Development Finance Institutions Department and International Financial Institutions Department. Prior to joining DFID in 2000, Gavin managed long-term agricultural sector development programmes in Bolivia, Honduras, Colombia and the Caribbean.

Gayathri Vasudevan
Gayathri Vasudevan has a Doctorate in Development studies, and has more than 22 years experience in both national and international organizations. She has been extensively involved in policy issues and community mobilizations relating to livelihoods. Before joining LabourNet, Gayathri held a senior position at the multilateral International Labour Organization for 8 years. She has also worked with various multi-laterals and bi-laterals including UNICEF, UNDP, UNESCO & NORAD. She has published more than 30 publications in the areas of labour, employment and gender issues.

Geeta Goel
Geeta manages the Michael and Susan Dell Foundation’s operations in India to transform the lives of urban low-income communities. She has represented the foundation on several boards of its investee companies and is also on the Investment Committee of India Educational Investment Fund and Education Catalyst Fund. Geeta chairs the Impact Investors Council in India and In 2017, she was nominated as India’s 30 Most Powerful Women in Impact by Business Today.
SPEAKERS

**Giovanna Melandri**
Giovanna is the President and Founder of Human Foundation. A former member of the Italian Parliament, and former Minister for Culture and Minister for Youth and Sport, she was engaged in international relations, cultural affairs, human rights, youth policies, sport and environment, and represented Italy within the EU Council of Ministers and at the Council of Europe. Since 2012, Giovanna has been President of the MAXXI Foundation for contemporary arts. In July 2003, she was awarded the title of “Officier de la Legion d’Honneur” by the French President Jacques Chirac.

**Govind Sankaranarayanan**
Govind Sankaranarayanan served as Non-Independent Non-Executive Director of Tata Teleservices (Maharashtra) Limited until September 2018. Mr. Sankaranarayanan was the Chief Operating Officer of Retail Business & Housing Finance at Tata Capital Limited and served as the Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer of Corporate Affairs at Tata Capital Limited and Tata Capital Financial Services Ltd. Mr. Sankaranarayanan served as the Chief Financial Officer of VSNL International. He served as General Manager of TATA Industries. He serves as a Non Executive Director of Tata Capital Housing Finance Limited and as Director at e-Nxt Financials Limited. He served as an Executive Director of VSNL International. Mr. Sankaranarayanan holds B.E (Chemical Engineering) from the Birla Institute of Science & Technology, Pilani, an MBA from the Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore and a Masters in Finance from the London Business School.
Halla Tómasdóttir

Halla Tómasdóttir is the CEO of The B Team. Halla started her leadership career in corporate America working for Mars and Pepsi Cola. She was on the founding team of Reykjavik University where she established the Executive Education Department, founded and led successful women’s entrepreneurship and empowerment initiative and was an assistant professor at the Business School. She was the first female CEO of the Iceland Chamber of Commerce and later went on to co-found an investment firm with the vision to incorporate feminine values into finance. She also founded and chaired WE 2015, a global dialogue on closing the gender gap. Her work has led her to the TED stage twice. In 2011, Newsweek named her to a list of 150 women who shake the world and following Iceland’s Presidential Elections in 2016, The New Yorker called her A Living Emoji of Sincerity.

Hamdiya Ismaila

Hamdiya Ismaila is currently the General Manager of Venture Capital Trust Fund (VCTF), where she oversees the Investments and general operations of the Trust. Prior to joining VCTF, she worked with the Ministry for Private Sector Development, where she led in the provision of Business Advisory Services, financing arrangements, enterprise support services, skills development, entrepreneurship training, and promotional workshops for MSMEs. She is an Angel Investor and was instrumental in the design of the Ghana Angel Investor Network (GAIN). She is also a Director of the Ghana Angel Fund and a Founder of the Lady Angel Network – who invests with a gender lens. She is currently leading the efforts in the development of impact investing as an asset class in Ghana working closely with the GIMPA Centre for Impact Investing and other stakeholders.
Harvey Koh

Harvey is a Managing Director of FSG, and a leader of FSG’s Inclusive Markets practice. He has worked with various actors to evaluate, develop and scale market-based models that benefit marginalized populations. Harvey has contributed to the field of impact investing through his research and consulting work, focusing on capital supply and demand. He is a member of the trustee board of Social Innovation Exchange, the advisory board of Energy Access India, and the GSG Working Group on Widening and Deepening the Market.

