

# Responsible Investment Forum: Europe Virtual Experience 2020

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## Responsible Investment Forum: Europe 2020 Virtual Pass FAQs

As we all continue to search for ways to maximise business efficiency and returns during the covid-19 pandemic, PEI is committed to connecting the value creation professional's community so business can continue as normal as possible.

Below we have answered some FAQs to help give you a greater understanding of the platform. Find information about:

- General information
- Questions about content
- Questions about networking

### GENERAL

#### **So, what is it?**

The Responsible Investment Forum: Europe virtual platform will replicate all the best parts of the in-person conference experience.

You can:

- Watch live panel sessions happening and ask questions of the speakers
- Watch and download select recordings of the sessions at a time more convenient for you, with On-Demand playbacks for selected sessions for up to 5 months after the event ends.
- Network with both local and global attendees
- Participate in virtual roundtables and networking rooms to discuss the topics that matter to you with like-minded peers

#### **How do I access the platform?**

The platform will launch 4 weeks prior to the event. As a registered attendee, you will be sent a unique link to access the platform. That link is unique to you and cannot be shared with anyone else.

The advantage of having access a few weeks before is that we can help you iron out any issues you might be having with plenty of time before the event.

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## CONTENT

### **Do I need to sit in front of my laptop all day or all night?**

No. There will be live content (which is where you can take part in live Q&As) and select sessions will be made on demand for an additional 5 months, so you can watch sessions at a time convenient to you.

**I have watched enough webinars over the past 6 months, why would I want to watch more?** We hear you – which is why we have structured the platform to ensure you are part of the conversation. You will be able to:

- Ask questions of panel speakers during the session
- Spend time face-to-face via video conference with speakers to ask questions after the session
- Join roundtables to discuss the topics that matter to you with like-minded peers
- Focused networking breaks where you can discuss the strategies and opportunities you are interested in
- Pop in to sponsor booths to connect via video and discuss their offerings or a presentation that they have given

### **What if I forget that a session I want to attend is on?**

You can build your own personal agenda within the platform and opt-in to receive notifications when sessions are about to begin.

## NETWORKING

### **Is “virtual networking” just a buzzword for direct messaging or email?**

Absolutely not! The virtual platform will feature direct messaging functionality, but it also has inbuilt video conferencing that allows you to invite other people into a single meeting. Just select your potential business partner/s from the attendee list and invite them to chat.

### **What about the timezone difference? How do I set meetings on my timezone?**

The platform shows available meeting times as per your computers timezone. For example, if you are based in London, a meeting you set for 12 pm from your account will show to a recipient in Paris as 1 pm, reducing the human error impact of incorrectly guessing timezones.

It is worth noting that event timings will be running on Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) which is CET +1. The platform will note the timezone abbreviation next to most timings to avoid confusion.