

Private Capital **Sustainability** Conference 2025

25 June 2025

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Main conference agenda

Wednesday, 25 June 2025 | Central London

08:00

Registration

09:15 Welcome remarks
Keynote

09:20 Industry/ Political Update
Keynote

09:35 **Sustainability in the current era**
Panel sponsored by Danesmead
Synopsis: This session will focus on how geopolitical debates and policy developments are impacting and shaping what sustainability means for private capital. It will touch on issues such as the US's politicisation of ESG, the UK's defence agenda, the impact of tariffs on the supply chain and the spotlight on the value and purpose of sustainability regulation. It will explore how these are impacting sustainability considerations for private capital, how companies are adapting and what this means going forward.

10:05 **The Sustainability Regulation Rethink**
Panel sponsored by Debevoise & Plimpton
Synopsis: This session will be a deeper dive into the value and purpose of sustainability regulation. This will touch on what has driven the omnibus and SFDR reviews, how this has been influenced by the current sustainability environment in the UK, EU and beyond and what this means for private capital.

10:35 **The role of Transition Finance and Private Capital**
Fireside
Synopsis: This session will provide a background to the Transition Finance Market Review (TFMR) and its relevance to the UK's green ambitions. It will discuss the importance of private capital's role in helping to scale and invest in transition finance.



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Networking Break

11:15

Impact Investing and its value to the UK

Panel

Synopsis: Building on the findings of the “Delivering Government Missions using Impact-led Venture Capital and Private Equity” report, this panel will explore the social, environmental and economic value that impact-led capital can contribute to the UK. It will further explore the UK government’s and industry’s role in developing an enabling investment ecosystem.

11:45

The shift from climate mitigation to adaptation

Presentation

Synopsis: This presentation will touch on the current climate landscape, the shift of focus from solely mitigation to both mitigation and adaptation and what this means to firm’s decarbonisation and transition plans.

12:00

The role of diverse thought in Private Capital

Panel

Synopsis: This panel will explore the value of diverse thought, what it means, how DE&I “tickboxing” can impact this, how it can be enhanced and what needs to change.

12:30

Networking Lunch



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| 13:30 | Welcome back
<i>Keynote</i> |
| 13:35 | Impact with a little 'i'
<i>Panel</i>
<i>Synopsis: There has been an increasing focus on private capital to demonstrate their environmental and social value. Whilst all private capital creates impact, not all private capital are considered impact investors. This panel will discuss the drivers for this increasing focus, what it means and how it can be done.</i> |
| 14:05 | "Industry Initiative Updates 1.0
iCI, PESMIT, PRI, EDCI"
<i>Fireside</i>
<i>Synopsis: This presentation will provide an industry initiative update on key developments and areas of focus.</i> |
| 14:25 | Private Credit - a tool for value creation
<i>Panel</i>
<i>Synopsis: This session will explore how private credit are developing their responsible investment approaches and building out their sustainability capabilities. This will explore the tools and mechanisms and frameworks being applied, what is working, where there are gaps and what needs to evolve.</i> |

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15:20 Session title to be confirmed
Keynote

15:35 Opportunities and Risks of AI and block chain technologies
Panel
Synopsis: This panel will discuss the value and risks of innovative AI technologies to Private capital. It will explore AI's role in private capital, what needs to be considered to enable responsible adoption and how it can be effectively navigated to reap the benefits.

16:05 Closing remarks

16:15 Drinks Reception



Masterclass agenda

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17:15	Close



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