Sir Harvey McGrath

Sir Harvey has had a distinguished career in the financial services industry, having chaired both Prudential plc and Man Group plc. He is currently Chair of Big Society Capital, Chair of Governors of Birkbeck College, Chair of Trustees for Heart of the City and Funding London. He is a Trustee of the Mayor’s Fund for London and Member of the Advisory Board for Sutton Trust. He is also Founding Trustee of New Philanthropy Capital and a member of the Advisory Board of Bridges Fund Management.

Henri Grundsten

Henri Grundstén is a Development Director at Finnish Industry Investment Ltd since May 2004. He joined the firm in 2004 and is responsible for investment opportunities and public affairs at the firm. Previously, he was the Director of Technology at Tekes and was also employed at Tietoenator. He is a Director of Finnish Venture Capital Association. Previously he was a Director of Suomen pääomasijoitusyhdistys ry. He served as a Director at the Finnish Industry Investment Ltd. Mr. Grundstén received Ph.D. in Engineering and Industrial Management between 1997 to 2004. a D.Sc. (Tech.) in
Industrial Management and Entrepreneurship, a M.Sc. (Tech.) in Industrial Management and Master’s Degree in Engineering and Industrial Management between 1979 to 1984 from Helsinki University of Technology.

**Ian Simmons**

Ian Simmons is Co-Founder and Principal of Blue Haven Initiative, where he oversees a portfolio focused on investments that generate competitive financial returns and address social and environmental challenges. This portfolio spans asset classes, including private and public equity, fixed income, direct investments, alternative investments and philanthropic programs.

Committed to initiatives and corporations that advance investing and strengthen democracy, Ian is the President of the Foundation for Civic Leadership and Chair of the Youth Engagement Fund. Ian serves on the board of directors of the U.S. Impact Investing Alliance, Social Finance, Issue One, Organizing for Action, the National Advisory Board for Public Service at Harvard College, and Karibu Homes, an affordable-housing company in Kenya.

**Imogen Rose Smith**

Imogen Rose-Smith is an ESG Investment Fellow with the University of California and contributor to Institutional Investor. Among other topics she covers institutional asset owners, sustainable investing, alternative investments, impact investing, politics and capital markets. Her recent work has included features on the carbon divestment movement and community investing and economic development. She also served as a consultant to the Robert F Kennedy Center for Justice and Human Rights on their Compass conference and education program. She lives in Brooklyn, New York.
Isabel Mota
Recipient of multiple awards for her work, Isabel is the President of the Board of Trustees of the Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation since May 2017. She is also a non-executive member of the board of Santander-Totta Bank and member of the Council of Portuguese Honorific Orders. She has served in numerous government positions including as Secretary of State for Planning and Regional Development, with responsibility for the negotiations with the European Union over Structural and Cohesion Funds for Portugal.

Jane Newman
As International Director, Jane is responsible for coordinating the close collaboration among members of the Social Finance Global Network, now with members in the UK, US, Israel, India and the Netherlands to support the development of impact bonds and other outcomes-based approaches in those markets. Social Finance has supported impact bonds and impact bond market development in over 20 jurisdictions. Before joining Social Finance Jane was a Director of The Social Investment Business, the UK’s largest social investor, and before that was a senior corporate partner with an international law firm. Jane is a member of the EU’s expert group on Social Enterprises and the Social Economy, and a board member of the European Venture Philanthropy Association.

Jatin Singh
A visionary entrepreneur, Jatin Singh first conceptualized the idea of setting up a weather company when he forayed into journalism & saw the hurdles faced by the media houses in gathering weather related data. To provide them with reliable data, Jatin founded Skymet Weather Services Pvt. Ltd in 2003. His intention was explicit as he believed that ‘forewarned is forearmed’.
John Newbigin

John is founder and Chairman of Creative England, a public/private partnership that invests in creative content businesses and digital technology. He serves in several senior positions, including as a member of the UK government’s Creative Industries Council; as the London Mayor’s Ambassador for the Creative Industries and as Chairman of the British Council’s Advisory Group for Arts and Creative Economy. He was awarded an OBE for “services to creative industries and the arts” in the Queen’s 2015 New Years Honours List.

Julie Katzman

Julie is the Executive Vice President of the Inter-American Development Bank. She joined the IDB in 2009 after a successful career as an investment banker. She first served as General Manager of the Multilateral Investment Fund and in 2010 was appointed to her current role. Having earned numerous awards throughout her career, Julie is frequent speaker on development topics. She serves on the Board of Directors of the MacArthur Foundation, the International Center for Research on Women and the Global Banking Alliance for Women.

Karen Wilson

Karen has been working at the OECD since 2009 where her work has focused on innovation, entrepreneurship, and finance including angel investment, venture capital and impact investment. In addition to other boards and advisory positions, she serves as a board member of the European Venture Philanthropy Association (EVPA) and on the Harvard Business School Impact Investment Alumni Steering Committee. Karen is also the Founder of GV Partners, a research and consulting firm focused on entrepreneurship and finance.
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Katherine Milligan is the Director and Head of the Schwab Foundation for Social Entrepreneurship. She received her B.A. from Dartmouth College and her Master’s in Public Policy from the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University, where she was the recipient of the Pforzheimer Scholarship for Excellence in Nonprofit Management. She is an adjunct faculty at the University of Geneva, the author or co-author of 17 publications, and a sought after speaker and lecturer on social entrepreneurship.

Krisztina Tora
Krisztina Tora is Market Development Director of the Global Steering Group for Impact Investment (GSG). Prior to joining GSG, Krisztina co-founded and led the Global Social Entrepreneurship Network (GSEN), the global network of organisations supporting early-stage social entrepreneurs in over 70 countries.

Until 2013, Krisztina was Director at Be-linked, leading French strategy consultancy dedicated to create shared value and core business partnerships between multinational companies and NGOs or social enterprises. Previously she was International Projects Manager at Veolia, a global utilities company. She holds an MBA from ESSEC Business School in Paris, speaks French, Hungarian, English, and Spanish fluently, and has skills in German and Portuguese.

Kshama Fernandes
Kshama Fernandes is the Managing Director and CEO of Northern Arc Capital, a leading non-banking finance corporation in India that invests and connects underbanked institutions and businesses to capital markets investors. Deeply respected for her knowledge and commitment towards the cause of unleashing the
power of finance for the greater good, Kshama has been a member of various High Powered Committees setup by the Government of India and has worked on consulting assignments for the World Bank, the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Ministry of Finance, Government of India, and NSEIT. Kshama has been featured by FMO as a role model in banking. She is also a recipient of Accion’s Edward W. Claugus award for leadership in financial inclusion.

**Laurie Spengler**

Laurie is President & CEO of Enclude, a global advisory firm and impact investment bank dedicated to building inclusive, sustainable and prosperous local economies. Laurie founded and led the Central European Advisory Group, a regional advisory firm she sold to her management team in 2005. Among her active board engagements, she serves as a member of the Executive Committee of the Aspen Network of Development Entrepreneurs, the UK National Advisory Board on Impact Investing and the CDC Group.

**Lorenzo Bernasconi**

Lorenzo joined The Rockefeller Foundation in 2013. As Senior Associate Director, he is responsible for the Foundation’s innovative finance and impact investing portfolio, focusing on identifying and shaping new financing solutions that unlock private sector capital to address the world’s most critical problems. Previously, he worked at Dalberg Global Development Advisors, the Boston Consulting Group and in the investment banking division of UBS. He sits on the board of Spring Bank, a Bronx-based community bank focused on the underbanked communities of New York City.
Maha Keramane

Maha Keramane joined BNP Paribas in 2006 after two short international experiences - Microfinance at the WorldBank in Washington and Export finance at Société Générale in Brazil - and a four-year experience as an external auditor and consultant for Deloitte. She started in BNP Paribas in the Risk department, in charge of creating new rating policies to comply with regulatory and credit risk issues. In 2012, she joined the Group CSR Department as Head of Microfinance and Social Business for Europe to create and develop a dedicated framework for Social Enterprises within the Bank. She implements specific methodologies to analyse Social Businesses within the Group (credit policy, Social impact measurement...) and develops new financial products and services to tackle the particular needs of social businesses, such as Social Impact Bonds or impact investing funds. Since 2006, she structured 6 Social Impact Bonds in France.

Mairi Mackay

Mairi currently leads the British Council’s portfolio of creative and social enterprise programmes, seeking to develop more inclusive and sustainable economies and societies through innovative, cross-sectoral approaches. Prior to that Mairi led the British Council’s Global Social Enterprise Programme across 30 countries, which provides social entrepreneurs with skills training, consultancy, and access to funding and investment opportunities. Previously Mairi served as Head of Greater China for Scottish Development International, directing four regional economic development offices to secure trade and investment for Scotland.
Manoj Kumar

Manoj is the co-founder and CEO of Social Alpha, an initiative to strengthen the science and technology start-up ecosystem in India, and the Head of Innovation at Tata Trusts, where he is responsible for creating and supporting sustainable ventures. He is also currently raising a venture fund which aims to provide early stage risk capital to high impact science and technology start-ups. Manoj is a trustee of Tata Institute for Genetics and Society and serves on the advisory and governing boards of a number of companies, non-profits and research institutions.

Marcos Vinicius De Souza

Secretary of Innovation and New Business of the Ministry of Development, Industry and Foreign Trade-MDIC and career server. He holds a degree in Business Administration from EAESP-FGV (School of Business Administration of São Paulo of the Getúlio Vargas Foundation), with an MBA in Cluster Development by ECLAC / UN and training in innovation policy by VINNOVA - Innovation Agency of Sweden. At MDIC, he served in the Chamber of Foreign Trade-CAMEX and was the Coordinator of the Franchise Forum of the Production Development Secretariat / MDIC. It is part of the main Advisory and Administration Councils related to innovation policy in the Federal Government. Prior to joining the Ministry he worked in strategic consulting and investment fund in high technology companies (venture capital).
Maryanne Hancock

Maryanne Hancock is the CEO of Rise Labs, which has recently launched out of the Rise Fund to bridge capital allocators. Previously, Maryanne spent more than 20-years at McKinsey & Company, where she was a Senior Partner. Among her several leadership roles, Maryanne co-founded McKinsey’s K-12 education practice in the U.S. and served several poverty alleviation non-profits, including CARE. Maryanne holds a BA and MA in Foreign Affairs from the University of Virginia and a JD from Harvard Law School.

Masataka Uo

Masataka is the Vice Chair of the Japan National Advisory Board for the GSG. He is also the founder and CEO of Japan Fundraising Association (JFRA), a platform that promotes social impact investment and philanthropic giving, and the founder and CEO of Fundrex.Co.Ltd, a leading consultancy for social impact organizations. JFRA’s Social Impact Center is performing a pivotal role in creating Social Impact Bonds projects, facilitating Social Impact Measurement Initiatives and advocating a dormant bank account utilization policy.

Maya Ziswiler

Maya is the head of Social Finance at the UBS Optimus Foundation where she is responsible for mobilizing private capital in new and more efficient ways to maximize social impact. She spearheaded the foundation’s work in this space, piloting and scaling impact bonds, testing the concept of impact loans and leveraging public private partnerships. Before joining UBS Optimus Foundation, Maya worked at the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria where she managed partnerships with the private sector.
Michael Etzel

Michael Etzel is a partner in The Bridgespan Group’s Boston office. Since joining Bridgespan in 2006, Michael has focused on effectiveness across the full spectrum of social innovation financing, advising corporate, institutional, and family philanthropists and investors—including The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, The Ford Foundation, Bain Capital, and Goldman Sachs. This work has addressed a wide range of fields, including child welfare, criminal justice reform, early childhood, economic development, public health, and recidivism. He has also supported planning and development for leading nonprofits in these same fields.

Michele Giddens

Michele co-founded Bridges in 2002 alongside Philip Newborough and Sir Ronald Cohen. She was an adviser to the UK Treasury’s Social Investment Task Force and chaired the Community Development Finance Association from 2003-2005. More recently, she chaired the UK National Advisory Board on Impact Investing from 2016-18. She sits on the BVCA Council, and is a Non-Executive Director on the board of CDC. She was recently awarded an OBE for services to international development and social finance in the 2018 Queen’s Birthday Honours list.

H.S.H. Prince Maximilian von und zu Liechtenstein

H.S.H. Prince Maximilian von und zu Liechtenstein was appointed to the role of CEO of LGT Group in 2006. H.S.H. Prince Maximilian started his career in the private equity industry in 1993 as an investment analyst and associate at JPMorgan in New York. He then returned to Europe in 1998 to work for the private equity group Industri Kapital as an associate and associate director. In 2000, he rejoined JPMorgan Partners as a director in London before becoming the head of JPMorgan Partners’ German office in 2003.
Meg Massey
Before becoming the Director of Communications for the GSG, Meg led outreach and communications for the Urban Institute’s Pay for Success Initiative, which promotes evidence and evaluation as central to social impact bonds and other forms of impact investing. She first became involved in impact investing in her role as a policy analyst at the White House Office of Management and Budget, working on early social impact bond approaches. Her writing on social and economic policy issues has appeared in Time, CNNMoney, and Parade.

Mehrdad Baghai
Mehrdad is co-founder, CEO and Chairman of High Resolves, an international leader in the design and delivery of learning experiences in citizenship and leadership for young people. Mehrdad is also Chairman at Alchemy Growth, a boutique strategy advisory firm, and a venture investor in promising technology companies. Previously, he was a partner at McKinsey & Company and co-leader of the Firm’s worldwide Growth Practice, and an Executive Director at the CSIRO, Australia’s national science agency.

Mika Pyykkö
Mika is the Project Director for the Finnish Innovation Fund Sitra since 2014. He has worked in Finland and abroad, particularly as a champion of health and well-being promotion and preventative action. In addition, Mika has been engaged in the development of collaboration between the public, private and third sectors. One of Mika’s most public achievements is pioneering the National Heart Symbol system, which allows consumers to make healthier choices faster and easier.
Mohamed Amersi

Mohamed is the Founder & CEO of Emergent Telecom Ventures, a consulting, advisory and asset management firm specialising in Telecoms, Media & Technology. His non-profit Amersi Foundation supports charities in education, poverty, conflict and religion in Africa, Middle East and Asia. More recently Mohamed launched the Inclusive Ventures Group, a social impact investing platform that has invested in education, livelihood, health and waste management in Africa and Asia.

Nick O’Donohoe

Former Senior Adviser to the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation and a co-founder of Big Society Capital, Nick joined CDC as its Chief Executive in June 2017 and is also a member of the CDC Board. At JP Morgan, Nick was the Global Head of Research and a member of the Management Committee of the Investment Bank and the Executive Committee. He is also a board member of the GIIN and Deputy Chairman of the GSG.

Nicola Cobbold

Nicola focuses on the potential of impact investing in creating solutions for the current global refugee and migration challenge. She previously worked as CEO of The Portland Trust, a British non-profit ‘action tank’. She was a founding shareholder of Social Finance Israel and is a Trustee of The Portland Trust and The Institute for Jewish Policy Research. She is a steering committee member of the World Commission on Forced Displacement and a member of the CGD Innovative Finance for Resettlement Working Group.
Nicola Galombik

Nicola is Executive Director at Yellowwoods, a global investment group with roots in South Africa. The group has investments in financial services, restaurants and eco-tourism businesses and has incubated a portfolio of African social enterprises focused on inclusive economy, youth employment and education. Nicola sits on the global Yellowwoods holdings board and is responsible for driving strategy for inclusive and sustainable growth and positive social value creation across the Yellowwoods businesses, investment management, and non-profit social enterprise portfolio. Nicola is a change leader and social innovator – leading multi-sector partnerships and coalitions to drive system change and inclusive economy. She is a fellow of the Aspen Global Leadership Network, a board member of the African Leadership Network and of several private sector businesses. She is the founder of the Harambee Youth Employment Accelerator and is currently its Executive Chairman.

Nishith Desai

Nishith is the founder of the international law firm, Nishith Desai Associates. He is a renowned lawyer, researcher, published author and lecturer in leading academic institutions around the world. He specializes in the Financial Services sector and assisted the governments of Mauritius and India in the establishment of their offshore financial centers. After India opened up its economy to the outside world in 1991, he established the first five India Focused funds and pioneered the roots of asset management industry.
Ommeed Sathe

Ommeed heads the Impact Investment unit in the Office of Corporate Social Responsibility at Prudential. The Impact Investment unit manages a portfolio of more than $800 million in investments with a commitment to grow its impact investing portfolio to $1 billion by 2020. Previously, Ommeed was director of real estate development for the New Orleans Authority, which redevelops residential and commercial properties and implements crucial public projects. Ommeed serves on the board of the Military Park Partnership, B-Lab, Non-Profit Finance Fund and The Community Development Trust.

Pablo Alonso

Pablo Alonso is the founder and President of Eurocapital Advisors SA, an independent investment advisory firm with offices in Miami, Geneva and Madrid that since 2001 provides sustainable investment solutions to foundations, institutions and family groups in Spain and Latin America. Previously Pablo was vice president of the International Private Banking Practice of Banco Santander New York for Argentina, Chile and Uruguay. Mr. Alonso holds an Master of International Economics and Management from Bocconi Business School in Milan and a Law Degree from Universidad Complutense of Madrid. Mr Alonso is a founder and member of the consultative committee of the Chilean Family Business Association and founder and director of Foro Impacto, a new Spanish association that is aiming to create the National Advisory Board of the GSG in Spain.
Patricia Chu

Patti Chu is AVPN’s Greater China Director. Patti has over fifteen years of experience working on international development issues with particular focus in the areas of financial inclusion, microfinance, education and sustainability. Patti started her career in New York with the Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi and has also worked with the International Finance Corporation and Citigroup in Latin America and Asia. In the last few years, Patti is a native of Argentina and has working experience in Latin America, the United States, Asia and Europe.

Pavithra YS

Ms. Y. S. Pavithra serves as Managing Director and Director at Vindhya e-Infomedia Private Limited. Ms. Pavithra is the recipient of “Shell-Helen Keller Award” from National Center for Promotion of employment opportunity for disabled people, a Govt. of India body, and “Outstanding Customer” from then Honorable Finance Minister. She is also the recipient of “TATA-TiE Stree Shakthi Award 2009” for outstanding contribution towards woman entrepreneurship. She is also the recipient of “Young Achiever Award 2010” from Brigade Group & Rotary. Ms. Pavithra is a commerce graduate from Bangalore University and was pursuing her Chartered Accountancy at the time of founding Vindhya.

Phyllis Contanza

Phyllis is the CEO of the UBS Optimus Foundation and has been instrumental in reshaping the Foundation’s strategy and introducing innovative financing vehicles like the first Development Impact Bond. Previously, she was a senior executive and Board Member of the Children’s Investment Fund Foundation. Phyllis has also worked for the Governor of New York, advising on policy and politics in Manhattan. She holds a Master’s in Public Policy from Harvard University’s John F. Kennedy School of Government.
PR Ganapathy

PR Ganapathy is a member of the Global Executive Committee of the Aspen Network of Development Entrepreneurs. He is also the President of Villgro, a funder and incubator of social enterprises, and a co-founder of the Menterra Social Impact Fund. He is also a co-founder of Haqdarshak, a social enterprise. Prior to moving to the development sector in 2011, he worked at large Indian corporations such as the Tata Group and Infosys, and co-founded a venture-funded start-up in the US.

Pradeep Nair

Pradeep is the regional director with Ford Foundation, based out of India. Pradeep has more than 20 years of private and non-profit experience, working primarily in the US and India, with a brief stint in Europe. His previous experience includes working with President Clinton’s Climate Initiative, with a focus on India and the region. Working with Michael Bloomberg and his team, he was also instrumental in expanding the C40 network (a network of global mayors) in India and the region.

Pramod Bhasin

Considered a pioneer of the BPM Industry in India, Pramod is an experienced entrepreneur, investor and founder of multiple ventures including Genpact, a global leader in Business Process with over 75,000 employees whilst operating in 17 countries. Pramod is the co-founder of Asha Impact, a virtual fund focused on Social Impact Investments and Advocacy. He is currently the Chairman of Clix Capital and serves on the boards of several large organisations, Pramod is also a member of TIE-NCR, and currently its President.
Priscilla Boiardi

Priscilla Boiardi is the Knowledge Centre and Policy Director of the European Venture Philanthropy Association (EVPA) leading the research, policy, training and dissemination activities of the association. Founded in 2004, EVPA is the leading community in Europe for organisations interested in or practising venture philanthropy, social investment and impact investing. Priscilla is also an advisor on numerous EC-funded projects and she is part of the OECD Social Impact Investment Experts Group.

R Venkataramanan

R Venkataramanan (Venkat) is the Managing Trustee of the Sir Dorabji Tata Trust and is responsible for management and oversight of all the Tata Trusts, the principal shareholders of Tata Sons, the parent company of the Tata group. For several years, he was Executive Assistant to Mr Ratan Tata, the former Chairman of the Tata group. He is a member of the Board of Air Asia India Private Limited, and is a Trustee of several Tata Trusts and Foundations.

Rajeev Kher

Rajeev’s mission to provide quality sanitation for unserved people in India has become a revolutionary concept and has created a phenomenal impact business model, which is present in numerous cities all over India. Today 3S, India’s premiere portable sanitation brand, is amongst the 50 top Social Impact Enterprises in India.

Rajeev has attended Clinton Global Initiative twice by invitation from former President of USA – Mr. Bill Clinton. He was featured in Business Outlook as one of India’s 50 Social Entrepreneurs who are making a difference to the lives of people in India. Under his leadership, the company has also been felicitated with the India Positive Award 2012 by CNN IBN. Additionally, Portable Sanitation Association International (PSAI), USA nominated Rajeev as
the 1st Indian/Asian on its Board of Directors in 2010-2013. Rajeev is a management graduate from Symbiosis Pune.

Dr. Rajiv B Lall
A veteran economist and business leader for the past 35 years, Rajiv has been the Founder MD & CEO of IDFC Bank since 2015. He has been an active part of the finance and policy landscape both in India and internationally, occupying various leadership roles both in business and in public policy, such as the High Level Committee on Financing Infrastructure and the President of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce & Industry. He is also the Chairman of Social Finance India and on the Advisory Board of Columbia University.

Rajnish Kumar
Shri Rajnish Kumar, is a nominee Director on the Board of WEF. Shri Rajnish Kumar assumed charge as Managing Director (National Banking Group) on 2nd November, 2015. Prior to this, he was holding charge as Managing Director (Compliance & Risk) of State Bank of India from 26th May, 2015. Shri Rajnish Kumar was heading SBI Capital Markets Limited (the Merchant Banking arm of State Bank of India) as Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer, prior to becoming Managing Director in SBI. Shri Rajnish Kumar has been with the State bank of India for over three decades, having joined the Bank as a Probationary officer in 1980. An M. Sc. In Physics, apart from CAIIB, Shri Kumar has held several key assignments across various business verticals, including two overseas assignments in Canada and U.K. He has vast experience in handling large credit, project finance, foreign exchange and retail banking. Shri Kumar has held such important positions as Dy. General Manager, Pune Zone; General Manager (NW-II), Mumbai; Regional Head, SBI (UK); Chief General Manager, North East Circle and Chief General Manager, Project Finance.
Ramona El Hamzaoui

Ramona El Hamzaoui arrived in New Delhi in July 2017 as the Deputy Mission Director, supporting the Mission Director in overseeing operations and programming. She was previously posted to Addis Ababa, Ethiopia where she also served as USAID Deputy Mission Director. Prior to Ethiopia, Ramona served four years in Dhaka, Bangladesh, where she managed several presidential initiatives under the economic development portfolio. Ramona has served with USAID for more than 16 years. This includes assignments as acting mission director and assistant director/program officer in Rabat, Morocco and work as an agriculture officer and democracy officer in Bogota, Colombia focused on human rights, local governance and access to justice programs.

Raphaël Mazet

Raphaël Mazet is the CEO of Alice, a network built on the Ethereum blockchain that brings together social organisations, donors and impact investors to identify and scale provably effective social projects. Prior to Alice, Raphaël was the COO and co-founder of CliqStart, a charity tech startup focused on digital activism. Before becoming a social tech entrepreneur, he spent ten years working as an advocacy and corporate communications consultant in Europe and Latin America.

Ratan Tata

Mr Ratan N Tata is the Chairman of the Tata Trusts (comprising Sir Ratan Tata Trust and Allied Trusts, and the Sir Dorabji Tata Trust and Allied Trusts). Under his guidance and leadership, the Trusts have metamorphosed from being reactive charities to India’s premier philanthropic foundations, striving to transform lives of millions of individuals, through meaningful partnerships with like-minded non-profit organisations, communities, governments (state and central), corporates and foreign funding organisations.
Reema Nanavaty
Reema has been working with the self-employed women from the informal sector since 1984 when she joined the Self-Employed Women’s Association (SEWA), becoming its General Secretary in 1999. For her work, she received the Padma Sri, the fourth highest civilian award in India. Reema is currently member of the Advisory Council on Gender of the World Bank Group and a member of International Labor Organization’s High-Level Global Commission on Future of Work.

Rodrigo Villar Esquivel
Rodrigo is the Founding Partner of New Ventures and has been instrumental in the development of the Impact Investing Industry in Latin America. New Ventures combines a diverse set of technical assistance and acceleration services with Adobe Capital, its finance arm. He is a Board Member in several organisation including the Aspen Network for Developing Entrepreneurs and Impact Hub Global. Currently, Rodrigo is also the President of the Mexico National Advisory Board to the GSG.

Sir Ronald Cohen
Sir Ronald Cohen is Chairman of the GSG and The Portland Trust. He is a co-founder director of Social Finance UK, USA, and Israel, and co-founder Chair of Bridges Fund Management and Big Society Capital. He chaired the Social Impact Investment Taskforce established under the UK’s presidency of the G8 and in 2012, he received the Rockefeller Foundation’s Innovation Award for innovation in social finance. He was a founder director and Chairman of the British Venture Capital Association and a founder director of the European Venture Capital Association. In 2007, Sir Ronald published: The Second Bounce of the Ball – Turning Risk into Opportunity and today is authoring a book on the “Impact Revolution.”
Roopa Kudva
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Rosemary Addis
Rosemary is a global strategist in innovation, investment and impact. She is the Executive Director of Impact Strategist and Chairs the Australian Advisory Board on Impact Investing and Impact Investing Australia. Over a 30+ year career, Rosemary has held senior roles across sectors, including as an equity partner at Allens-Linklaters, at the community organisation The Smith Family, at the Victorian Government, and in the Australian Government where she led the first social innovation unit.

Ross Piper
Ross Piper is the Chief Executive Officer of Christian Super. He has over 25 years of leadership and management experience in corporate and non-profit contexts. Prior to Ross’ appointment as Christian Super CEO in Jan 2018, he was COO with World Vision Australia and also served with World Vision International for several years in the Middle East and various countries of the former Yugoslavia.
Runa Khan
An Ashoka fellow and Schwab Foundation social entrepreneur, Runa is the Founder and Executive Director of Friendship, an NGO supporting remote communities in Bangladesh serving 4.2 million lives a year. Runa is also a board member of several organisations such as Global Dignity and BIC Corporate Foundation. She is a popular speaker at events and has received multiple international recognitions for her work including the Green Award by Positive Planet and the Social Innovation Leadership Award by the World CSR Congress.

Safeena Hussain
Safeena is the Founder and Executive Director at Educate Girls – a widely-known, award-winning non-profit organisation that aims at tackling issues at the root cause of gender inequality in India’s education system. Under Safeena’s leadership, Educate Girls has initiated the world’s first Development Impact Bond in education. Her efforts have been widely recognized and she has been conferred with multiple awards, including the 2017 NITI Aayog’s Women Transforming India Award and the British Asian Trust’s Special Recognition Award from HRH Prince Charles.
Sally McCutchan

Sally is the Chief Executive Officer and an Executive Director of Impact Investing Australia. She has extensive experience in finance, funds management and strategy, and has spent many years working in and understanding Asia Pacific markets. Sally first joined Impact Investing Australia in May 2015 to manage the strategic development and implementation of a new financial institution to scale impact investing in Australia, Impact Capital Australia. Sally has held senior roles with Accenture, Legg Mason Asset Management and SBC Warburg [now UBS]. Sally is a non-executive director of Indigenous Business Australia Asset Management, Oxfam Australia, Millennium Service Group (ASX: MIL) and two National Australia Bank securitisation companies. She is currently a member of: the Global Steering Group for Impact Investment’s (GSG) Working Group on impact investing wholesalers; the Australian Advisory Board on Impact Investing and the QBE Classification of Social Impact Committee. Sally is a Certified Practising Accountant and a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.

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Sean Hinton
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Sebastian Welisiejko
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Dr. Shannon May
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Shuichi Ohno
Shuichi is the President of the Sasakawa Peace Foundation, one of the largest philanthropic organizations in Asia with assets of over a US $1 billion. He was Japan’s Private Sector Representative at the G8 Social Impact Investment Taskforce and a founding member of Japan’s National Advisory Board. He serves on the board of Japan Social Impact Investment Foundation – an organization with the mission to promote social impact investments and unlock private capital for impact in Japan.

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